Rationale for change - Australian context

• Release of PHCAG – Better Outcomes for People with Complex and Chronic Health Conditions (Dec 2015)

• Commonwealth’s Health Care Home (HCH) program is part of the fundamental shift

• 10 trial sites across Australia due to commence July, 2017

• SENSW is not a trial site
PHN Innovation funding released (Aug ‘16)

• Align with PHCAG recommendations and the Australian Government’s response
• Activity beyond what PHNs are already funded to do
• Link to local need
• Opportunity to support our general practices to ‘get ready’ and move towards adopting a PCMH model of care
• COORDINARE Board allocated additional funds (Oct ‘16)
• Same red flags in baseline needs assessment
• Transitioning to a PCMH model requires transformational change
• Change needs to occur at different levels
• Evidence suggests implementation needs extensive external support
• Need to understand local health system readiness for change (motivation and capacity)
Our objectives

Design and evaluate a pre-implementation logic model to:

• incrementally build the capacity and capability of general practices

• develop, test and inform enhanced PHN support functions required to support this change

Partnership with UoW contracted for independent rigor and evaluation
Our approach

Phase one:
• Extensive stakeholder consultation
• Identify local leaders and areas for workforce upskilling
• Assess the ‘will and skill’ of practices to incorporate the different elements of a PCMH

Phase two:
• Opportunity for practices to work collaboratively with us on areas of interest consistent with level of readiness
• Innovations will be co-designed and trialed in practices
Patient Centred Medical Home: Consultation
# PCMH Consultation

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* Allied Health Professions include: Psychologists; Psychiatric Nurses; Podiatrists; Audiologist; Exercise Physiologists; Dieticians; Occupational Therapist; Pharmacists; Osteopath
Practice and System Readiness for Change

- Willingness to undertake PCMH change
- Capacity to undertake PCMH change
- Local Health readiness for change
- System enablers for change
Collaborative Relationships

Certainty of PCMH Support

Willingness and Capacity

Clear Communication

Individual Siloed Relationships

Varied Communication

Uncertainty of PCMH Support

Anxiety and Stress

Clear Communication

Certainty of PCMH Support

COORDINARE PROJECTS
Aligning our support with PCMH building blocks
Engaged leadership
Supporting key stakeholders to be engaged as leaders of organisational change

Data driven improvement
Supporting practices to improve data entry, analysis and use and uptake of My Health Record
Team-based care
Supporting team-based, multidisciplinary care

Patient-team partnership
Supporting practices to engage patients in their own care
Population management
Enabling practices to provide complex care management

Continuity of care
Coordinating care across all elements of the health care community including discharge planning, referrals and care coordinators
Improved access to care
non-face-to-face services, after-hours options, digital health and home-monitoring devices

Comprehensiveness and care coordination
whole-person care provided by a team of care providers
Out of scope

- Risk stratification
- Patient enrolment/registration
- Alternate payment models
Next steps

- Phase 2 informed by UoW framework and report
- Opportunity for practices to receive tailored support
- Broadly all practices will be supported
- Selected practices will co-design and trial innovations supported by the PHN ($)
- Facilitate communities of interest and peer networks
- UoW will evaluate PHN role in providing support to practices
## What we hope to have at the end

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How to get involved

- Information about the project will be available in the coming weeks on the website and in the newsletter.
- You can express interest on your evaluation form, by contacting your Health Coordination Consultant or speaking with COORDINARE staff today.