## PARTNERSHIP

# FY 22/23 Plan Priorities

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**

# GOAL: Secure and retain adequate and affordable health insurance for all

# ACCESS

# GOAL: Increase availability, accessability and acceptability of health care services

# CARE COORDINATION COMM

# GOAL: Enhance care coordination/navigation within and across the delivery system

# **COMMUNITY HEALTH**

# GOAL: Identify and address targeted community health needs

#### Insurance Outreach and Enrollment

- 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)

### **Primary Care Capacity Building**

- Support implementation of FQHC Capacity Building Plan including HIT, workforce development and shared program/service expansion (WPHCA)
- Continue to Enhance Select Free and Charitable Clinic Capabilities for uninsured (FC3)

### **Specialty Access**

 Continuously Improve the Specialty Access for Uninsured Program \*

#### **Behavioral Health Access**

- Improve Access and Navigation to Behavioral Health Services for Adults and Youth \* (BHS)
- Support Implementation of the Psychiatric Crisis Services Redesign, including the Mental Health Emergency Center \* (BHS)

#### **Patient Care Connection**

 Advance and continuously improve programs and services to reduce avoidable ED and IP utilization and connect patients to ongoing care, including the ED to Medical Home Program \*

### **Housing Screening and Connections**

 Continuously improve and expand housing navigation and subsidies for homeless and at-risk patients and families, including the Housing is Health Program \* (MCHS/IMPACT)

#### **Health Information Technology**

 Optimize HIT and HIE capabilities to improve access, create efficiencies and enhance care coordination

### **Community Health Needs Assessment**

- Facilitate cross-organization and inter-sector health improvement planning informed by CHNA and MHCP plan
- Promote and continuously improve the value and utilization of Health Compass Milwaukee

#### **Community Investments**

 Continuously Improve Shared Community Investment Fund and the Health Improvement Fund Alignment and Impact (UWGMWC)

#### **Consumer Health Outreach & Education**

 Use HealthyMKE and other communication channels to inform, educate and connect consumers and mobilizers to health care resources (IPR)

### Medicaid Policy /Program Reform

- Inform Medicaid Policy and Program Reforms (WHA/WPHCA)
- Support Communication and Local Implementation of DHS Policy and Regulatory Changes (DHS)

#### **Oral Health Access**

• Continue to Improve Oral Health Access and Service Connections \* (CHA)

#### **Workforce Development**

 Support workforce pipeline and residency program enhancements, including Teaching Health Centers, and regulatory reforms with a focus on diversity and inclusion (WHA/ WPHCA/CHC)

# **Determinants of Health Screening** and Navigation

 Strengthen relationships with communitybased organizations and enhance social needs screening and navigation for at risk populations (IMPACT)

#### Immunization Improvement

 Support cross-sector vaccination access and outreach with a focus on flu and pediatric vaccination (IM)

#### **Violence Prevention**

 Implement and Measure Impact of Health Care Sector Violence Prevention and Intervention Initiatives \* (OVP/CIC/MHD)

#### **COVID-19 Mitigation**

 Continue to coordinate health care sector COVID response activities in collaboration with other sectors (PHC)

#### Policy and Regulatory Reform

 Track state, local and federal health care policy and regulations impacting access and quality of care for vulnerable populations (WHA/WPHCA)

#### **Telehealth**

 Continue to Monitor and Leverage Telemedicine Services and Reimbursement

#### **Medication Access**

 Support Drug Assistant and other Medication / Vaccine Access programs (FQHCs/FC3/MHD)

#### **Mobile Health**

 Inform and support coordination of various mobile health services

### **Medical Transport**

 Monitor Medicaid Transportation Policies and Practices (DHS)

#### **EMS Coordination**

 Support county-wide EMS policies and practices to improve access and outcomes (OEM)

#### **Lead Intervention**

 Collaborate with health departments on lead screening and connection to care (MHD)

#### **Milwaukee Anchor Institutions**

 Monitor health care workforce and procurement strategies (MAC)

#### **School-based Health**

 Monitor community schools and other schoolbased health improvement activities (UWGMWC)

### **SUD Services Assessment**

 Participate in SUD access assessment and consider collaboration opportunities (BHS/ WPF)

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## 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

BHS Milwaukee County

**Behavioral Health Services** 

CHA Children's Health Alliance

CHC Center for Healthcare Careers

CIC MCW Comprehensive Injury Center

CWI Covering Wisconsin, Inc.

FC3 Free and Community Clinic Collaborative

IM Immunize Milwaukee

IMPACT IMPACT Connect

INP INPOWER Solutions, LLC

MAC Milwaukee Anchor Collaborative

MCHS Milwaukee County Housing Services
MCOs Medicaid Managed Care Organization

MKEN Milwaukee Enrollment Network

OEM Office of Emergency Management

OVP Office of Violence Prevention
PHC Public Health Collaborative

**UWGMWC** United Way of Greater Milwaukee

and Waukesha County

WHA Wisconsin Hospital Association

WPF Wisconsin Policy Forum

WPHCA Wisconsin Primary Health Care

**Association**