



Comprehensive Primary Care Plus Initiative: Call for Provider Participation!

Oregon has been selected by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to be one of 14 regions across the country to implement a national model: Comprehensive Primary Care Plus (CPC+). CPC+ provides a multi-payer model that pays for care differently, which results in improved quality of care, improved patients' health, and smarter use of health care dollars.

The Oregon Health Authority strongly recommends all eligible providers across Oregon apply for this unique opportunity by the September 15, 2016 deadline.

Benefit to providers:

- Providers will be paid differently, giving them greater flexibility to deliver comprehensive care patients need.
- Providers will receive:
 - Technical assistance providing proactive, coordinated, population-based care.
 - Regional and national learning, collaborative, and networking opportunities

Eligibility: Applications are practice-based. Requirements are: At least 150 Medicare beneficiaries are served at the practice; utilization of Certified EHR Technology (CEHRT); existing patient empanelment; provision of 24/7 access for patients; quality improvement activities in place; and, have at least one primary care practitioner, which is defined as a physician (MD or DO), nurse practitioner (NP), physician assistant (PA), or Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) who has a primary specialty designation of family medicine, internal medicine, or geriatric medicine.

How to apply: The information needed to apply, and an overview of how to apply, are described here: <https://innovation.cms.gov/Files/x/cpcplus-appchecklist.pdf>. Submit a CPC+ application via the [online portal](#) today through **11:59pm ET on Thursday, September 15.**

More information:

Webinar for Oregon providers: Thursday, August 11, 2016, 7:30 a.m. - 9a.m.; presented by Care Management Plus and the Oregon Rural Practiced-Based Research Network.

- The webinar will provide an overview of the CPC+ application process, care delivery requirements, and Q&A. Register here: www.pcpci.org/resources/webinars/comprehensive-primary-care-cpc-practice-application-info-session

CMS resources

- Get your questions answered in the [Practice FAQs](#).
- Register for one of the 20 upcoming [CPC+ Practice Open Door Forums](#) in August and September.
- Watch the [CPC+ Video Series](#) to get an overview of CPC+ payment innovations and care delivery transformation.
- Download the CPC+ toolkit: [CPC+ In Brief](#), [CPC+ Care Delivery Transformation Brief](#), and [CPC+ Payment Innovations Brief and Case Studies](#).

Participating Oregon payers

AllCare Health, Inc.; ATRIO Health Plans; CareOregon (Jackson Care Connect, and Columbia Pacific); Eastern Oregon Coordinated Care Organization; FamilyCare; HealthShare; Oregon Health Authority (Medicaid); Moda Health Plan; PacificSource; PrimaryHealth of Josephine County; Providence Health Plan, and Providence Health Assurance; Tuality Health Alliance; Umpqua Health; Western; Oregon Advanced Health, LLC; Willamette Valley Community Health; Yamhill Community Care Organization, Inc.