

Population Health Alliance



- PHA is the industry's only multi-stakeholder professional and trade association solely focused on population health management.
- PHA members run the range of entities from across the healthcare ecosystem, which seek to improve health outcomes, optimize the consumer and provider experience and drive affordability:
 - health systems
 - health plans
 - employer solutions
 - academia
 - biopharma
 - tech companies
- **Next Upcoming Event: Health and Racial Equity Course**
The virtual trainings will be held over four 2-hour sessions on consecutive Fridays this fall from 1:00pm to 3:00pm EDT.
Starting Friday, September 17



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CareSignal®

Deviceless Remote Patient Monitoring



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HEALTH
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The Promise of Population Health

Driving Value Based Care Success with
Scalable, Equitable, and Impactful Remote Monitoring

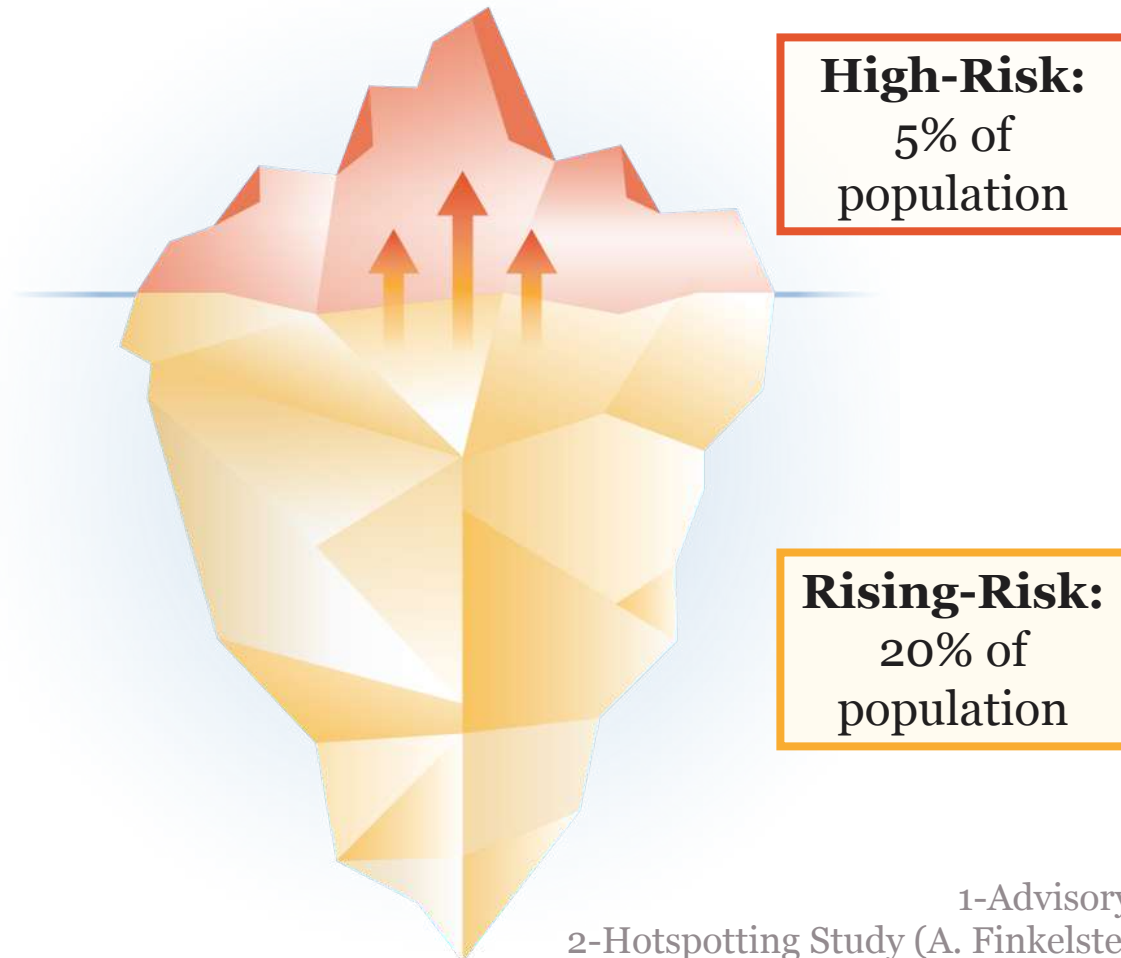
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The Myth of Population Health: High-Risk ≠ High ROI

Focusing on Just the High-Risk Patients Does Not Change Medical Costs

Each year, 1 in 5 of **rising-risk** patients become expensive, **high-risk** patients¹




The NEW ENGLAND
JOURNAL of MEDICINE

*Our findings may also reflect fundamental challenges with the strategy of targeting superutilizers: **many patients whose medical costs are high today will not be as high in the future.***²

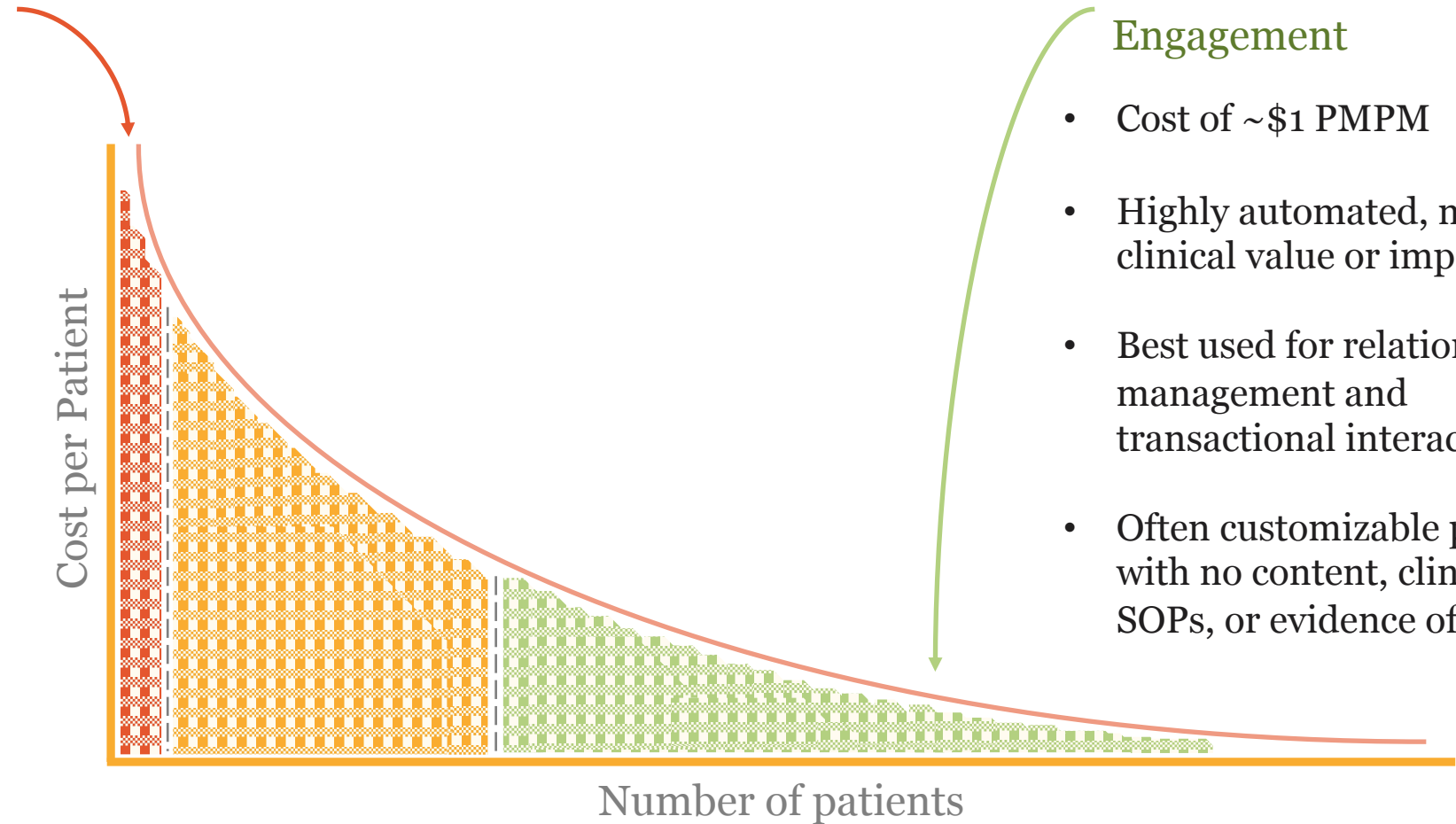
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- Often only feasible when billed
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- Often customizable platforms with no content, clinical logic, SOPs, or evidence of efficacy



