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# CCO 2.0: Increasing Value-based Payment

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# Agenda

- CCO 2.0 Background
- CCO 2.0: VBP Policy Overview
  
- Full report:
  - *CCO 2.0 Recommendations of the Oregon Health Policy Board*
    - [www.health.Oregon.gov](http://www.health.Oregon.gov)
    - Report: <https://apps.state.or.us/Forms/Served/le9830.pdf>

# What is CCO 2.0 and Why is It Important?

- Coordinated Care Organizations (CCOs) started in 2012 with the promise to improve health, provide better care, and lower health care costs for Oregon Health Plan members.
  - We now have over five years of data about what is working and what needs more work.
- CCO 2.0: The next five-year CCO contracts; start in 2020
- CCO 2.0 is important because of large amount of people and dollars
  - One in four Oregonians—nearly one million people—receive health coverage through the Oregon Health Plan; most are CCO members
  - Oregon’s Medicaid budget is about \$14 billion, accounting for 19% of the state’s budget

# CCO 2.0: Continued Health System Transformation

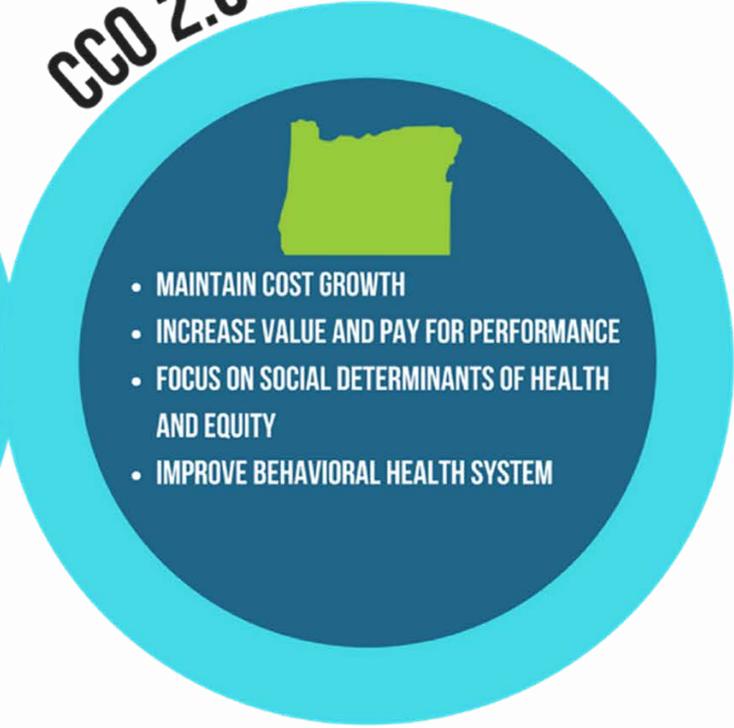
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CCO 1.0



CCO 2.0



# CCO 2.0 RFA Timeline



## CCOs will be selected through a Request for Application (RFA) process

Only current CCOs and companies with an existing Oregon “footprint” can apply.

- ❖ October - December 2018: RFA development begins. Formal question-and-answer process will be launched. OHA will amend rules, develop rates, and finalize technical details.
- ❖ November 19: OHA will hold an additional technical forum on open enrollment/member transition and rates and member attribution.
- ❖ January 2019: RFA released.
- ❖ February 2019: Letters of intent due.
- ❖ April to June 2019: Evaluation, CCO selection, and negotiations.
- ❖ June 2019: Award CCO contracts.
- ❖ September to December 2019: Readiness review.
- ❖ January 2020: New CCO contracts implemented.

# Value-based Payments (VBP)

- Most health care in the U.S. is paid for using a fee-for-service (FFS) model, which pays for each health care service, visit, or test. This system incentivizes the delivery of more health care, instead of better health care.
- The goal of increased use of VBPs is to incentivize delivery system reform that focuses on **value** instead of volume of care delivered, **rewarding** providers for a combination of **high-quality care, positive member health outcomes** and **cost savings**.

