

PCMP Episode-Based Cost Measures Wave 6 Clinician Expert Workgroup (Membership) List

Project Title: PCMP Episode-Based Cost Measures - Wave 6 Clinician Expert Workgroups

Project Overview:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) contracted Acumen, LLC (“Acumen”) to develop episode-based cost measures. The contract name is Physician Cost Measures and Patient Relationship Codes (PCMP). The contract number is 75FCMC18D0015, Task Order 75FCMC24F0142. As the organizer of these workgroups, Acumen convenes groups of interested parties and experts who contribute direction and thoughtful input on their work and analysis. The purpose of these workgroups is to provide clinical input on each aspect of the specifications of 2 episode-based cost measures undergoing additional development for Wave 6. Initial development for Wave 6 occurred between 2023 and 2024. These 2 measures are (i) Parkinson’s Syndromes, Multiple Sclerosis (MS), and Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) and (ii) Non-Pressure Ulcers.

Clinician Expert Workgroup Membership

We've selected these individuals and they've agreed to serve as the workgroup for this project.

Parkinson's Syndromes, MS, and ALS Workgroup Members:

Name, Credentials, Professional Role	Organizational Affiliation, City, State	Consumer/ Patient/ Family/ Caregiver Perspective	Clinical Content	Performance Measurement	Coding and Informatics	Clinical Specialty	Conflict of Interest Disclosure
Deena Hassaballa , DO, FAAPMR, Assistant Professor and Physician	American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Seattle, WA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	None
Dheeraj Mahajan , MD, MBA, MPH, FACP, CIC, CMD, CHCQM, President/ CEO	AMDA - The Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine, Oak Park, IL	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Internal Medicine	None
Kathleen McCoy , DNSc, PMHNP-BC, PMHCNS-BC, FNP-BC, FAANP, Associate Professor	American Association of Nurse Practitioners, McMinnville, TN	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Psychiatry	None
Marisa McGinley , DO, MSc, Assistant Professor	American Academy of Neurology, Cleveland, OH	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Neurology	None
Kelsey Peterson , OTD, OTR/L, Neuro-IFRAH Certified, Assistant Professor	American Occupational Therapy Association, Pasadena, CA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Occupational Therapist	None
Alexander Rae-Grant , MD, FRCPC, FAAN, Senior Deputy Editor	American Academy of Neurology, Newburyport, MA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Neurology	None
Miriam Rafferty , PT, DPT, PhD, APTA Board Certified Neurologic Clinical Specialist, Director, Research Scientist, Assistant Professor	American Physical Therapy Association, Chicago, IL	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Physical Therapist	None

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Patricia Scheets , PT, DPT, Vice President	American Physical Therapy Association, Belleville, IL	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Physical Therapist	None
David Schultz , MD, Family Physician and Hospitalist	American Academy of Family Physicians, Newburgh, IN	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Family Medicine	None
Jason Schwalb , MD, Surgical Director	American Association of Neurological Surgeons, West Bloomfield, MI	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Neurosurgery	Financial ¹
David Seidenwurm , MD, Medical Director	American College of Radiology, Carmichael, CA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Diagnostic Radiology	None
Binit Shah , MD, Associate Professor	American Academy of Neurology, Charlottesville, VA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Neurology	None
Chloe Slocum , MD, MPH, Physician	American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Boston, MA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation	None
Laura Verdun , CCC-SLP, Owner, Speech-Language Pathologist	American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, Oak Hill, VA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Speech Language Pathologist	None
Christine Williamitis , PhD, DNP, PMHNP, ACNP, FNP, Nurse Practitioner and Assistant Professor	American Academy of Nurse Practitioners, Goshen, KY	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Psychiatry	None

¹ Research support for Medtronic; member of steering committee for Registry for the Advancement of DBS in Parkinson's Disease, NeuroPoint Alliance.

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Non-Pressure Ulcers Workgroup Members:

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Patricia Bartzak , DNP, RN, CMSRN, TCRN, CNRN, Staff Nurse	Academy of Medical Surgical Nurses, Natick, MA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Critical Care	None
Drew Caplin , MD, FACR, FSIR, Associate Professor	Society of Interventional Radiology, Manhasset, NY	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Interventional Radiology	None
Kara Couch , NP, Director	Alliance of Wound Care Stakeholders, Washington DC	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Wound Care Specialist	None
Sarah Eakin , MD, Pathologist and Medical Director	College of American Pathologists, Erie, PA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Pathology	None
Caroline Fife , MD, Chief Medical Officer	Alliance of Wound Care Stakeholders, Houston, TX	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Family Medicine	None
Emily Greenstein , APRN, CNP, CWON-AP, FACCWS, Nurse Practitioner	American College of Clinical Wound Specialists, Fargo, ND	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Wound, Ostomy, and Continence Nurse	None
Katherine Hall , MD, Medical Director	American Academy of Family Physicians, Athens, TN	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Family Medicine	None
Caitlin Hicks , MD, MS, Physician, Associate Professor, Associate Program Director, Director, Director of Research	Society for Vascular Surgery, Baltimore, MD	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Vascular Surgery	None
Mark Iafrati , MD, Director and Professor	Society for Vascular Surgery, Nashville, TN	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Vascular Surgery	None
Sabrena McCarley , MBA-SL, OTR/L, CLIPP, RAC-CT, QCP, FAOTA, RAC-CTA, Director	American Occupational Therapy Association, Napa, CA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Occupational Therapist	None

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Christopher Pittman , MD, FAVLS, FACR, Medical Director and CEO	American Vein and Lymphatic Society, Tampa, FL	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Interventional Radiology	None
Howard Rogers , MD, PhD, Physician and Owner	American Academy of Dermatology, Norwich, CT	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Dermatology	None
David Freedman , DPM, FACFAS, FASPS, CPC, CSFAC, CPMA	American Podiatric Medical Association, Silver Spring, MD	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Podiatry	None
Aamir Siddiqui , MD, Associate Professor	American Society of Plastic Surgeons, Detroit, MI	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery	None
Barbara Spivak , MD, President	Mt. Auburn Cambridge Independent Practice Association, Boston/Brighton, MA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Internal Medicine	None
Dyane Tower , DPM, MPH, MS, CAE, Senior Medical Director	American Podiatric Medical Association, Bethesda, MD	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Podiatry	None
Marta Van Beek , MD, MPH, Executive Medical Director, Division Director, Professor	American Academy of Dermatology, Iowa City, IA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Dermatology	None
Stephanie Woelfel , PT, DPT, CWS, Director and Associate Professor	American Physical Therapy Association, Los Angeles, CA	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Physical Therapist	None
Stephanie Yates , MSN, RN, ANP-BC, CWOCN, Nurse Practitioner	Wound, Ostomy and Continence Nursing Society, Cary, NC	N/A	X	N/A	N/A	Wound, Ostomy, and Continence Nurse	None