

MISSION: Established in 2007, the Milwaukee Health Care Partnership (MHCP) is a public/private consortium dedicated to improving health care for low income, underserved populations in Milwaukee County with the aim of improving health outcomes, advancing health equity and lowering the total cost of care.

	COVERAGE	ACCESS	CARE COORDINATION	COMMUNITY HEALTH
	GOAL: Secure and retain adequate and affordable health insurance for all	GOAL: Increase availability, accessibility and acceptability of health care services	GOAL: Enhance care coordination/navigation within and across the delivery system	GOAL: Identify and address targeted community health needs
SPONSOR	<p>Insurance Outreach and Enrollment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase and Maintain Enrollment in Medicaid, Marketplace and Other Insurance Options and Improve Health Insurance Literacy * (MKEN/CWI) Support Local Implementation of Medicaid Eligibility and Enrollment Reforms (MKEN/CWI/DHS) 	<p>Primary Care Capacity Building</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support Implementation of FQHC Capacity Building Plan Priorities * (WPHCA) Continue to Enhance Select Free and Charitable Clinic Capabilities (FC3) Support Health System Medicaid Access Strategies <p>Specialty Access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuously Improve the Specialty Access for Uninsured Program * <p>Behavioral Health Access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve Access and Navigation to Mental and Behavioral Health Services for Adults and Youth * (BHD) Support Implementation of the Psychiatric Crisis Services Redesign, including Emergency Services * (BHD) 	<p>ED Care Coordination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuously Improve Cross-System ED Diversion and Transition Care Management with a Focus on Frequent Users * (MCOs/MHD) <p>Patient Navigation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve Health and Social Service Connections via Community Screening and Referral System to Address Social Determinants (IMPACT) Continuously Improve Housing Navigation Services for Homeless and At-Risk Patients * (MCHD) <p>Health Information Exchange</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optimize EHR and HIE Capabilities to Improve Access and Enhance Connections (WISHIN/P-PING/MYHD) 	<p>Community Health Needs Assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct Triennial CHNA and Facilitate Cross-organizational Health Improvement Planning Promote and Continuously Improve Health Compass Milwaukee Utilization (PHC) <p>Community Investments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuously Improve Shared Community Investment Fund and Health Improvement Fund Alignment and Accountability (UWGMWC) <p>COVID-19 Mitigation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordinate Ongoing Health Care Sector COVID Response (PHC)
PARTICIPATE	<p>Medicaid Policy /Program Reform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inform Medicaid Policy and Program Reforms (WHA/WPHCA) Support Communication and Local Implementation of DHS Policy and Regulatory Changes (DHS) 	<p>Oral Health Access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to Improve Oral Health Access and Service Connections * (CHA) <p>Workforce Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inform and Support Health Care Career Pathways and Recruitment / Retention Strategies with a Focus on Under-represented Populations (MAC/CHC) Support the Development of FQHC Teaching Health Centers 	<p>Medical Home Care Coordination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote and Continuously Improve Primary Care-Based Health and Social Resource Navigation Capacity (MCOs) <p>Emergency Transportation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support improvement of County-wide EMS Policies and Practices (OEM) Participate in Evaluation of Alternative Emergency Transport Pilot Programs 	<p>Immunization</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support Cross-sector Vaccination Access and Promotion <p>Violence Prevention</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Implement and Measure Impact of Health Care Sector Violence Prevention and Intervention Initiatives * (OVP) <p>Health Care Anchor Institutions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support and Monitor Health Care Workforce and Procurement Strategies (MAC)
MONITOR	<p>Payment Reform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monitor and Inform Medicaid Payment and Managed Care Reforms (WHA/WPHCA) <p>Marketplace Reform</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Track Marketplace and Other Private Health Insurance Reforms (WHA/WPHCA) 	<p>Telehealth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to Monitor and Leverage Telemedicine Services and Reimbursement <p>Medication Access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support Drug Assistant and other Medication / Vaccine Access programs (FQHCs/FC3/MHD) 	<p>Medical Transport</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monitor Medicaid Transportation Policies and Practices (DHS) 	<p>Public Health Improvement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monitor and Support Local Public Health Priorities as Advanced by MHD and the Public Health Collaborative (PHC) <p>School-based Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monitor Community Schools Plan (UWGMWC)

LEVELS OF ENGAGEMENT

The Milwaukee Health Care Partnership's annual plan advances its mission through:

- initiatives that it directly **sponsors** and leads
- programs led by other organizations in which it **participates**, and may provide financial or in-kind support
- activities led by others that it **monitors** and may influence, for improved health outcomes and policy advancement

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

In addition to members' operational support, the Partnership leverages and aligns funding to advance its priorities of coverage, access, care coordination and community health through:

Shared Community Investment Fund (SCIF)

Strategic investments with community partners, supported by annual health system contributions. The SCIF represents health systems' pooled resources in addition to their individual community benefit commitments.

Health Improvement Fund (HIF)

A United Way of Greater Milwaukee and Waukesha County designated fund that supports organizations providing health care and enabling services for low-income, underserved populations in Milwaukee county, with the aim of improving health outcomes and reducing disparities.

Extramural Funding

Grants secured by the Partnership from foundations and corporations that support its sponsored programs, such as housing navigation, health information exchange and enrollment outreach/education.

MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS

Health Systems:

Advocate Aurora Health
Ascension Wisconsin
Children's Wisconsin
Froedtert Health

Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs):

Gerald L. Ignace Indian Health Center
Milwaukee Health Services, Inc.
Outreach Community Health Centers
Progressive Community Health Centers
Sixteenth Street Community Health Centers

MCW Medical College of Wisconsin
DHS Wisconsin Department of Health Services
DHHS Milwaukee County Department of Health & Human Services
MHD City of Milwaukee Health Department

PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

BHD Milwaukee County Behavioral Health Division
CHA Children's Health Alliance
CHC Center for Healthcare Careers
CWI Covering Wisconsin, Inc.
FC3 Free and Community Clinic Collaborative
IMPACT IMPACT Connect
MAC Milwaukee Anchor Collaborative
MCHD Milwaukee County Housing Division
MCOs Medicaid Managed Care Organization
MHD Milwaukee Health Department
MKEN Milwaukee Enrollment Network
MYHD MyHealthDirect
OVP Office of Violence Prevention
P-PING Patient Ping
PHC Public Health Collaborative
UWGMWC United Way of Greater Milwaukee and Waukesha County
WHA Wisconsin Hospital Association
WPHCA Wisconsin Primary Health Care Association
WISHIN Wisconsin Statewide Health Information Network