Problem With Traditional Device-Based RPM

Executives cite the following as barriers to RPM

- ❌ **Large Upfront Investment** Hardware is expensive; short-term monitoring and engagement only
- ❌ **Not Scalable** Reserved for super utilizers; rising-risk go unmonitored
- ❌ **Poor Adoption** Unused devices still incurring fees & time-intensive enrollment processes
- ❌ **Low Accessibility** Technology disparities increase the digital divide leaving patients behind
- ❌ **Costly Staffing & Logistics** Nurses fixing connection issues, training patients, collecting devices
- ❌ **Only Biometric Collection** Vitals only, not holistic care (e.g. Behavioral Health)
- ❌ **Patient Copays** Engagement drops to <10% with \$20+ co-pay

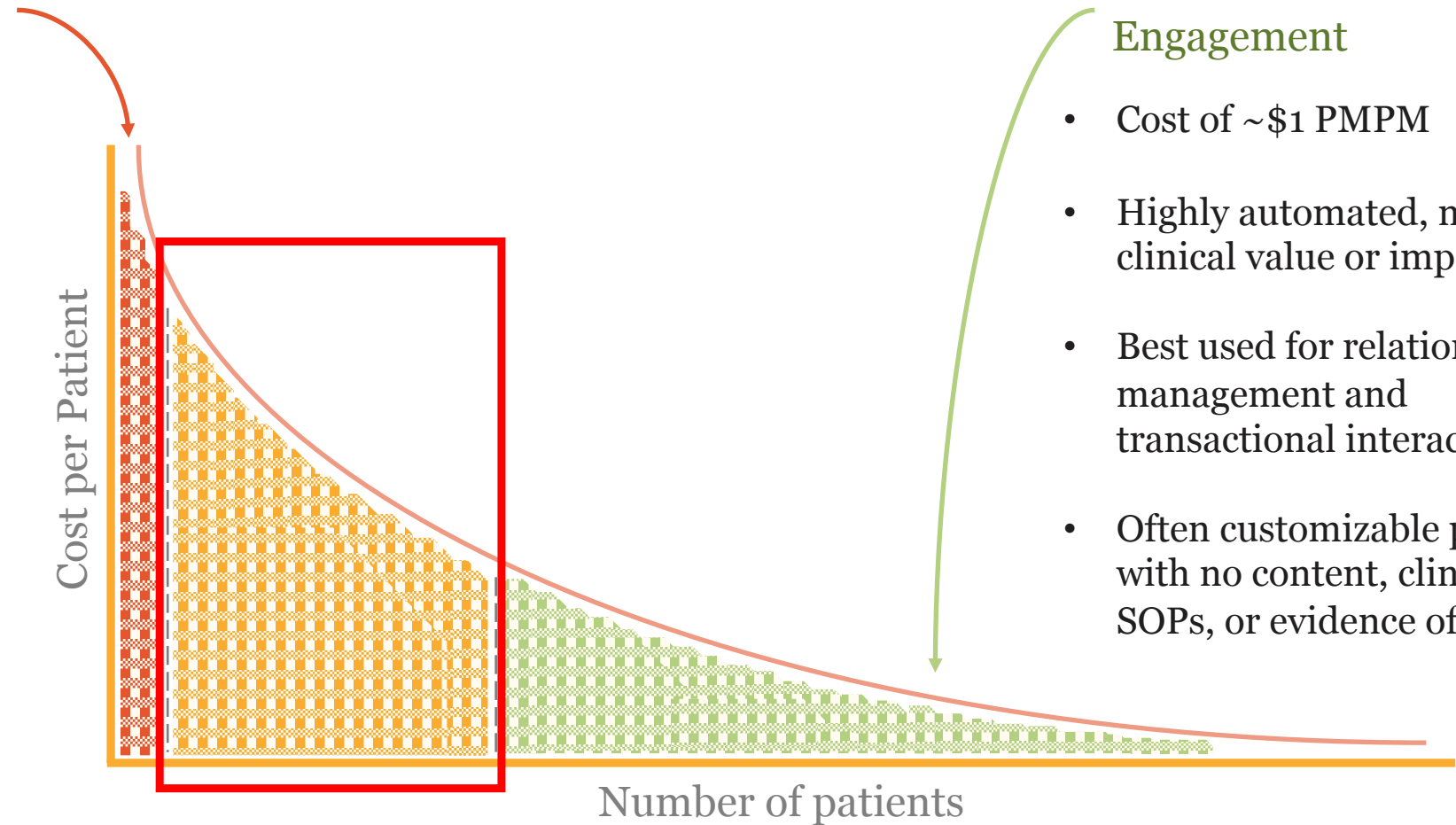
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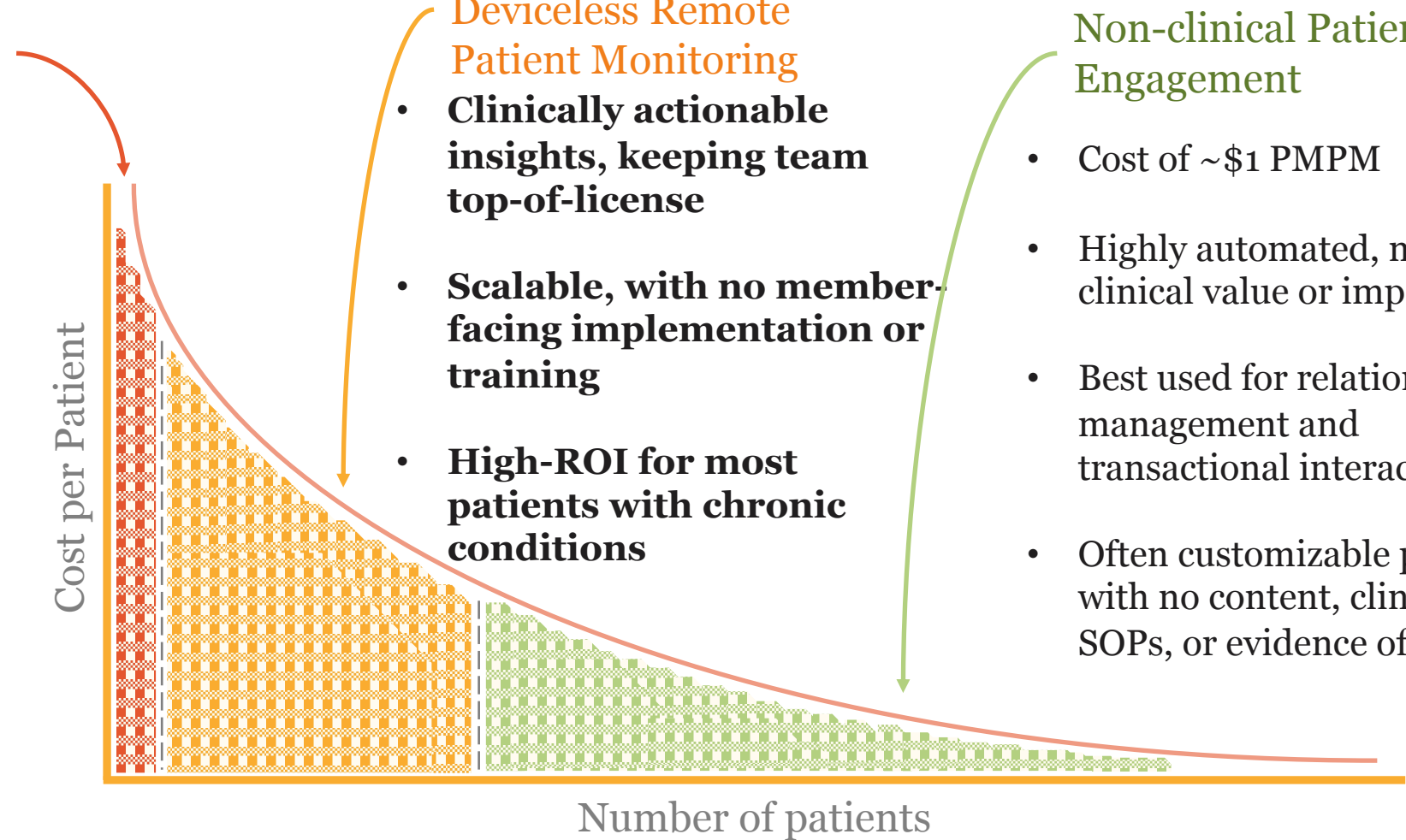
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Deviceless Remote Patient Monitoring

