PITTSBURGH MERCY: COMPREHENSIVE INTEGRATED CARE

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AN ENHANCED MEDICAL HOME MODEL FOR THE SMI POPULATION



- Comprehensive Care
- Patient Centered Care
- Coordinated Care
- Accessible Services
- Quality and Safety
- Plus 1: Longer and more frequent visits
- Plus 2: Specialized Training for the Team
- Plus 3: Planned and Proactive Communication between the Primary Care team and the Behavioral Health Team

Pittsburgh Mercy Family Health Center

Integrated Primary Care

PMHS Patient Population:

- In 2010, 33,000 individuals were receiving BH or ID care at PMHS 50% were not receiving *any* routine primary care
- Chronic co-occurring SMI and medically complex with high risk social determinants
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Replicating the ACT Model in Primary Care

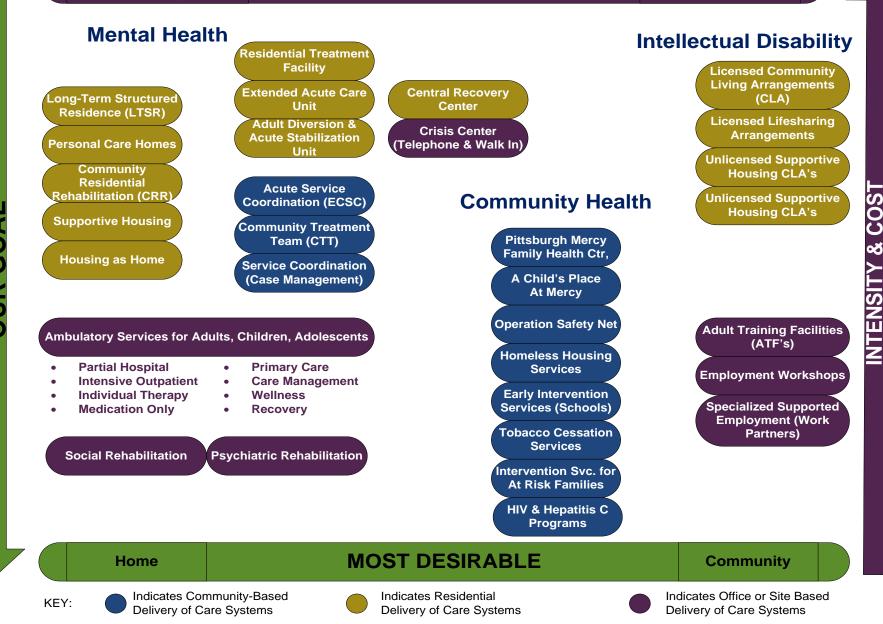
- Highly engaging team meets the patient where they are in their lives
- Multidisciplinary and cross-community
- Rapid review of highest risk patients for enhance case management

Reverse Integration

 Community Mental Health Center embedding Primary Care within its programs

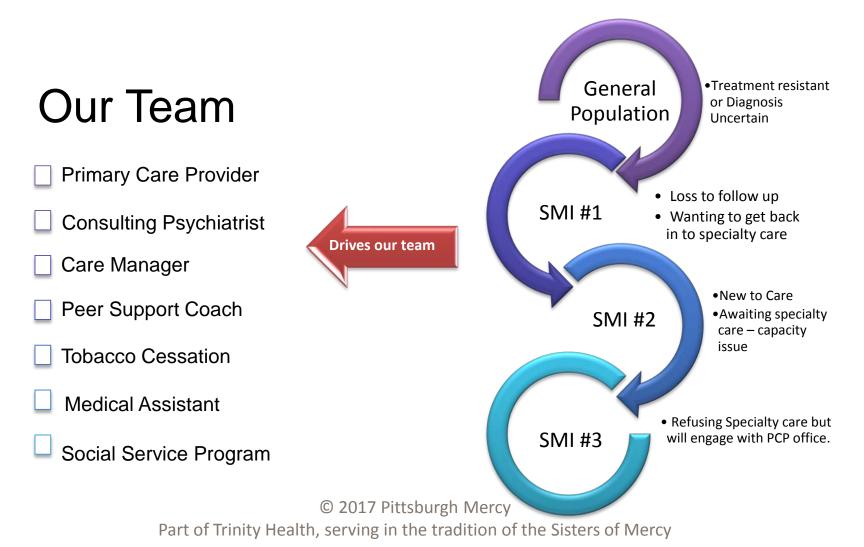
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Jail or the Street





TEAM BASED POPULATION MANAGEMENT



HOW DOES PRIMARY CARE VIEW ADDICTION?

