



Office of
Mental Health

Readmissions Quality Collaborative Phase 2 Kick-Off Conference

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Background and Introduction



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Leadership

❖ Project Sponsors

- Greater NY Hospital Association (GNYHA)
- The Healthcare Association of NYS (HANYS)
- NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), PSYCKES Team

❖ Steering Committee of sponsors and peer institutions decides project focus and activities

- HHC & Kings County
- Bronx-Lebanon
- Lutheran
- LIJ–Zucker Hillside
- Maimonides
- NYS Office of Alcoholism & Substance Abuse Svcs (OASAS)
- Mercy
- Montefiore
- Mt. Sinai
- Nassau University
- Niagara Falls



Participants

❖ Collaborative Members (to date)

- 34 Article 28 Hospitals (GNYHA/HANYS members)
- 15 State operated Psychiatric Centers
- 4 Health homes

❖ External partners

- Managed Care Organizations / Health and Recovery Programs (HARPs) (8 here today)
- Delivery System Reform Incentive Program (DSRIP) Performing Provider Systems (may be integrated into hospital teams)
- Community Providers



History

❖ Builds directly upon 2 previous initiatives

- Readmissions Quality Collaborative (Phase 1) 2012-2014
- Children's Readmissions Collaborative, 2014 to present

❖ Other previous initiatives

- GNYHA and United Hospital Fund partnered to conduct medical/surgical quality collaboratives, based on Institute for Healthcare Improvement model
- The first Behavioral Health Quality Collaborative focused on antipsychotics posing a higher risk of cardiometabolic side effects, 12/2010 – 1/2012
- OMH freestanding clinic Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) project (launched 2008)



Project Overview

- ❖ **Goal:** decrease all-cause 30-day readmissions following discharge from inpatient psychiatry, detox or rehab
- ❖ **Time Frame:** 2 years