# OHA VBP Opportunities

## Enhancement of VBP in the Oregon Health Plan

- Oregon Health Authority payments to CCOs
- CCO payments to their providers

← Focus of CCO 2.0

## Opportunities for VBP alignment

- Within OHA:
  - Public Employees' Benefit Board
  - Oregon Educators Benefit Board
- Between OHA and other payers
  - Comprehensive Primary Care Plus
  - Primary Care Payment Reform Collaborative

# VBP and the Triple Aim



## Payment Reform



- Volume-driven care
- Focused on acute singular event
- Payer and provider incentives not aligned

- Value (not volume) of care
- Prevention and care coordination for improved quality and health outcomes
- Aligned incentives between payers and providers

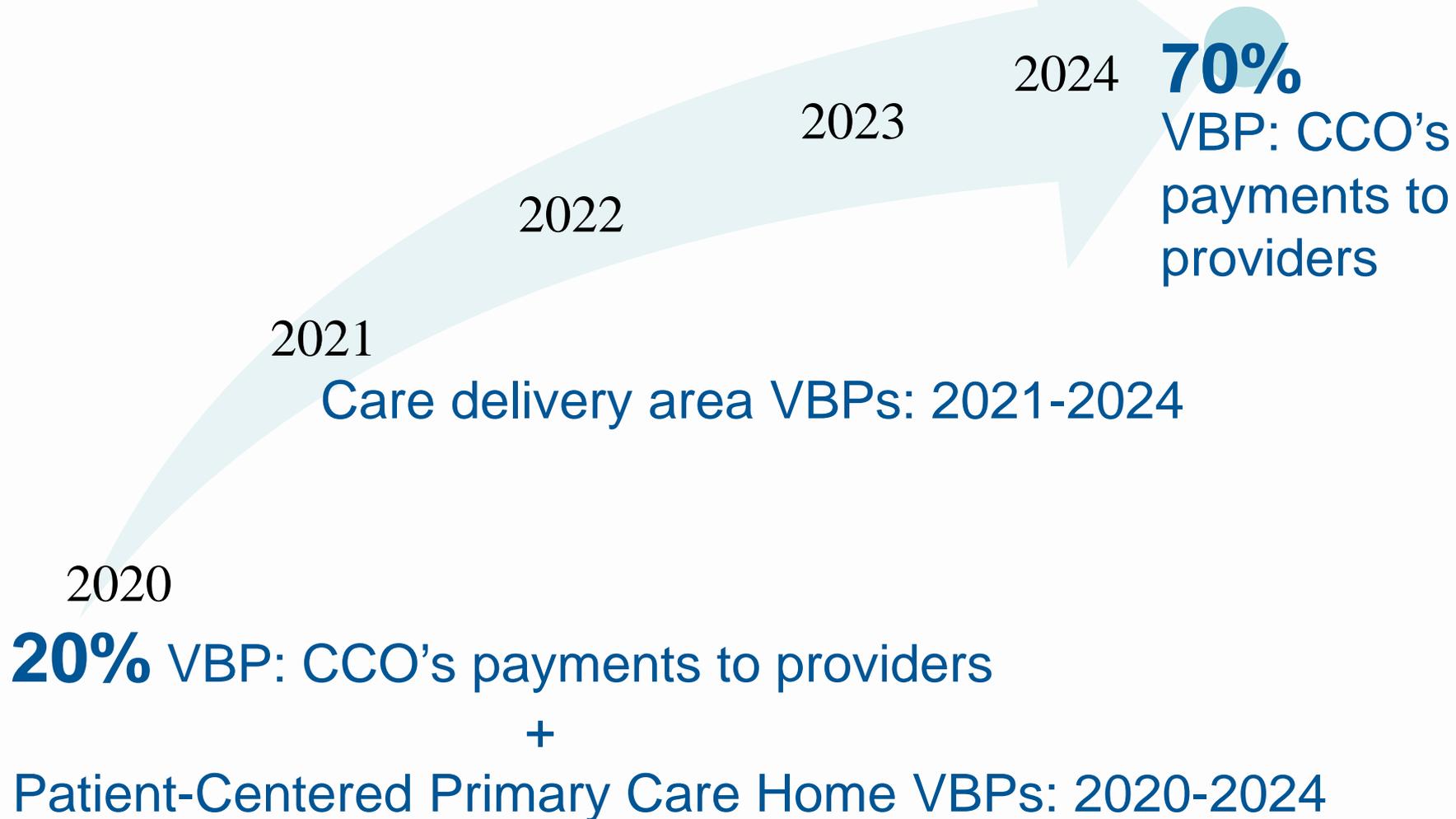
# CCO 2.0 VBP Public Engagement

- CCO 2.0 survey and public forums
- CCO Value-based Payment Work Group
  - Three facilitated meetings with all CCOs represented
- VBP Provider Survey
- Presented at standing committees, including:
  - Quality and Health Outcomes Committee, Primary Care Payment Reform Collaborative, Medicaid Advisory Committee, Healthcare Workforce Committee, Health Information Technology Oversight Committee