- **Clinically actionable insights, keeping team top-of-license**
- **Scalable, with no member-facing implementation or training**
- **High-ROI for most patients with chronic conditions**

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Solution: Deviceless Remote Patient Monitoring

Affordable | Accessible | Scalable



No new devices required

No apps, downloads, or passwords



Accessible for all patients

Promote & elevate health equity

verizon

T-Mobile

Sprint

AT&T

boost
mobile

metro
by T-Mobile



Clinically validated

13+ Peer Reviewed Publications



Engagement powered by AI

Predict & prevent drop-off



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CareSignal Programs

30+ Evidence-Based Programs | One Portfolio

Chronic Conditions

- Heart Failure
- COPD
- Diabetes
- Hypertension
- Asthma

Behavioral Health

- Depression
- Anxiety
- Substance Use
- Opioid Management
- Caregiver Support

Specialty Support

- SDoH
- Maternal Health
- Dialysis
- Surgery

Post Discharge

- Post Discharge
- General Medical
- Vital Signs
- Pneumonia

Care Coordination

- Screening Reminders
- Appointment Reminders
- Referral

General Programs

- COVID Suite
- Influenza
- Fall Risk
- Wellness
- Medication Adherence

Adjustable
Alert
Thresholds

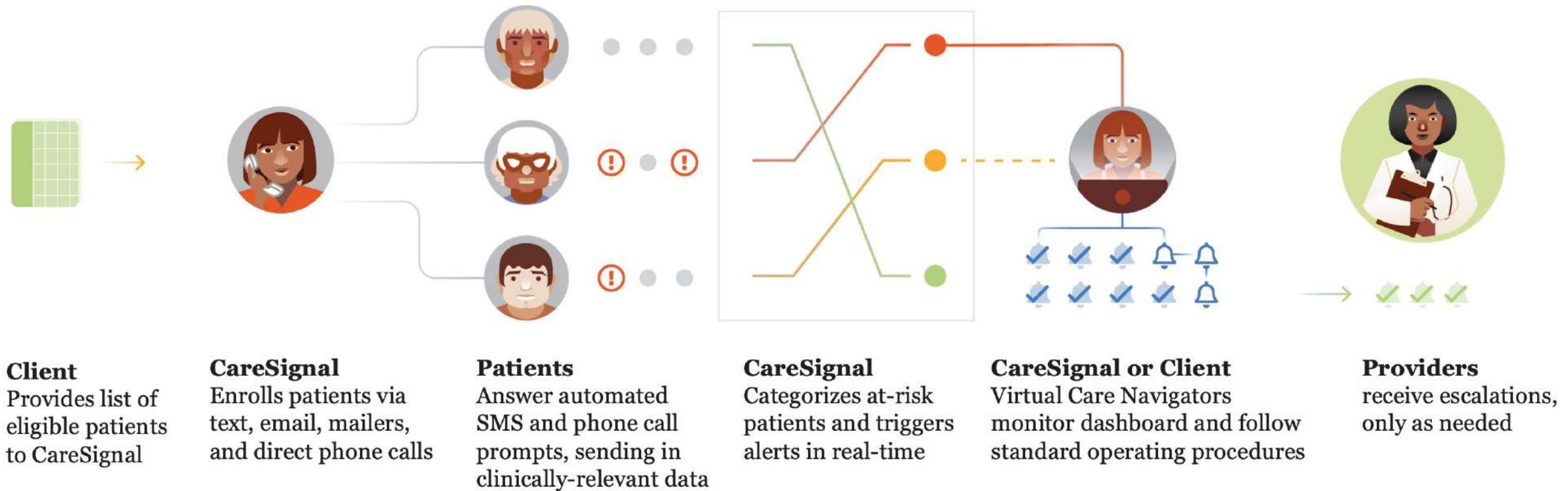
Smart
Schedule
Frequency

Clinically
Validated
Content

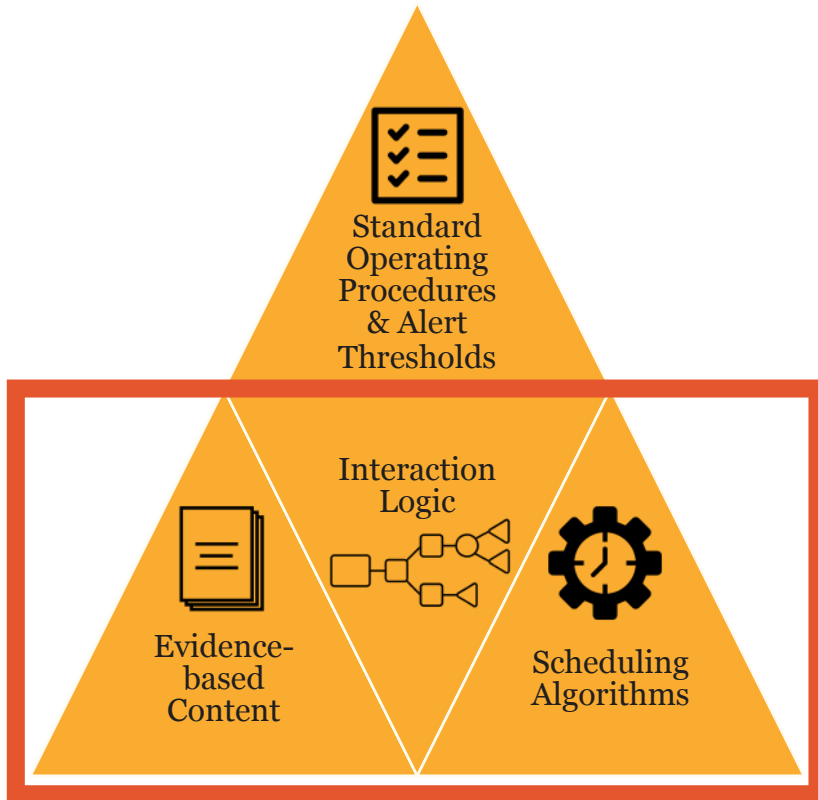
Standard
Operating
Procedures

CareSignal Patient Journey

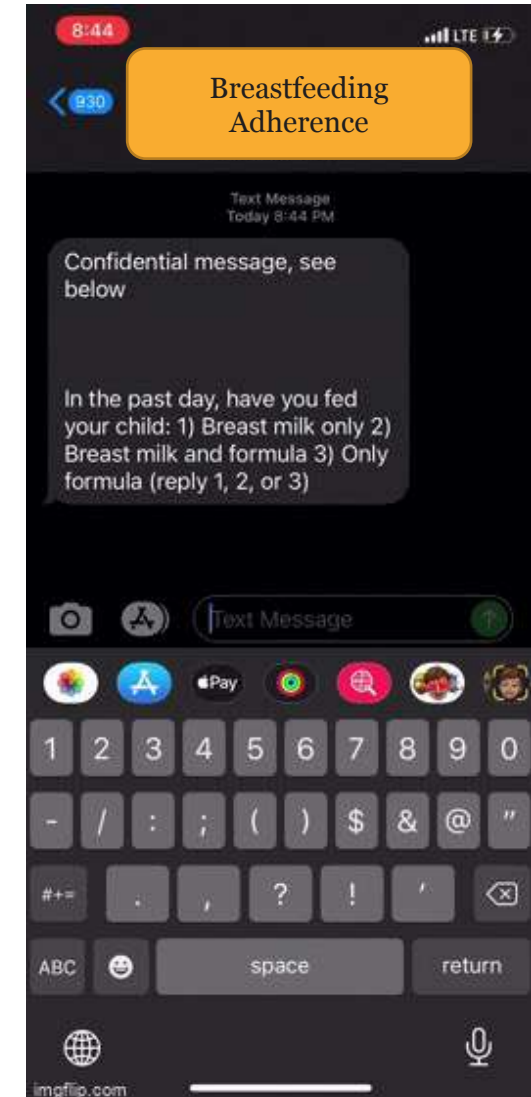
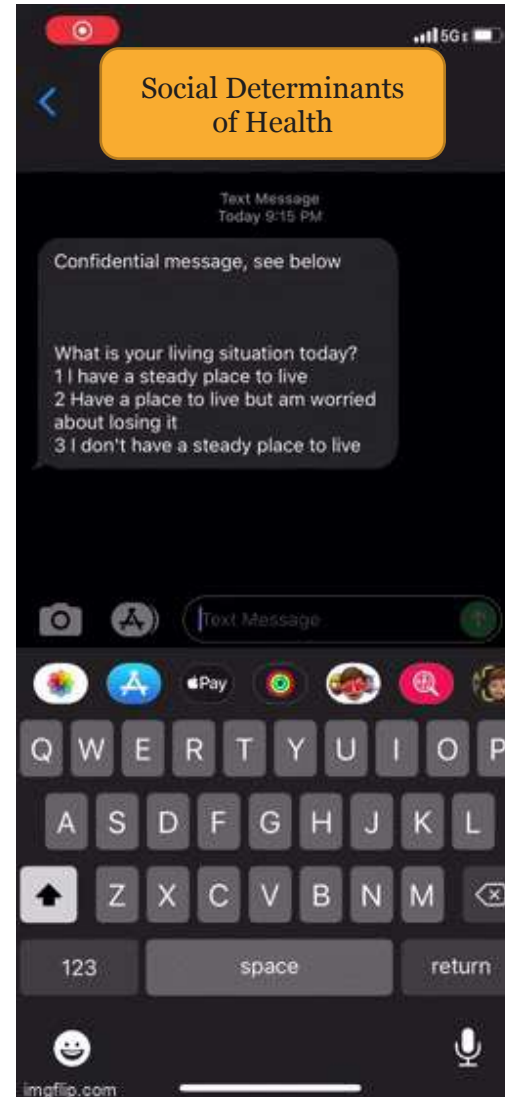
Supportive Services to Ensure Success



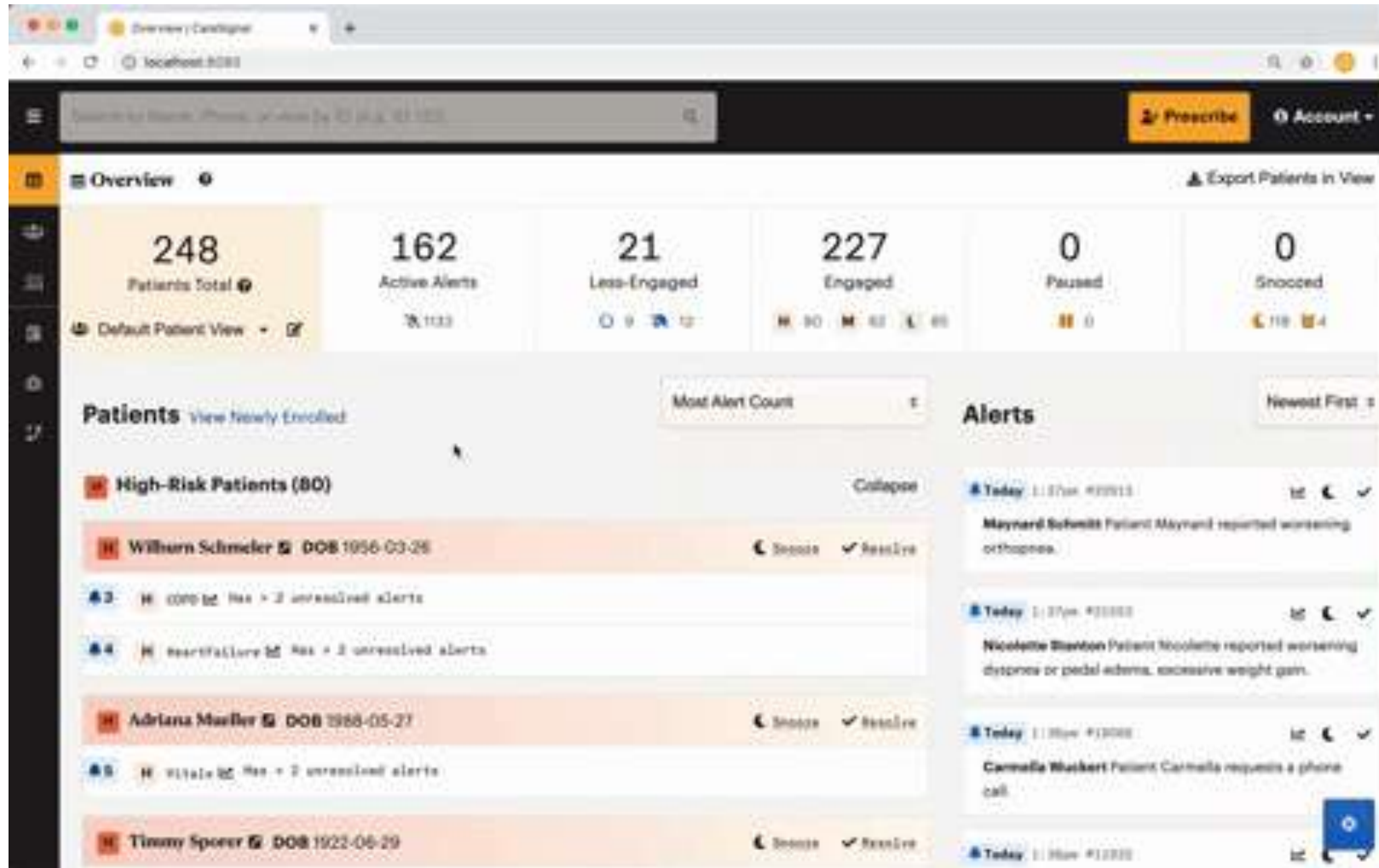
Accessible, Condition-specific Patient Experience



