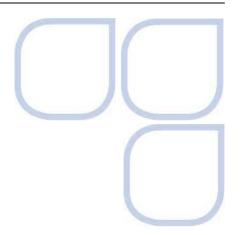


# Delivering Greater Access to Affordable Healthcare









### Company History

- Founded in 2000
  - Douglas Smith, M.D., Steve Pontius and Kevin Smith, RN, FNP had founded QuickMedx (the retail health care centers that became MinuteClinic)
- First health care centers opened in Minneapolis-St. Paul area Cub Foods grocery stores in May 2000
- With the addition of insurance coverage and a few other improvements, QuickMedx became MinuteClinic in December 2002
- Acquired by CVS/pharmacy in September 2006
- Hosts have included Cub Foods, QFC, malls, corporate and government offices, and CVS/pharmacy stores

## Currently operating 518 Clinics in 25 States



### Retail Clinics have grabbed the attention of Consumers and the National Media

MinuteClinic has been featured as a "disruptive innovation" in the delivery of health care, 1,000+ times on national networks and in leading print media during the last 24 months





### In good company

MinuteClinic was recently featured by Forbes Magazine in the list of the Top 10 Innovators of the last decade

Blackberry Google **Netflix** 

### **MinuteClinic**

iPod Roomba Skype Heartstart YouTube Nintendo's Wii







### Strategic Vision

## To integrate simple, high-quality healthcare solutions into consumers' lifestyles.

- We are dedicated to providing high-quality, professional and affordable care for uncomplicated family health care needs.
- We provide care that enables integration around a medical home.
- We align ourselves around schedules that are "lifestyle conscious" in convenient locations, where customers live, work and play.
- We provide patients, employers and payers an efficient and cost-effective health care delivery that complements to traditional health care services.
- We utilize electronic medical records that are available universally to health care providers and patients.





### Right-Sized Engineered



- Focused range of services
- Exam room designed to provide all services
- Most services take 15 minutes
- Prices clearly posted
- Treated in order of arrival
- Limited capital-intensive equipment; only specific diagnostic supplies

#### **ERs, Urgent Care and Medical Offices**

- Broad services/access to Specialists
- Specialty treatment and diagnostic rooms required
- Varied service times
- Complex pricing
- Congested schedule/triage
- Over engineered for simple services as a result of the requirement for capital-intensive diagnostic equipment and specialty capability





### Scope of Services

## **Treatments** and **Services**

#### **Common Illnesses**

Allergies (ages 6+)
Bladder Infections
(female, ages 12–65)
Bronchitis (ages 10–65)

Ear Infections

Pink Eye and Styes

Sinus Infections (ages 5+)

Strep Throat Swimmer's Ear

#### **Skin Conditions**

Athlete's Foot Cold Sores

Deer Tick Bites (ages 12+)

Impetigo Minor Burns

**Minor Skin Infections** 

& Rashes

Minor Sunburn

Poison Ivy (ages 3+)

Ringworm

**Shingles Treatment** 

Wart Removal (ages 5+)

#### **Vaccines**

DTaP, Td, Tdap (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis) Flu (seasonal)

Hepatitis A & B

Meningitis

MMR (Measles, Mumps,

Rubella) Pneumonia Polio (IPV)

#### Wellness & Prevention\*

Camp Physicals
Cholesterol Screening
Comprehensive Health
Screening
Diabetes Screening
Hypertension Screening

**Obesity Screening** 

\* Select areas only.

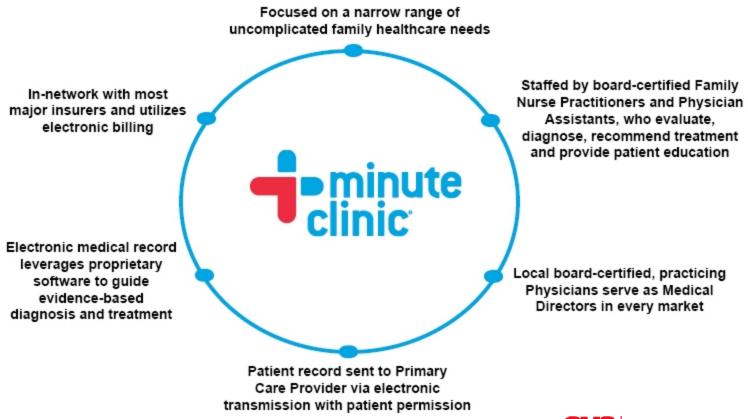
#### **Additional Services**

Ear Wax Removal Flu Diagnosis (ages 10–65) Mononucleosis Pregnancy Testing



### **Essential Components Drive Quality**

#### The following six components comprise the health care model:





### High Quality Care – Highly Training Practitioners

### **Every MinuteClinic practitioner is licensed and board-certified:**

- Credentialing NCQA Guidelines
- Extensive internal training
  - Two-week training prior to working within a clinic
  - Curriculum is divided into the following components:
    - Professional skills
    - Operations skills
    - Clinical skills
- Practitioner competency is verified at the conclusion of each training session
- Each practitioner completes re-certification of each module annually



### High Quality Care – Guidelines and Accreditation

### MinuteClinic adheres to national standards of practice, as established by:

- Institute for Clinical Systems Improvement (ICSI) regional guidelines
- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Red Book
- American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)
- MinuteClinic also adheres to:
  - AAFP and AMA Desired Attributes for Retail Health Clinics
  - NCQA Guidelines for Credentialing
- In addition, MinuteClinic is the first and only retail health care provider to be **Joint Commission accredited** (as of August, 2006)



