



INVITATION TO Strengthen Your PRIMARY CARE MEDICAL HOME Gain Skills within A Learning Collaborative!

Indiana's Community Integrated Systems of Services Project

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH)/Integrated Community Services (ICS) Program is developing a **Medical Home Learning Collaborative** to help improve care for Children & Youth with Special Health Care Needs (CYSHCN) in the state of Indiana. This project is the result of an award from HRSA's State Implementation Grants for Integrated Community Systems for CYSHCN. We are recruiting 12 community-based primary care practices for a 3-year commitment from across the state to participate in the Collaborative.

What will your practice gain from participating?

- Step ahead in understanding Medical Home Coding and Billing
- Position your practice to be ready for enhanced reimbursement
- Move ahead in using the model put forth in every Health Care Reform Bill
- Train in quality improvement strategies to improve your practice and fulfill requirements for your Maintenance of Certification
- Obtain measurable improvements in the quality of care delivered:
 - Improved access and clinical quality outcomes
 - Improved efficiency in clinic operations
 - Access to tools for transitioning youth with special health care needs to adult healthcare
 - Higher patient satisfaction
 - Improved provider satisfaction
- Recognition as a leader in the state through delivery of best-practice examples
- Assistance strengthening your medical home model of primary care
- Tools for your practice purchased through the learning collaborative to support your QI efforts
- Stipends for family & youth participants engaged on the practice teams

As a member of the Medical Home Learning Collaborative, what will your clinic/organization team do?

- Form a quality improvement practice 'team' (consisting of at least 1 physician, 2-3 practice/clinic staff and a parent or family member of a child in your practice) to meet regularly to evaluate and take steps to improve your current practice.
- Develop and implement quality improvement activities by engaging in Plan, Do, Study, Act Cycles that create, measure and correct change in an easy, ongoing fashion.
- Learn from each other in group monthly Conference Calls to share successes and challenges experienced in implementing change within your busy practices. Attend a full-day annual CME training meeting each year over the 3 year time span of the grant.

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