Want to try it? Use your camera app:

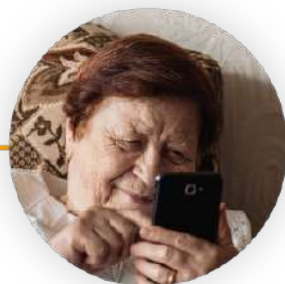


Real-time, Population-level Visibility & Actionability



Deviceless RPM: Chronic, Behavioral, SDOH, & More

Deviceless RPM



Quantitative Patient-Reported Biometrics



Blood Sugar, Blood Pressure, Weight

Qualitative Symptomatology

Chronic Conditions



Breathing, Swelling, Dizziness

Behavioral Health



Feeling Low Mood

Maternal Health



Trouble Breastfeeding

Social Determinants of Health



Help Finding Food Next Month

Device-Based RPM



Blood Sugar, Blood Pressure, Weight

Chronic Conditions



Behavioral Health



Maternal Health



Social Determinants of Health



*Addressing SDOH and behavioral needs can result in annual savings **>\$2,400 per patient**¹*



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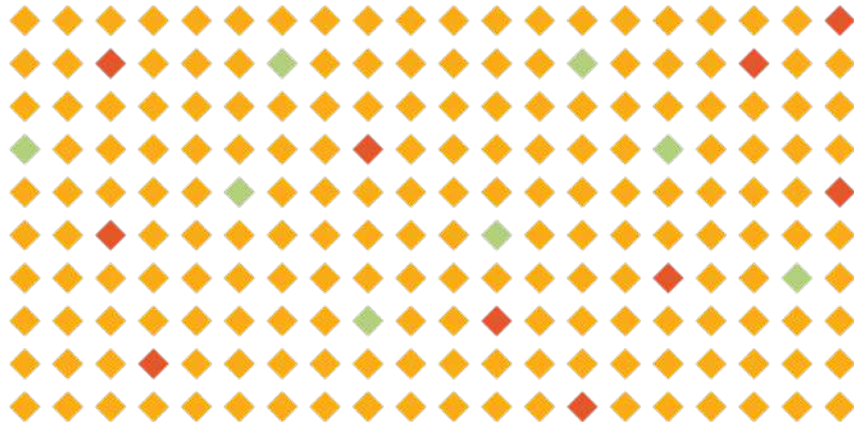
Drive Scalable, Top-of-License, Population-level Care Management with Real-time Insights

Manual outbound outreach
limits impact and efficiency



Automated inbound insights drive
top-of-license, high-impact, scalable care

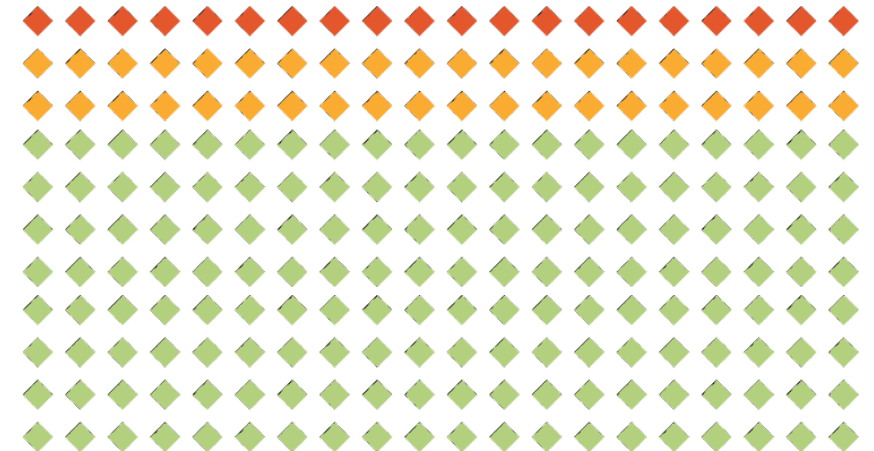
15 Care Managers : 1,500 Patients



1 Care Manager : 1,500 Patients



Real-Time
Alerts



CareSignal Results

Proven Clinical & Financial Outcomes

13+ Publications
in Peer-Reviewed Medical Journals



62% decrease
in hospitalizations
for patients with COPD



46% decrease in CHF
ED visits



1.15% drop in HbA1c
over 4 months



50% improvement in
blood pressure
control over 12 weeks



28% drop in PHQ-9
for patients with
depression



>2.1x increase in
follow-up appointment
adherence

*Annual Medical Cost Reduction
for every 1,000 patients enrolled*

COPD

\$850k

CHF

\$3.7M

Diabetes

\$625k

Hypertension

\$500k

Depression

\$2.6M

Post-Discharge

\$300k



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Case Study



Traditional Care Manager, RN · 30 High-Risk Patients



Hub and Spoke, MA · 300 Rising-Risk Patients



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Advancing High Performance Health

“CareSignal has created a technology that is simple to implement and produces a quick and sustainable impact on patient care. CareSignal allows Mercy to expand our ability to support patients with chronic conditions using a technology-first approach that allows nurse care managers to intervene when patients most need help.

Without this technology, nurses spent considerable time reaching out to patients in non-value-added activities that limited their ability to respond to patients at the right time. Now with smart technology, we can systematically reach out and connect with more patients on a routine basis and utilize our nurses to intervene when patients are beginning to have worsening symptoms.

This leads to a better patient experience, more targeted care management intervention, improved medication adherence, reduction in avoidable emergency department visits, and improved care manager and provider satisfaction.”

- Mary Laubinger
Vice President, Population Health Navigation



Heart
Failure

POPULATION

Employees diagnosed with CHF and a history of CHF-related ED visits prior to starting the intervention

CLINICAL OUTCOME

59%

reduction in CHF ED visits

HIGH LONGITUDINAL PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

57%

of patients were engaged
at three months

33%

of patients were engaged
at six months

FINANCIAL OUTCOME

-\$848.20

per member per month



COPD

POPULATION

Employees diagnosed with COPD and a history of COPD-related ED visits prior to starting the intervention

