Additional File 1: Round 1 mailed survey Patient Barriers to Accessing Health Care: Nebraska Primary Care Providers' Perspectives

Patient Access to Health Care

- 1. What factors seem to most impact your patients' ability to receive timely access to health care? *Please rank the following items with 1 being the most impactful, and 9 being the least impactful.*
 - _____ Clinic hours (not open in evening, weekends, etc.)
 - _____ Finances (insurance coverage, copayments, etc.)
 - _____ Language barriers
 - _____ Patients can't afford to take time off from work
 - _____ Patients can't get an appointment soon enough (not enough providers)
 - Patients forget to schedule (annual visit, follow-ups, etc.)
 - Patients lack dependent care (childcare, eldercare, etc.)
 - _____ Transportation

3.

- _____ Wait times in office to see provider
- _____ Other (please specify): ______

Patient Resources

2. Please indicate whether any of the following services are available on-site or through a community partner:

a. b.		ient navigator or care coordinator ehealth options If <i>on-site</i> or <i>partner,</i> please describe:	On- site	Partner	Not Available
c.	Soc	ial support			
	i.	Social Work			
	ii.	Legal Aid			
	iii.	Assistance applying for Medicaid, Medicare,			
		Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program, etc.			
	iv.	Transportation services			
	v.	Dependent care services (child, elder, etc.)			
		Policies & Procedures			
Does	your	practice have a policy for late arrivals?			Yes 🗆 No
а	. If j	ves, please explain:			

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4.	Does your practic	🗆 Yes 🗆 No			
	a. If <i>yes,</i> plea	If yes, please explain:			
5.	For your clinic, ho	w much are missed app	ointments a problem?		
	□ Not at all	□ Slightly	□ Somewhat	□ Very much	
6.	Please indicate w missed appointme		ving procedures or practice	s are used to reduce	
	a. Overbookii	ng to reduce office wait	times	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	b. Set-aside v	valk-in appointment slot	S	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	c. Increased p	provider capacity within	the past 2 years	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	d. Behavioral	engagement strategy			
	Motiva	ational interviewing		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Contin	gency management		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	e. Scheduling	reminders			
	Teleph	one (voice message)		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Text			🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Email			🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Mail (p	oostcard, letter)		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	f. Appointme	nt reminders			
	Teleph	one (voice message)		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Text			🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Email			🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Mail (p	oostcard, letter)		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	g. Streamline	d admissions/check-in		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	h. Welcoming	environment		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	i. Extended ho	ours			
	Evenin	g hours		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Weeke	end		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	j. Fee charged	d to patients for			
	Late a	rrival		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	Late ca	ancellation (i.e., less tha	n 24 hours)	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
		ow/missed appointment		🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
	k. Dropped fr	om service after missed	appointments	🗆 Yes 🗆 No	
		specify number of misse			

2019 Clinic Characteristics

For the following questions, please provide data for **January 1 – December 31, 2019** unless otherwise specified. Please indicate whether data provided are exact numbers (based on electronic medical records, billing, or another method of regular tracking) or estimates.

7.	Does your clinic utilize Electronic Medical Records (EMR)? a. If <i>yes,</i> is the EMR used to verify patient status (up-to-		Yes	No □
	date, due, past due) for: i. vaccines? ii. cancer screening?			
		#	Exact	Estimate
8. 9.	How many patients were seen by your practice in 2019? How many of those patients were seen for an annual physical			
J. 10.	(well-being check)? How many patients were seen more than once (i.e., had a			
	follow-up appointment or returned for a new issue) during 2019?			
11.	How many appointments were scheduled a. in February 2019? b. in April 2019?			
12.	How many scheduled appointments were missed ("no show")a. in February 2019?b. in April 2019?			
13.	How many scheduled appointments were canceled less than 24 hours in advance			
	a. in February 2019?b. in April 2019?			
14.	Percent of patients by insurance status:	%	Exact	Estimate
14.	 a. Medicaid b. Medicare (any type) c. Private insurance d. Uninsured or self-pay 			
15.	Does your facility routinely track (e.g., as Quality Control or Quality Improvement) patient compliance with recommended vaccinations?		Yes	No

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15.	a.	If <i>yes,</i> what percent of your patients are up-to-date for the following:			Exact	Estimate
		i.	Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR)			
		ii.	Polio (IPV)			
		iii.	Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis (DTaP)			
		iv.	Varicella			
		v.	Haemophilus influenzae type B (Hib)			
		vi.	Hepatitis A			
		vii.	Hepatitis B			
		viii.	Influenza (annual)			
		ix.	Human papillomavirus (HPV)			
16.	Do		r facility routinely track (e.g., as Quality Control or			
		Quality Improvement) patient compliance with recommended			Vee	N -
	cancer screening?				Yes	No
	-		s, what percent of your patients are up-to-date for	%	—	_
		the following screenings:			Exact	Estimate
		i.	Colon (% adults 50-75 years old who had FOBT or			
			FIT in past year, sigmoidoscopy in past 5 years, or			
		colonoscopy in past 10 year):				
			1. Any colorectal cancer screening			
			2. FOBT or FIT in past year			
			3. Sigmoidoscopy in past 5 years			
			4. Colonoscopy in past 10 years			
		ii.	Breast (% females 50-74 with mammogram in past		_	_
			2 years)			
		iii.	Cervical (% females 21-65 without hysterectomy			
			who had Pap smear in past 3 years, or women age			
			30-65 who had Pap smear and HPV test within the			
			past 5 years)			
17.	Wc	ould yo	our organization like to be included in collaborative		Yes	No
	inte	ervent	ion research to improve patient health outcomes?			

Please provide information about the person(s) completing this form.

18.	Job title:	
19.	Length of time at this organization:	(years)