

	COVERAGE AND ACCESS	CARE COORDINATION	COMMUNITY HEALTH
	<b>GOAL:</b> Increase availability, accessibility and acceptability of health care programs and services, and ensure underserved individuals secure and maintain adequate and affordable health care coverage	<b>GOAL:</b> Strengthen the health care delivery system through improved coordination, navigation and continuity of care to improve patient outcomes and system efficiency	<b>GOAL:</b> Collaboratively identify and address community health issues for underserved populations
SPONSOR	<b>Health Insurance Outreach and Enrollment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mitigate potential enrollment declines by supporting local awareness and coordinated strategies in response to potential Medicaid changes via the Milwaukee Enrollment Network (MKEN/CWI)</li> <li>Support enrollment in Marketplace and other insurance options via the Milwaukee Enrollment Network (MKEN/CWI)</li> </ul> <b>Primary and Specialty Care Access</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strengthen FQHC capacity to provide comprehensive care as a key component of the health care delivery system (WPHCA)</li> <li>Support uninsured and underinsured adults via the Free and Community Clinic Collaborative (FC3) to ensure access to primary, behavioral health and specialty care</li> <li>Continuous improvement of the Specialty Access for the Uninsured Program through enhanced referral and reporting processes, including the exploration of leveraging Epic solutions</li> <li>Support improved reliability and availability of non-acute medical transport</li> </ul> <b>Mental and Behavioral Health Access</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assess early identification and intervention opportunities to impact upstream drivers of mental health and substance use disorders</li> <li>Improve inpatient and outpatient mental health services for adults and youth</li> <li>Support awareness and optimization of the crisis delivery system and assess the impact of the joint-venture Mental Health Emergency Center (MHEC)</li> </ul>	<b>Connection to Health Care</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increase the number of patients connected to medical, mental health, and substance use disorder services via the Connect to Care Program</li> <li>Assess Connect to Care Program platform improvements, through Epic solutions or other, to improve referral tracking, reporting, bi-directional communication and care transitions for people with complex needs</li> </ul> <b>Housing Screening and Connections</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve housing navigation and flexible financial resources for homeless/at-risk patients and families via the Housing is Health Program</li> </ul>	<b>Community Health Needs Assessment and Planning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Disseminate the 2024 CHNA and participate in plan alignment for collective health improvement initiatives</li> <li>Increase utilization of Health Compass Milwaukee and optimize its functionality through the inclusion of additional key community health data, such as mortality data</li> </ul> <b>Community Investments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve the Shared Community Investment Fund allocation strategies, investments, and impact</li> <li>Support the Mental Health Improvement Fund to facilitate increased pledges and a targeted impact (UWGMWC)</li> </ul>
PARTICIPATE	<b>Oral Health</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve access to prevention, emergency and restorative oral health services for adults and youth (CHA)</li> </ul> <b>Maternal and Child Health</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support the MHD RFP process to assess maternal health coverage, services and programs and to identify collaborative opportunities for improving care delivery and outcomes</li> <li>Participate in cross-sector childhood lead poisoning prevention and intervention initiatives</li> </ul> <b>Health Care Policy and Regulations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inform state and local health care policies, programs and payment reforms and improvements (WHA/WPHCA)</li> </ul>	<b>Immunizations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rebuild the Immunize Milwaukee coalition to support a community-based approach to increase vaccine access and uptake for adults and children</li> </ul>	<b>Violence Prevention and Intervention</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement prioritized health care sector violence prevention and intervention initiatives</li> <li>Support survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault through supportive and advocacy services</li> </ul> <b>Housing Continuum</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in a cross-sector housing strategy to increase access to emergency housing resources for people with co-occurring housing and health care needs</li> </ul>
MONITOR	<b>Federal Health Care Policies, Funding Cuts, Directives</b> <b>Access to Medications/Pharmacy Services</b>	<b>Food Security</b> <b>Mobile Health Resources</b>	<b>Milwaukee Anchor Collaborative (MAC)</b> <b>Public Health Services/Preparedness (PHC)</b>

## LEVELS OF ENGAGEMENT

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

- initiatives that it directly **sponsors** by providing strategic leadership and/or financial and operational resources to design, implement and scale solutions
- programs led by other organizations in which it actively **participates** by contributing health care sector expertise and solutions to advance shared goals, foster alignment and drive collective impact. Engagement may also include financial or in-kind support
- activities and influencing factors it **monitors** to inform current action plans to ensure alignment with emerging needs, opportunities and strategic priorities

## 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.

### Mental Health Improvement Fund (MHIF)

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

Ascension Wisconsin  
Aurora Health Care  
Children's Wisconsin  
Froedtert ThedaCare Health, Inc.

### 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

**CHA** Children's Health Alliance

**CWI** Covering Wisconsin, Inc.

**FC3** Free and Community Clinic Collaborative

**MAC** Milwaukee Anchor Collaborative

**PHC** Public Health Collaborative

**UWGMWC** United Way of Greater Milwaukee & Waukesha County

**WHA** Wisconsin Hospital Association

**WPHCA** Wisconsin Primary Health Care Association

## COMMUNITY AND PROGRAMMATIC MEASURES

### COVERAGE:

- Uninsured Rate
- Medicaid Enrollment Trends
- Marketplace Enrollment Trends
- Milwaukee Enrollment Network Metrics

### ACCESS:

- Routine Medical Care Trends
- Routine Dental Care Trends
- ED Rate Due to Mental Health
- Specialty Access for the Uninsured Program Metrics

### CARE COORDINATION:

- Preventable ED Utilization Rates
- Connect to Care Program Metrics
- Housing is Health Program Metrics

### COMMUNITY HEALTH:

- Life Expectancy Rates
- Self-Reported Poor Mental Health Trends
- Shared Community Investment Fund Metrics
- Mental Health Improvement Fund Metrics

\*More detail on the MHCP sponsored program community measures and program metrics can be found at [mkehcp.org](https://mkehcp.org)