



# Three Keys to SIM in the Iowa RFP for Managed Care and Project Update

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## 1. Require Value Based Purchasing (VBP) and Common Quality Measurements

- 40% of MCO population must be included in VBP by 2018
- Value Index Score (VIS) as the delivery system across the MCOs
- VIS already understood and in use by delivery system as a basis for VBP programs
- Not dictating actual payment terms leaves flexibility for the MCOs



## 2. Align Delivery System Quality with MCO Quality

- MCO success measure (VIS) same as the delivery system
- Both MCO and delivery system are driving the same metrics for care coordination
- Alignment can help reconcile the tension in “competing” sets care coordination efforts
- Underscore core strategic value: driving population health outcomes



## 3. Primary Care Practitioner (PCP) Assignment

- Clearly identifies which PCP is accountable for a given member
- Delivery system infrastructure (such as alerts) can be optimized to manage patients
- Enhanced, timely care coordination possible for members that stray out of network



## Model Test Objectives

**Vision: Transforming Health Care to Improve the health of Iowans**

Improve  
Population  
Health

Transform  
Health Care

Promote  
Sustainability

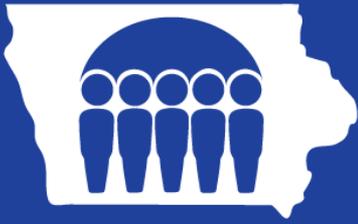




## SIM Current Activity

### 2015 - Planning and Preparation

- **Execute contracts with vendors**
  - 3 out of 4 primary contracts complete
  - Hiring in process
- **Statewide Alert Notification (SWAN) roll-out for 2015**
  - TA Kick-off Webinar for ACO Hospitals - August 13
  - Connecting in September
  - Alerts targeted to start for Medicaid Patients in October
- **Provide Technical Assistance to Delivery System**
  - August 18 – Kick-off, more than 400 in attendance
  - Community focus events being planned
  - Three state-wide events each year



## SIM Kick-off Conference

Five state-wide strategies rolling out

Each focused on:

- Community Care Coordination
- Patient and Family Engagement
- Social Determinants of Health





## SIM Activity - Continued

- Establish Community Care Team framework under SIM
  - Focuses on Community Care Coordination, SDH, integrating LPH and PCPs, etc.
  - SIM is funding current activity through December 31, 2015 (through IDPH)
  - IDPH soon to released CCT RPF for 2016
- Align Value-based Purchasing in Medicaid with other payers
  - MCO Announcement on August 17, 2015
  - See earlier slides



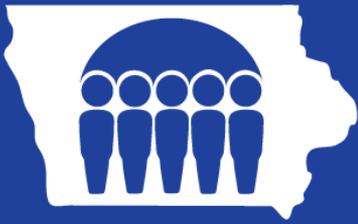
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### Public Stakeholder meetings

- MAAC – Regular agenda item
- Continue to speak at association, leadership, advisory meetings on demand
- SIM Leadership team convening

### 2015 Deliverables (to CMMI)

- Stakeholder Engagement Plan – March 30
- Quarterly Activity Reports – May, August and November
- Operational Plan – December 1



## SIM Partners



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# Resources

Website:

<http://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/about/state-innovation-models>

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