- Written comments submitted by external partners (and many more, all posted at <https://www.oregon.gov/oha/OHPB/Pages/CCO-2-0-recommendations.aspx>)
  - Oregon Academy of Family Physicians, Oregon Medical Association, CareOregon, Oregon Primary Care Association, OCHIN, Coalition of Local Health Officials, Trillium Community Health Plan, OHPB Health Equity Committee

# Public Engagement – Key Themes

- Written comments by stakeholders
  - Largely supportive of increased use of VBPs; requests for meaningful incentives and metric alignment for providers; concerns around data-sharing; consideration of VBPs within rate-setting.
- CCO 2.0 VBP Survey Themes
  - Comments mixed between VBP being the right direction and VBP challenges in implementation and practice.
- VBP Provider Survey Themes
  - Experience with VBPs; blended model of FFS and capitation has been effective to shift from FFS to VBP; concerns regarding meaningful incentives and metric alignment, sufficient/timely data, and behavioral health integration.

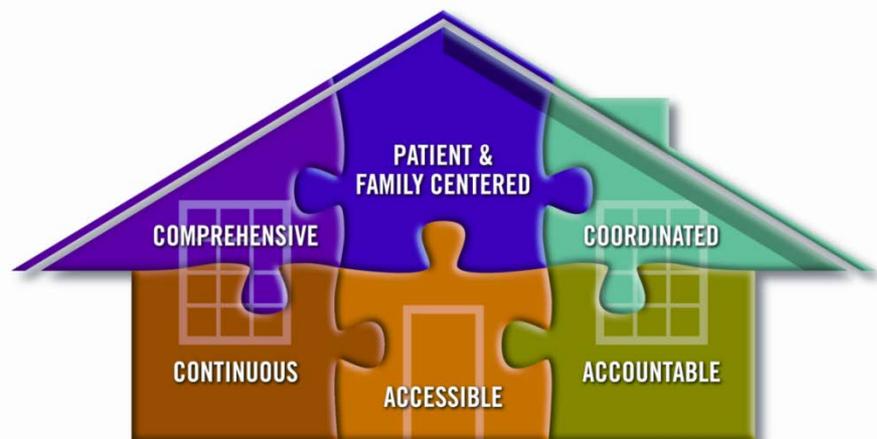
# CCO 2.0: VBP Policy Summary



# VBP for PCPCH clinics

Require per-member, per month “infrastructure” payments (i.e., payments based on PCPCH tier level):

