

Diabetes Mellitus QUERI: Impacts, Contributions and Products

Description	Project Label and Center Goal
<u>CONTRIBUTIONS</u>	
Contributions to VHA activities/entities	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assisted with development, review and modification of protocols to be used by the Office of Care Coordination for their TeleMOVE! Program, using home telehealth messaging devices for weight management • Co-clinical Coordinator is a member of the VISN 10 System Redesign Steering Committee and a leader of the diabetes subcommittee of the VISN 10 Chronic Disease Council. • Co-Clinical Coordinator is co-Director of the VA Center for Implementation Practice and Research Support • National VA Guideline Council membership and participation in VA/DoD Diabetes Guideline development with membership on VA/DoD Evidence Based Practice Workgroup. • Membership on VHA Multidisciplinary Amputation Team, with the reports committee chaired by Dr. Pogach • Clinical Coordinator is chairperson of the VISN 3 Medication Utilization Evaluation Subcommittee. • Clinical Coordinator is former Chairperson, Diabetes Measure Maintenance Subcommittee for the National Quality Forum., and participant in the current NQF measurement development cycle sponsored by DVA • Clinical Coordinator is VHA Representative to the NIDDK Diabetes Mellitus Interagency Coordinating Committee • Clinical Coordinator is VHA Diabetes Program Director, Patient Care Services; Chairperson, Diabetes ProClarity Registry Project/VACO PCS and VSSC (10N); Chair of the Insulin Safety Subcommittee of the High Alert Medication Committee, and Co-Chair PCS Evidence Based Medicine and Informatics Decision Support Committee. • Diabetes Advisory Field Group and Diabetes QUERI Executive Committee have significant overlap. • Executive Committee member is Clinical Nurse Advisor for metabolic syndrome/diabetes for the Office of Nursing Service • Membership on Scientific Merit Review and Career Development Award Review Groups • Membership on Stroke QUERI EC • Memberships on VISN 11 Quality Improvement Work group, Care Management Committee and Clinical Leadership Board • Research Coordinating Center investigators participated in the “Telehealth Call Centers and Web-based MOVE! Planning Meeting”, during which plans were discussed for piloting novel and cost-effective ways to deliver weight management support to overweight/obese veterans. 	Core

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membership in the PARIHS Development Initiative to promote implementation research within QUERIs in VHA and the literature synthesis subgroup. • Board membership on the VA HSR&D Field Based Scientific Advisory Board for Implementation and Management Research. • Technical Advisor to Veterans Affairs Performance Management, Office of Quality and Performance. Workgroup charged with the development of a clinical performance management system for the VHA. • Membership on the Health Information Services Executive Board (HISEB) for Health Data Systems, VA Office of Information Technology. • Steering Committee Member, VHA Practice Systems Assessment Survey • Membership on Operation Healthier US Veterans Evaluation Subcommittee • Membership on the Technical Advisory Group, National <i>MOVE!</i> program (Managing Overweight/Obesity for Veterans Everywhere) • Co-Chair, My HealtheVet Clinical Advisory Board and memberships on My HealtheVet Performance Workgroup and Patient Education Workgroup 	
Consultation efforts	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expert Consultation on Disability Weights for the WHO Global Burden of Disease 2005 Study. September 2008. Seattle, WA. • Responded to over 15 consultation and data requests from field-based diabetes clinicians, quality managers, researchers and others throughout the VA system during the past year 	Core
Other contributions	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participation in planning the National Diabetes Education Program as member of the NDEP Steering Committee • Collaborating with Kaiser Permanente Northern California to do parallel interventions and evaluations • Membership on Michigan's statewide Diabetes Partners in Action Coalition • Membership on the American College of Physician (ACP) Diabetes Team-Based Care CME Curriculum Development Committee. 	Core

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membership on the Technical Expert Panel of the National Diabetes Alliance • Participation in American College of Physicians evidence review and guidelines for hypertension and lipids in type 2 diabetes • Co-Clinical Coordinator is leader of the Education Intervention for Better Health Greater Cleveland, a county-wide chronic disease quality improvement effort. (diabetes was the first disorder chosen for focus.) • Clinical Coordinator is Vice Chairman of the New Jersey State Department of Health Disease Management Study Commission • Clinical Coordinator presented at the September, 2008 meeting: Towards a Comprehensive Diabetes Measure Set: Value-Based Episodes of Care: National Quality Forum • Participation in Knowledge Translation 2008: Forum for the Future, Banff, Canada June 2008 	