- Disease
- Chronic and relapsing
- Targets the brain
- Affects motivation, inhibition, and cognition
- Large (50%) genetic component
- Influenced greatly by comorbid psychiatric disorders
- Treatment modalities are polymorphic
- Prognosis is heavily dependent on social supports, premorbid status and access to care





TREATMENT OPTIONS

- Tincture of time
- Inpatient detox
- Residential treatment
- 12 step and abstinence based treatment
- Intensive outpatient treatment
- Family based therapy
- Treatment of co occurring mental illness
- Medication Assisted Treatment



MEDICATION ASSISTED TREATMENT

Primary Care and Behavioral Health Integration







Primary Care Screening, Assessment and Dosing

- Physical Assessment
- Drug Screening
- Dosing of Buprenorphine

Coordinated Care Management

- Induction
- Risk Assessments
- Prior Authorization
- Monitoring Compliance
- Social Service Referrals



Concurrent Behavioral Health Treatment

- Counseling and behavioral therapy
- Evidence based
- Treating mental illness

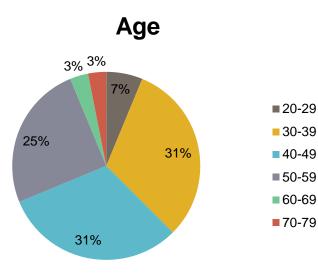
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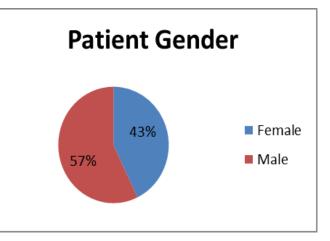
- Active PMFHC patient above age 18, <u>or</u>
 willing to change to PMFHC as PCP
- Opiate Use Disorder Diagnosis with current opioid dependence moderate to mild in nature
- Contemplation or Active stage of Treatment
 - Interested in treatment
 - Compliant with daily medications
 - Currently in outpatient/CTT/IDDT treatment
 - Adequate social and recovery supports
 - Able to be adherent to treatment plans

- Currently not receiving methadone
- Not dependent on CNS depressants, including benzodiazepines and alcohol, or be willing to taper these medications.
- □ No previous allergy to buprenorphine
- □ Willing to submit a UDS
- Willing to sign releases for all current treatment providers
- Would be better served by a MAT program integrated with community and mental health services

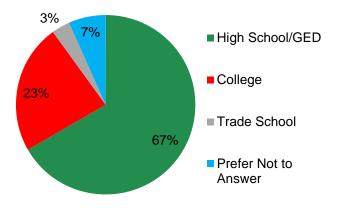
How to refer: Kristi Seemiller, SUD Care Coordinator Kseemiller@pittsburghmercy.org or call 412-390-2583



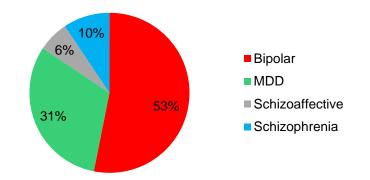




Level of Education

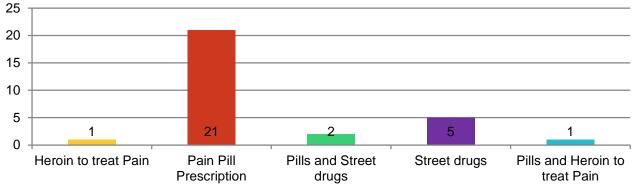


Mental Health Diagnosis

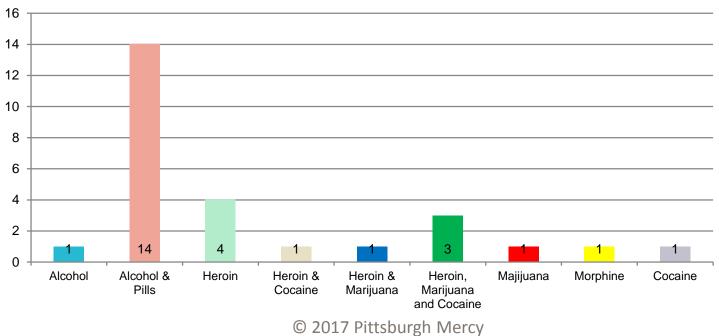




How did you begin opiate use?



Drug of Choice



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IS IT WORKING?

- Cassie: 36 years old, white, female
 - PCP was retiring so she needed a new provider
 - Had two teenage children who were removed from her home based on her substance use and pending legal charges
 - Housing was unstable based on her legal involvement
 - Mental health symptoms were increased due to stress of above issues; taking benzodiazepines for anxiety
 - Continued use of cocaine
 - □ After 6 months:
 - Children were returned to her home with minimal ongoing CYF involvement
 - ✓ Housing stabilized through support of numerous systems
 - Active engagement in individual therapy with appropriate management of mental health symptoms
 - ✓ Tapered completely off of benzodiazepines
 - Clean drug screens for over 90 days, moved to monthly appointments for MAT

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CARE COORDINATION NEEDS

Care Coordination is essential to effectively provide enhanced primary care for comorbid patients with substance use concerns.

Care Coordination is currently not reimbursable and labor intensive

Areas that could increase the effectiveness and efficiency of Care Coordination include

- Supplement care management cost structurally
- Continue Medicaid Expansion and ensure insurance coverage to those in need.
- Continue to expand the reduction of the prior authorization process
- Expand coverage to alternative treatment methods
- Expand treatment options and accessibility for residential and housing options.



DISCUSSION