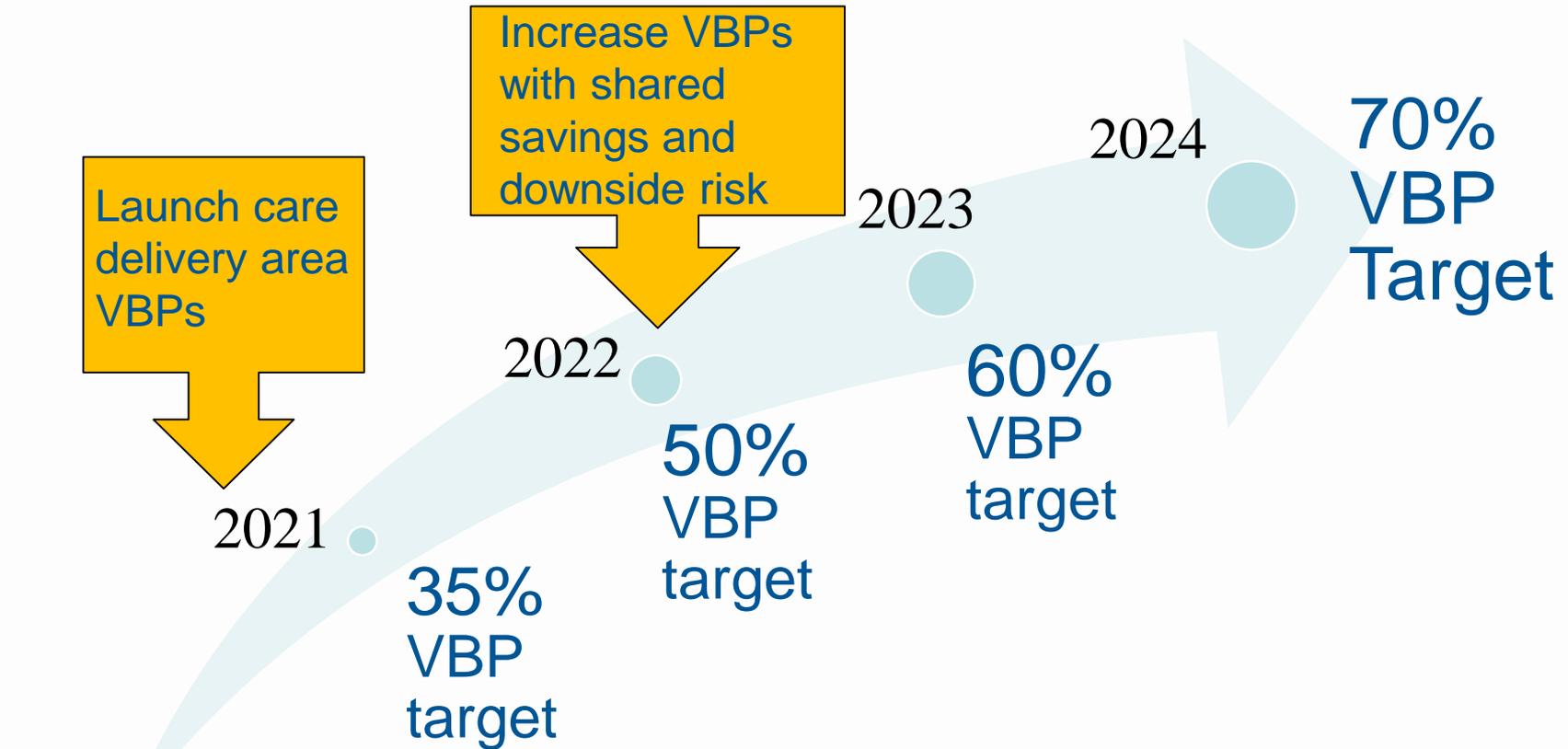
- Provide financial support for PCPCHs to implement and sustain a robust PCPCH model of care
  - Supports staff and activities not reimbursed through FFS
- Enhance PCPCHs’ ability to adopt more advanced VBPs



## PCPCH program evaluation\* findings:

- PCPCH Program encouraged clinics to embrace team-based care.
- Every \$1 increase in primary care expenditures related to the PCPCH Program led to \$13 average health care system savings.