CLINICAL OUTCOME

30%

reduction in COPD ED visits

HIGH LONGITUDINAL PATIENT ENGAGEMENT

54%

of patients were engaged
at three months

39%

of patients were engaged
at six months

FINANCIAL OUTCOME

-\$193.85

per member per month



Diabetes

POPULATION

Employees diagnosed with diabetes

CLINICAL OUTCOME

2.03%

average reduction in HbA1c¹

HIGH LONGITUDINAL PATIENT ENGAGEMENT²

89%

of patients were engaged
at three months

78%

of patients were engaged
at six months

FINANCIAL OUTCOME

-\$200.71

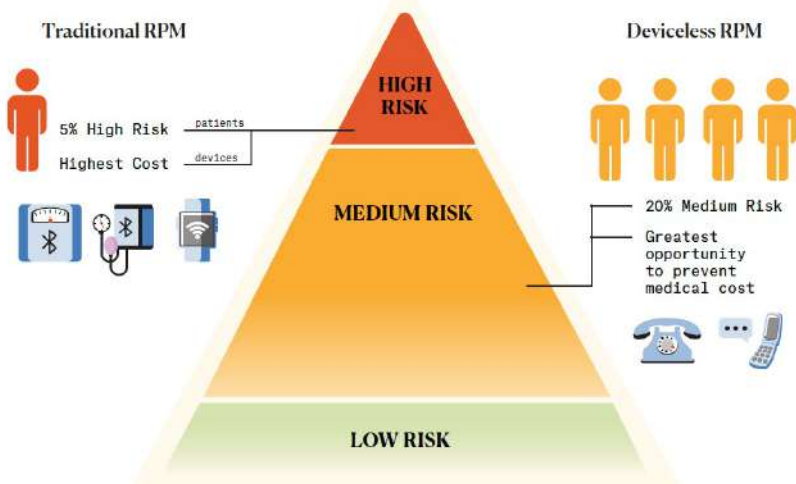
per member per month

Mercy presented outcomes at 2020 AMGA Conference



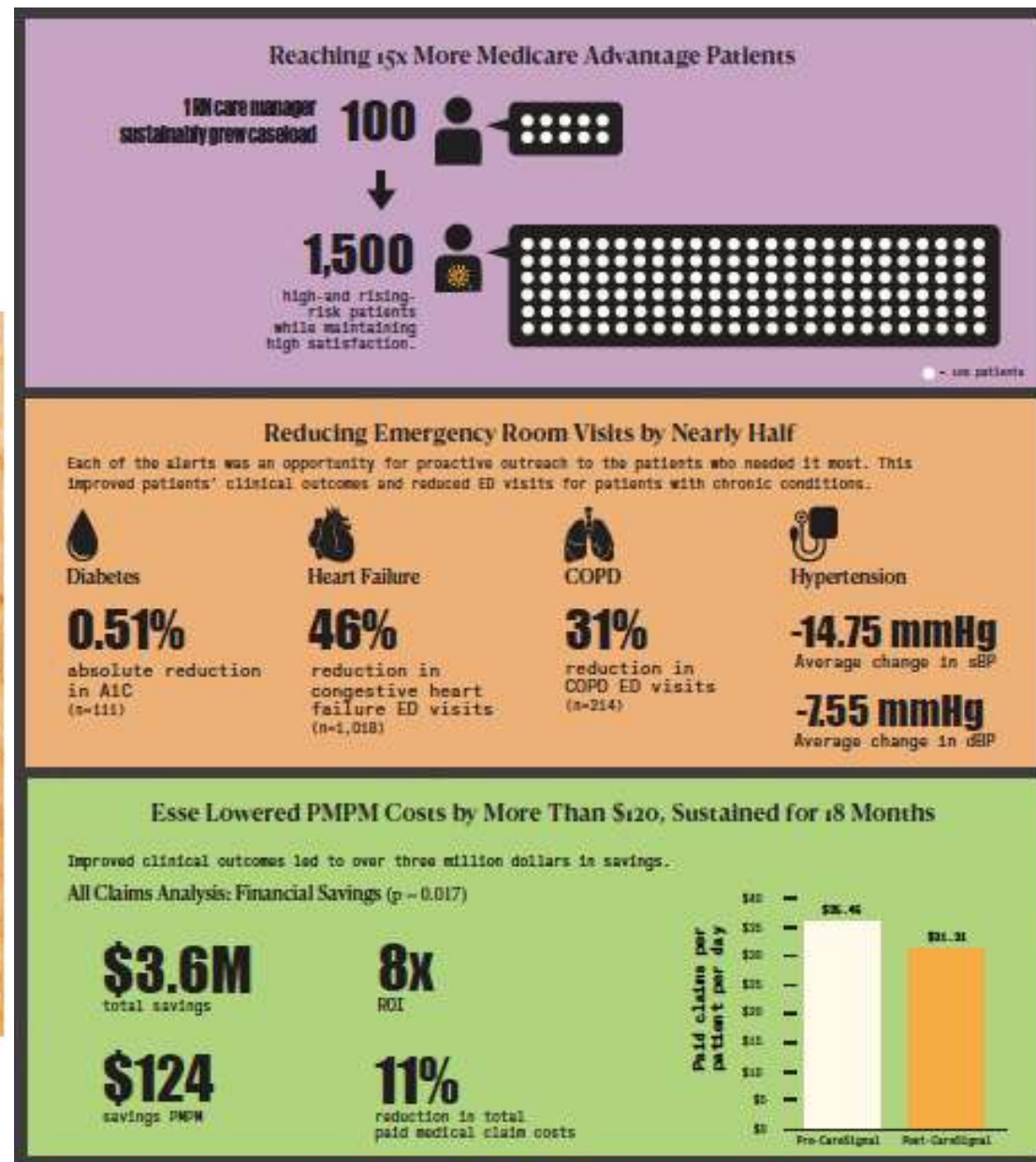
Case Study

Deviceless Remote Patient Monitoring Scales to Rising-Risk Patients at a Fraction of the Cost of Device-Based RPM



"Now we've been able to wrap our hands around a whole group of people who otherwise might not have gotten all those touches that they received with the platform. We've been able to scale the outreach dramatically without an increase in staff, and that's really important. High-risk care management is inherently a reactive model. By extending care management into the rising-risk patients, we are becoming more proactive. Now we can say, 'Hey, there might be a problem developing. Let's reach out to the patient instead of waiting until he goes to the ED.' It's helped us manage rising-risk patients who might not have perceived a need for a care management team before."

— Carla Beckerle
Vice President of Clinical Programs at Esse Health



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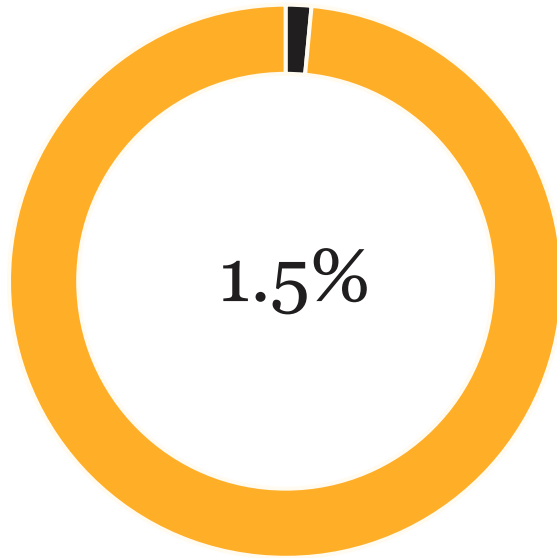
Presented outcomes at 2020 ATA & Abstract Published in Telemedicine and e-Health

CareSignal.AI – Superior Long-term Engagement

AI-driven preventative re-engagement

Leverage CareSignal.AI to Predict and Proactively Prevent Patient Dropoff

Baseline Weekly Dropoff Rate



10,600,000+
days of patient data

Prevents **57%**
of weekly
drop-off

2+ months
additional
engagement

The Technology Behind CareSignal AI

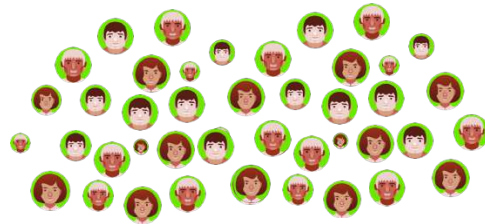
Sophisticated Machine Learning & Artificial Intelligence

To “guess” the right needle would be very inefficient.

Instead, CareSignal looks at millions of historical “haystacks,” each with its own unique pieces of hay



Finding the right patient at the right time for predictive activation or re-engagement is like finding a needle in a haystack.



10,600,000+
days of patient interaction
data & metadata, including
known ground truths



By using the right models, such as **Long Short-term Memory Recurrent Neural Networks, Random Survival Forest, Gradient Boosting + Calibration**, and more, CareSignal AI accurately predicts which patients are actually the “needles” in need of proactive outreach

Finally, CareSignal’s tech-enabled Engagement Specialist team reaches with superhuman accuracy – over 1000% more efficiently than a human could!

