

Payment and Care Delivery Reform in the Health Care Safety Net

Accelerating the Value: LAN Summit

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The Safety Net Advancement Center (SNAC) at Arizona State University

- Serve as a payment and delivery system reform accelerator with a special emphasis on enhancing readiness among safety net providers.
- Provide customized assistance for immediate challenges, identify and share solutions, and engage in re-granting to support payment reform efforts poised to make substantial change.

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- John Supplitt, Priya Bathija, American Hospital Association
- Kersten Lausch, National Association of Community Health Centers
- Nina Marshall, National Council for Behavioral Health
- Natalie Ellertson, Optum
- Andrew Principe, Starling Advisors

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- Nick Szubiak, National Council for Behavioral Health

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Appendix 1. Descriptions of Safety Net Organizations

National Umbrella Organization	Safety Net Sector	Number of Organizations	Population Able to Serve
National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC)	Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs)	1,202 ^a	23,000,000 ^a
National Council for Behavioral Health	Community Mental Health Centers	2,200 ^b	8,000,000 ^b
America's Essential Hospitals	Public County Hospitals	250 ^c	45,000,000
National Indian Health Board (NIHB)	Tribal Health Centers	678 ^d	5,200,000 ^e
American Hospital Association (AHA)	Critical Access Hospitals	1,325 ^f	9,900,000 ^f
National Network for Oral Health Access (NNOHA)	Oral Health Providers	850 ^g	14,900,000 ^f
	TOTAL	6,505	106 million

SNAC

- 1. Safety Net Resource Center** – Serves as a comprehensive online clearing house for payment reform and service delivery reform for safety net organizations.
- 2. Learning Collaborative** – A “community of practice” network for safety net organizations to learn best practices and receive technical assistance.
- 3. Grant Awards to Address Payment Reform Implementation Barriers** – Tests specific initiatives and implement payment reform strategies that will further inform the learning collaborative and resource center.

Grant Awards to Address Payment Reform Implementation Barriers

- 5-7 grants
- Up to \$80,000 each
- To implement payment and care delivery reform initiatives
- The lessons learned from each project will be shared widely by SNAC to inform the broader safety net community.

Learning Collaborative Scholarship

- SNAC will support scholarships for up to 60 organizational teams to participate in one or more collaboratives. A scholarship (not conferred as a financial award) will cover the cost of tuition for one learning collaborative. As with the grant opportunity, this is a competitive process.

Focus Areas for Grant Awards & Learning Collaboratives

1. Clinical Care Team Transformation Strategies
2. Network Structure, Governance, and Operations
3. Financial Planning, Implementation, and Control
4. Clinical Integration Across Settings
5. Risk Management and Adjustment Strategies
6. Patient Attribution and Activation