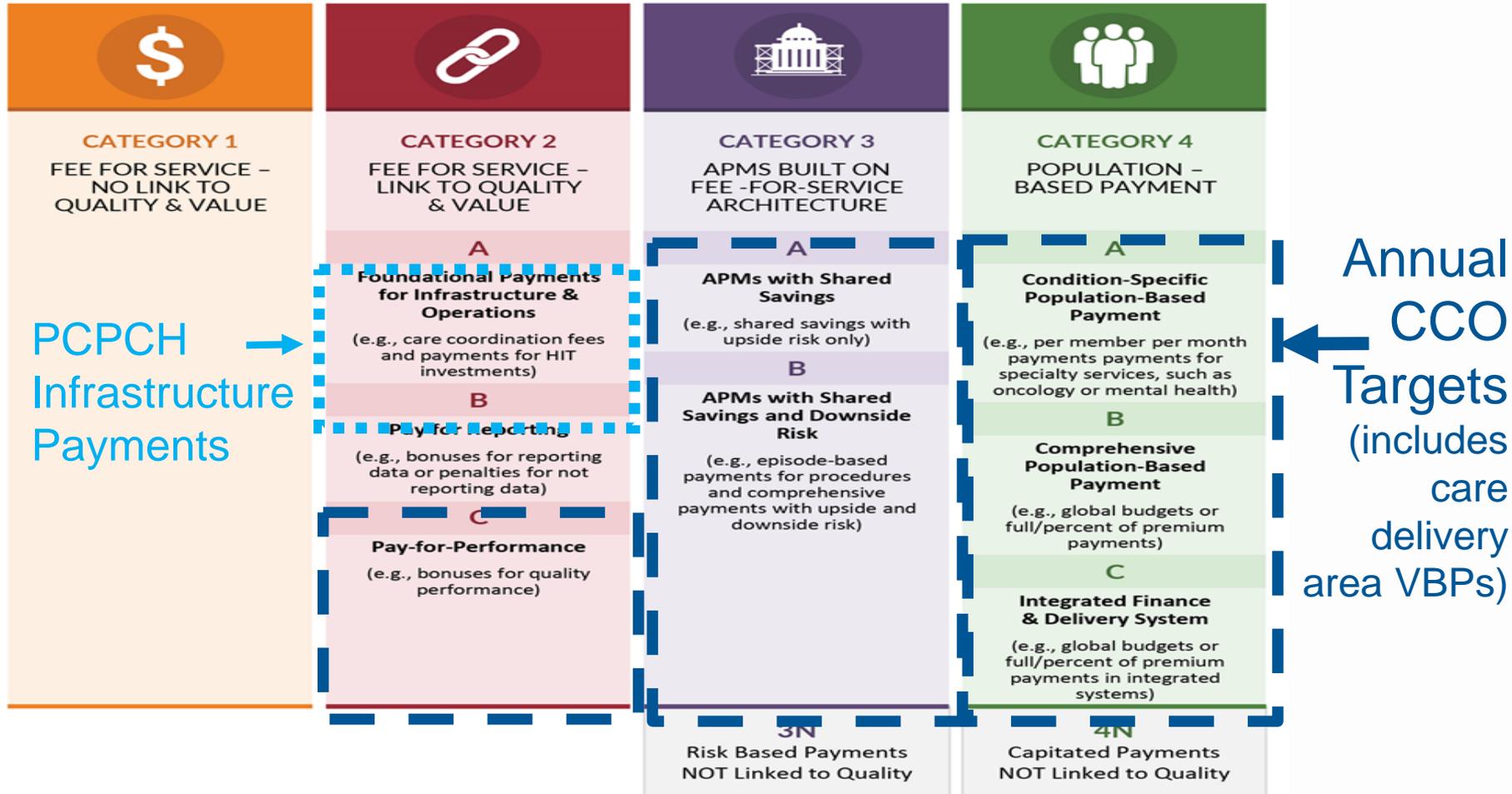
# CCO 2.0 VBP Targets & Timeline



2020  
20% VBP

CCO's payments to providers must be in the form of a VBP and fall within LAN Category 2C (Pay for Performance) or higher

# CCO 2.0 VBP Targets



- VBP Framework from the Health Care Payment Learning and Action Network

# VBP in Key Care Delivery Areas

Beginning January 2021, CCOs are required to implement VBPs in key care delivery focus areas:

- Flexibility of VBP models, design and size (i.e., no spend or population size requirement) but must be LAN category 2C or higher
- Uses VBP as a lever to advance OHA goals
- VBP models may include more than one care delivery area
- Hospital and maternity care VBP required to be in place by 2022

Care Delivery Area	Rational for focus
Hospital care	High-cost; minimal CCO VBP experience
Maternity care	Governor's priority; major area of spending; upstream
Children's health care	Governor's priority; widespread public support
Behavioral health care	CCO 2.0 priority; VBP can promote integration
Oral health care	Foundational to CCO model; VBP can promote integration

# VBP Reporting

- Require CCO applicants to demonstrate necessary information technology (IT) infrastructure for VBP reporting
- Streamline reporting by using All Payer All Claims (APAC) database for VBP reporting
- Collect supplemental data and annual interviews

# VBP Implementation Support

Planned OHA Transformation Center VBP technical assistance for CCOs includes:

- Developing equitable VBPs, including risk adjustment on medical *and* social complexity
- Developing VBP models in care delivery areas
- Developing more advanced, risk-based VBPs

**Thank you!**  
**Questions?**