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# Share Your Ideas

Innovation is everywhere. Clinicians, health systems, community leaders, and other innovators throughout the country are developing new models of care and payment that provide better health and better healthcare at lower costs. The CMS Innovation Center is seeking your ideas on how care can be delivered and paid for in ways that will lower the total costs while improving the quality.

**The kind of ideas we're looking for.** We look for ideas across the health care delivery continuum that achieve better care for patients, better health for our communities, and lower costs through improvement for our health care system. We'll be asking you whether your idea is a (1) Service Delivery Model; (2) Payment / Reimbursement Model; (3) Technology / IT oriented; or (4) Other.

**We are not able to respond to every idea submitted.** Your comments will be used, along with others we have received through this portal, in conjunction with a variety of open forums and other vehicles to help improve and shape our work on an ongoing basis.

**Submitting your ideas through this web portal does not constitute an application** or contract for participation in any arrangement with or through CMS, or for funding of any activity.

**Your ideas – once submitted – may be shared with others.** Your idea may be utilized within CMS to develop requests for proposals, applications, studies, models to be tested, or for any other purpose. Further, the CMS Innovation Center may share publicly your submitted idea in summary format as an Abstract to foster dialogue and discussion. Your submission constitutes your consent for these uses.

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# Submit Your Idea

*Important Notes:*

- *Be sure to read the disclaimers on the previous page.*
- *Once you begin you cannot save and come back to it.*

## **Begin**

\* Describe your innovation in 70 characters or less.

## **Tell us about yourself.**

\* Your Name (First | Last)

\* Email

Your Organization (Maximum Allowed: 250 Characters)

Your Job Title

## 1. What's the need being addressed?

\* Describe the health care coordination, payment, or other delivery challenge you're trying to confront. (Maximum Allowed: 250 Characters)

### Who are the primary beneficiaries?

\* Who most directly benefits from addressing this need or challenge?

*Choose one:*

- *None*
- *Children*
- *Adults*
- *Elderly*
- *It benefits all groups equally*

\* Describe in more detail the types of individuals that would benefit. (Maximum Allowed: 250 Words)

## 2. Your proposed Model.

\* What kind of solution are we talking about here? (You may select more than one)

- *Service Delivery Model*
- *Payment / Reimbursement Model*
- *Technology / IT Oriented*
- *Other (please specify below)*

\* Describe your Model. (Maximum Allowed: 250 Words)

### 3. How does your Model improve the quality of care delivered?

\* Rationale for quality improvement. (You may select more than one)

- *Improves the effectiveness of care*
- *Increases preventive care effectiveness*
- *Improves efficiency of care*
- *Improves timeliness of care*
- *Improves care quality*
- *Provides more patient-centered care*
- *Improves patient-safety*
- *Promotes healthier lifestyles*
- *Other (please specify below)*

\* Describe how your Model impacts the quality of care being delivered.

(Maximum Allowed: 250 Characters)

### 4. How does your Model lower the cost of care?

\* Rationale for appropriate cost-reductions. (You may select more than one)

- *Reduces avoidable hospitalizations*
- *Reduces avoidable ER use*
- *Reduces cost-effectiveness of primary care*
- *Improves cost-effectiveness of specialty care*
- *Promotes effectiveness of Rx therapies*
- *Other (please specify below)*

\* Describe how your Model improves & lowers the total cost of care. (Maximum

Allowed: 250 Characters)

Thanks!