That means improved outcomes and reduced utilization:

- Fewer COPD and CHF ED visits
- Improved sustained A1c reduction for members with diabetes
- Faster average decrease in PHQ-9 for patients with depression

Identify the Optimal Population & Model Adoption

Conditions &
Adoption/Retention

Disease-specific ROI
(bottom-up)

Overview & Pricing

	Medicare	Commercial	Self-Insured Employees	Medicaid	
At-risk Lives	6,326	0	0	0	Total Patients
Shared Savings %	50%	30%	100%	10%	6,326
Prevalence Rates					Blended Shared Savings
COPD	11.6%	2.4%	2.4%	12.4%	50%
CHF	14.5%	1.5%	1.5%	10.3%	
Diabetes	27.4%	4.3%	4.3%	26.6%	
Hypertension	59.9%	17.0%	17.0%	42.6%	
Depression	15.4%	4.3%	4.3%	31.2%	
Patients with Diagnosis					8,148
COPD	734	0	0	0	734
CHF	917	0	0	0	917
Diabetes	1,733	0	0	0	1,733
Hypertension	3,789	0	0	0	3,789
Depression	974	0	0	0	974
Eligible Patients for CareSignal					3,960
COPD	660	0	0	0	660
CHF	826	0	0	0	826
Diabetes	867	0	0	0	867
Hypertension	1,364	0	0	0	1,364
Depression	244	0	0	0	244
Patients Enrolled in CareSignal					1,584
COPD	264	0	0	0	264
CHF	330	0	0	0	330
Diabetes	347	0	0	0	347
Hypertension	546	0	0	0	546
Depression	97	0	0	0	97

Project Clinical Outcomes & Financial Returns

Conditions &
Adoption/Retention

Disease-specific
ROI (bottom-up)

Overview & Pricing



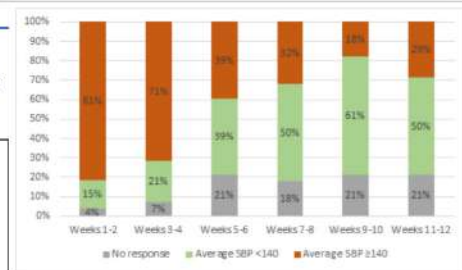
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CareSignal Research and Reference Studies

Condition	Percentage	Metric	Source
COPD	61.70%	Reduction of hospitalizations	SAGE Journals Publication
CHF	46%	Reduction of ED visits	Published Case Study
Diabetes	1.15%	Avg HbA1c drop	JMIR Publication
Hypertension	47%	% of uncontrolled population brought to control	JMIR Publication
Depression	32%	Clinical improvement	Client Case Study

Hypertension Savings

Summary: This model calculates the hypertension ROI by calculating the anticipated reduction in medical costs over a ten year period after a patient is enrolled in Hypertension Intervention. The value is meaningful because peer-reviewed literature by CareSignal has shown accelerated rates to BP control (see graph).



Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) Savings

ED visit reduction

of patients with CHF engaging with CareSignal 330 Calculation

	Inpatient admission	ED without admission	Observation stay	
Percent of ED visits resulted in:	82.1%	11.6%	6.3%	Reference
Average cost per type	\$23,077	\$1,208	\$3,189	Reference

ED visits per 1000 patients per year

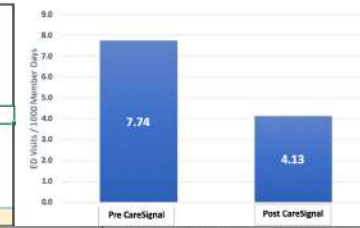
Estimated ED visits 421 [Reference](#)

Reduction of ED risk 139 Calculation

ED visits avoided 64 Calculation

Effective cost per ED visit \$ 19,287.25 Calculation

Annual medical cost saved \$ 1,233,417 Calculation



Mild hypertension (MAP <106 mmHg)

Estimated Annual Savings per patient \$ 524

COPD Savings

Hospitalization Savings

of patients with COPD engaging with CareSignal 264 Calculation

Annual rate of hospitalization 18.4% [Reference](#)

COPD hospitalizations 49 Calculation

Relative reduction of hospitalization risk 61.7% Results from N=168 patient RCT, 6 months (See graph)

New hospitalization rate 7.0% Calculation

Hospitalizations avoided 30 Calculation

Cost per hospitalization \$ 7,500.00 [Reference](#)

Annual medical cost saved \$ 224,933 Calculation

Percentage of patients hospitalized in EpxCOPD vs. Days in Trial



Summarize Condition-specific Value & Total ROI

Conditions &
Adoption/Retention



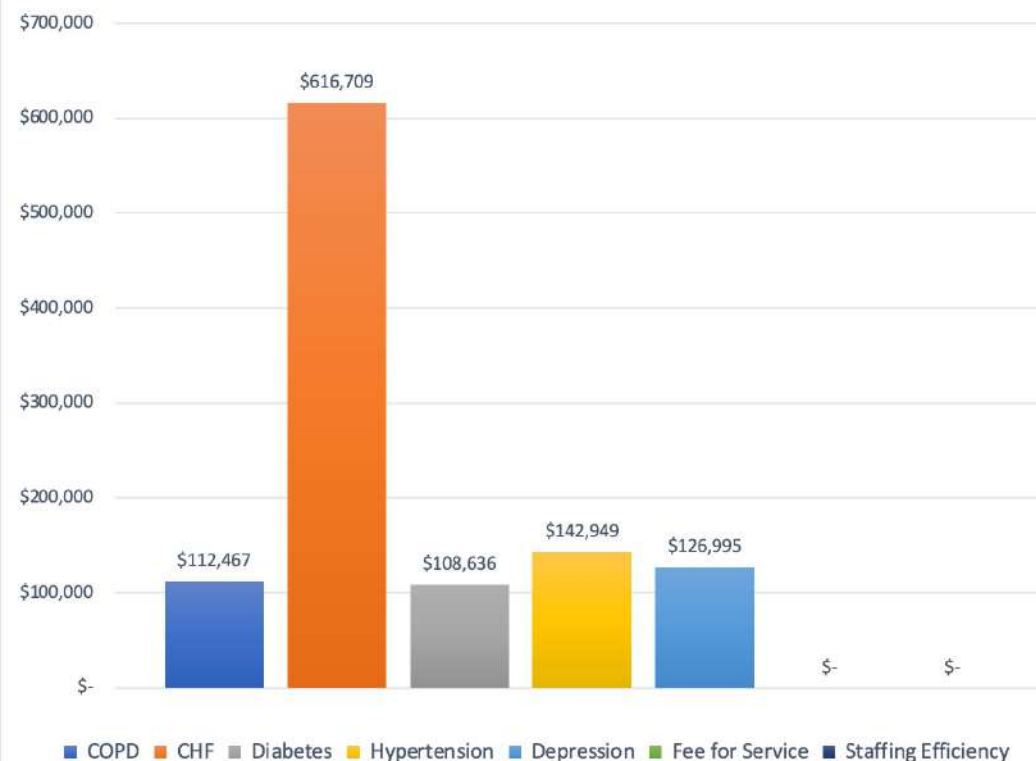
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Overview & Pricing

Total Benefits		\$	1,107,756
Total Costs		\$	
ROI Multiple			
Annual Benefits	Include?	\$	1,107,756
Shared Savings		\$	1,107,756
COPD	Yes		\$112,467
CHF	Yes		\$616,709
Diabetes	Yes		\$108,636
Hypertension	Yes		\$142,949
Depression	Yes		\$126,995
Fee for Service	No	\$	-
Staffing Efficiency	No	\$	-
Annual Costs		\$	
CareSignal Subscription		\$	
Patient Volume	0-250 250-1,000 >1,000		
Access & Support			
Per engaged patient			

Annual Benefits with CareSignal



Partnership Testimonials

Health System | Commercial



“CareSignal allows us to systematically reach out and connect with more patients on a routine basis and utilize our nurses to intervene when patients have worsening symptoms.”