### High Quality Care – Proprietary Software

## Electronic Medical Record (EMR) system results in improved effectiveness and efficiency

- Continuity of Care Record (CCR) allows for electronic exchange of basic patient history
- Designed to provide national best practices and clinical guidelines
- Formulary management with generic drug default
- "Circuit Breakers" built in to assure proper triage when condition is beyond scope practice
- System provides every patient with:
  - Diagnostic record
  - Educational material
  - Patient bill, Prescription at end of visit (when clinically appropriate)
  - Toll Free call-in center for after hours questions or transfer to practitioner for follow-up
- No paper charts are maintained everything is electronic
- Privacy assured through centralized storage





### High Quality Care – Guideline Compliance Study

### MinuteClinic initiated, peer reviewed study:

- September 2005 through September 2006
- 57,000+ evaluations of acute pharyngitis
- Outcome measures include
  - Adherence to best practice treatment guideline in presence of neg or pos RST
  - Use of back up confirmatory strep culture testing in presence of neg RST
  - Documented rationale when antibiotic was prescribed in presence of neg RST

#### **Results:**

Overall adherence rate of 99.15%





### Drivers of Retail Clinic Effectiveness

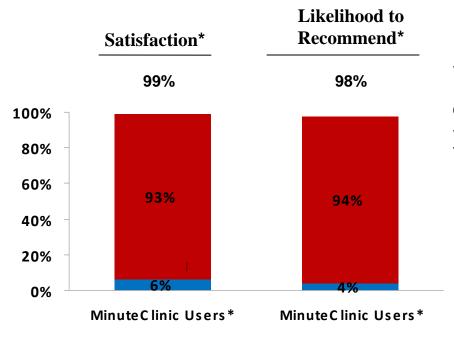
The full patient value of the retail delivery model is grounded in collaboration with the medical community

#### Being a good citizen in the medical community comes with responsibilities

- Demonstrate the highest quality standards of care
  - Deliver according to national best practices and treatment protocols
  - Joint Commission accreditation
- Improve continuity of care through data sharing
- Facilitate 'medical homes' through an open referral system
  - Strategic alliances with existing providers
- Improve public health in the community
  - Medicaid and other community based 'safety net' programs
  - Preventative medicine programs



### MinuteClinic Delivers High Patient Satisfaction



 Internal Satisfaction Survey has been validated by independent external research study conducted by Market Strategies (4/07)

- MinuteClinic User:Satisfaction 97%\*\*
- MinuteClinic User:Likelihood to Recommend:97%\*\*

Extremely Likely/Satisfied (9-10)

Somewhat Likely/Satisfied (6-8)

<sup>\*</sup> MinuteClinic Patient Satisfaction Study, 9/07.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Market Strategies, "Retail Clinics: National Study of User and Non-User Attitudes, Preferences and Behaviors", 4/07.



### Studies Confirm Savings

### Various studies prove the cost-effective nature of the model

- In a study conducted by Mercer on behalf of Black & Decker using 2005 data:
  - MinuteClinic visits show a 30% to greater than 50% savings over the same type of office visit at a primary care clinic.
- Blue Cross Blue Shield of Minnesota analyzed visits to MinuteClinic from June 2004 to June 2005 and found:
  - MinuteClinic visits cost about half of an office visit.
- A Minnesota-specific Reden and Anders Study from January 2005 to March 2006 indicates:
  - Episodic savings of 30% or greater.



### Studies Confirm No Over-Utilization Concern

### Studies prove there is little to no impact on utilization

- 2005 study conducted by Mercer using Black & Decker data:
  - Only 8 per 1,000 patients recorded a visit to their primary care provider within 10 days of a MC visit
- 2005 HealthPartners study looking at utilization before and after adding MinuteClinic to network:
  - 336 members per month episodes (strep, sinus, ear, eye, urinary) prior to MinuteClinic added
  - 313 members per month episodes after MinuteClinic added



### Legal Challenges for Retail Clinics

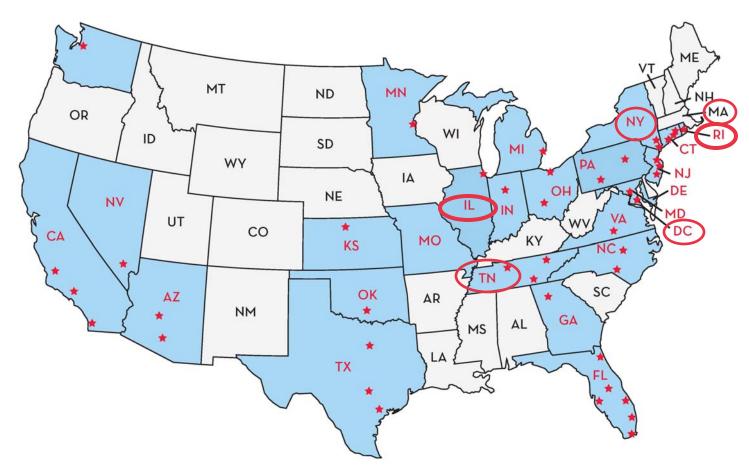
- Scope of Service
- Scope of Practice
  - Staffing
  - Physician supervision requirements vary by state
  - Nurse Practitioner practice barriers
  - Third-party reimbursement
- Structural Issues
  - Corporate Practice of Medicine and Fee Splitting
  - Facility and Lab Licensing



### Legal Challenges for Retail Clinics

- Anti-kickback and Self-Referral Prohibitions
- Advertising Regulations
- AMA, Medical Society and Board Guideline and/or Rule Promulgation
- Licensing
- Privacy
- Payor relationships

## State Specific Issues/Policy Decisions



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