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Mercy Virtual

Physician Group | Medicare Advantage



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FQHC | Medicaid



“We’re definitely reaching, with CareSignal, a broader population, and we’re catching more patients in real time than what we were before.”

Stephanie Campbell, Director
of Nursing, STRIDE
Community Health Center

Health Plan | Commercial



“This [Deviceless] Remote Patient Monitoring tool has really enhanced the team's ability to proactively identify members that need care at that point in time.”

Jewel Beharry-Diaz, Director of Care
Coordination, Innovation Health



Patient & Partner Feedback

Patients

*"The easy way to report the information without having to login in a computer. I get so busy at work I tend to forget to do it. **This way is so easy.**"*

"I feel safe because I feel that my doctor is next to me even though I am 2 hrs away from him. Different city."

*"It reminds me to test my sugars and to take my insulin. Helps keep me accountable. When my sugars spiked an actual person called to give me support. **This may have saved my life.**"*

"Mostly I like keeping in contact with the Healthcare team without leaving home. I feel that I am protecting my health better by remaining in and not taking chances with the public. I appreciate that my health concerns are being addressed in the safest way possible."

Executives & Clinicians

*"The entire team was wonderful. **The most organized roll out of a project with an outside company** I have been involved with. Refreshing!"*

Chief Informatics Officer, Physician Group

*"It's a great benefit to have a **program that will assist patients**, especially patients who may not have family or friends who can check up on them on a regular basis".*

Care Manager, ACO

*"CareSignal has **improved the ability for our providers and care management staff to connect with our chronic disease patients.** It should help our patients achieve and maintain their treatment goals and allow us to identify patients needing an acute intervention to prevent ER and hospital visits."*

Medical Director, Top 5 Large Health System

*"We had never had such a **positive and supportive implementation partnership in such a short turnaround.** Everyone was respectful yet accountable and ensured success at every phase. Bravo!"*

Chief Clinical Officer, BH Network

Beyond Technology: Supportive Services to Ensure Success

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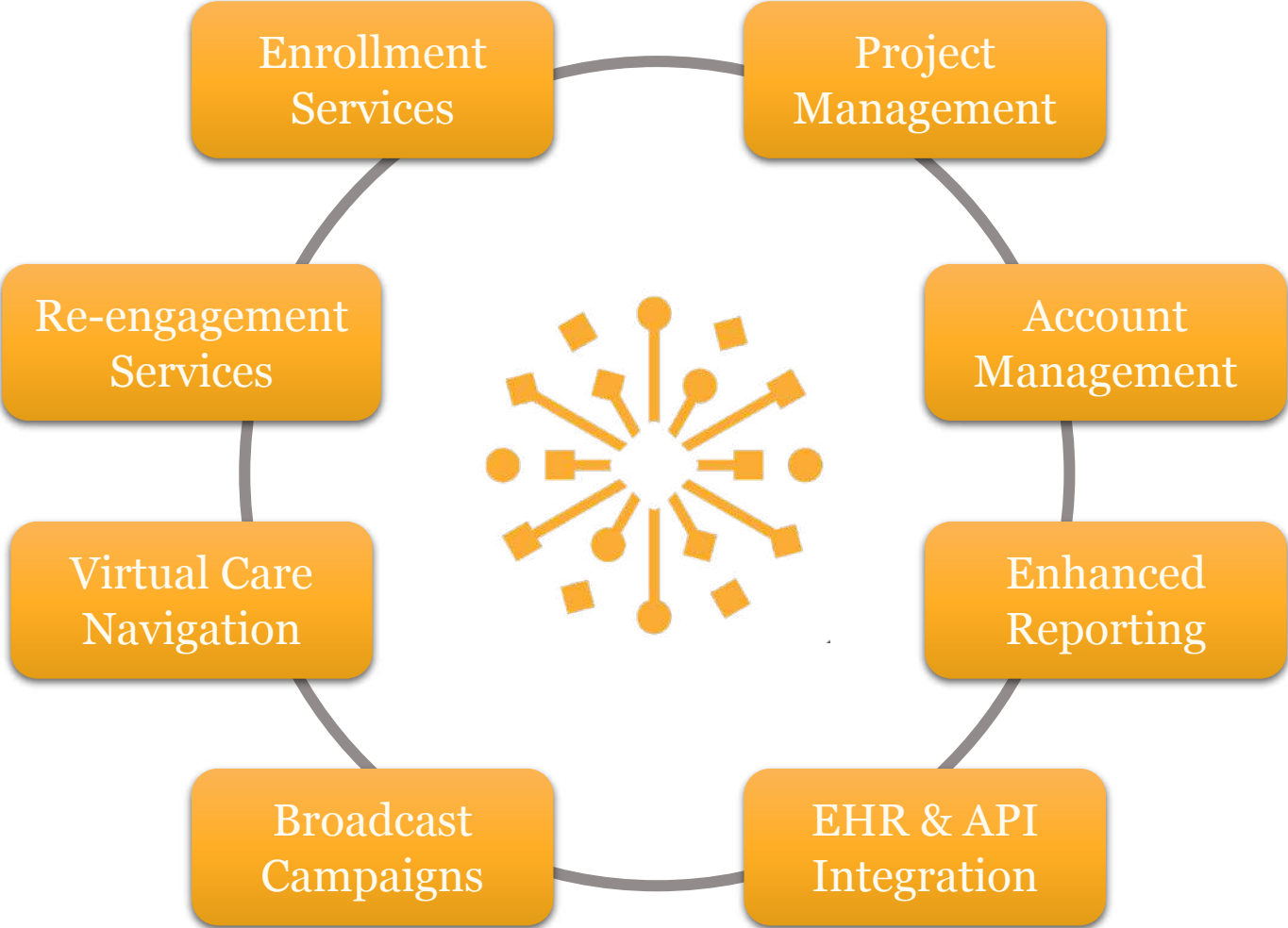
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Patient
Services

Partner
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Experience CareSignal

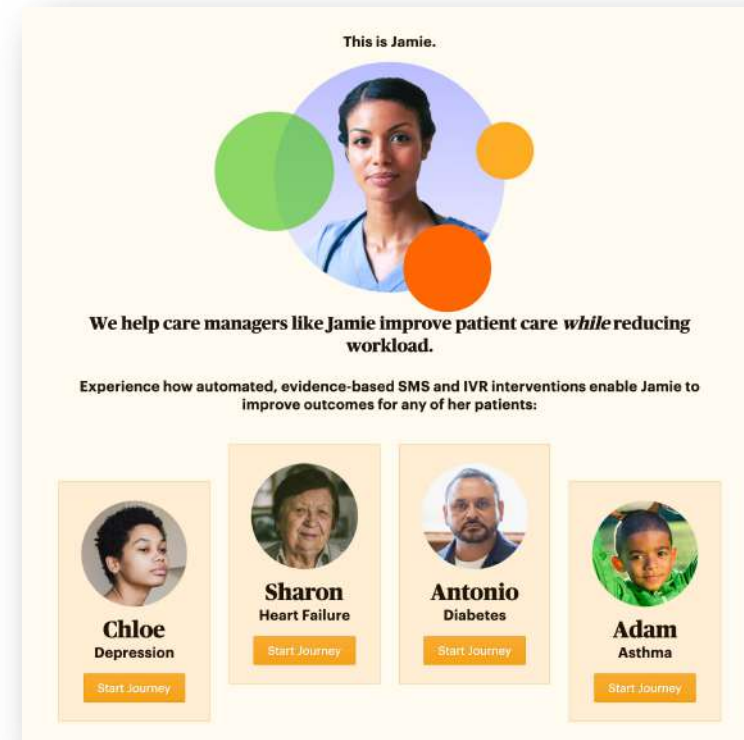
Real-time SMS Demo

Just open your camera app!



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