

Governor's Update

Colorado Health Institute ~ Hot Issues in Health Care



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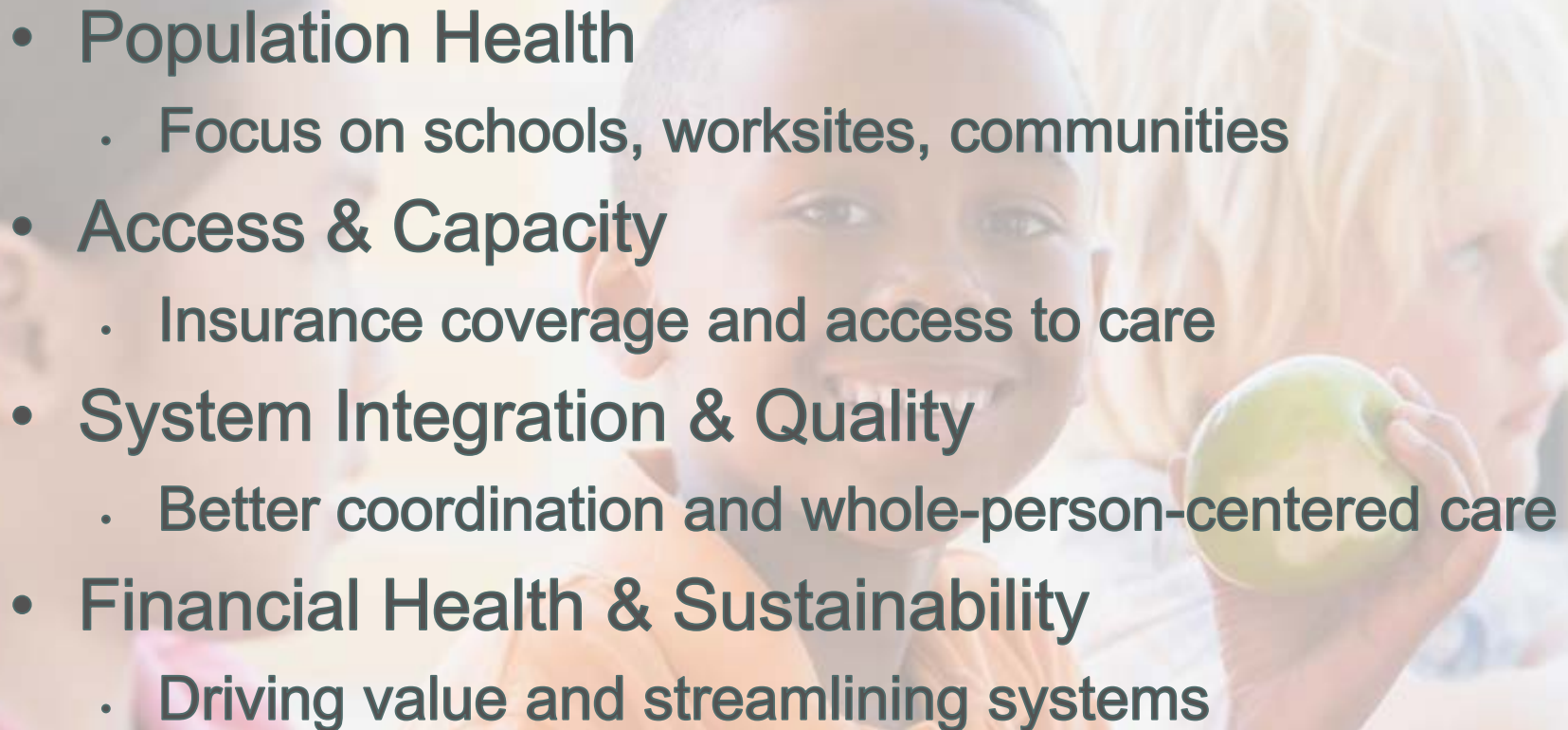
HEALTH IN COLORADO

- **Obesity:** 1/5 adults and 1/6 kids
- **Mental Health:** 1/6 say mental health is not good
- **Uninsured:** 1/5 adults and 1/10 kids
- **Vaccines:** Almost 1/3 preschool-age kids lack recommended vaccines
- **Medicaid:** Over 650,000 receiving coverage
- **Health Industry:** Over 250,000 workers with \$11.3B annual payroll

GOVERNOR'S VISION

- **Healthiest State in the Nation**
 - Healthy People
 - Healthy Business
 - Healthy Education
- **Top Three Winnable Battles**
 - Obesity
 - Oral Health
 - Mental Health/Substance Abuse
- **Leaders in Collaboration**

FRAMEWORK

- **Population Health**
 - Focus on schools, worksites, communities
 - **Access & Capacity**
 - Insurance coverage and access to care
 - **System Integration & Quality**
 - Better coordination and whole-person-centered care
 - **Financial Health & Sustainability**
 - Driving value and streamlining systems
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HEALTH REFORM LEGISLATION HIGHLIGHTS

- **State**
 - Colorado Healthcare Affordability Act (HB09-1293)
 - ✓ Hospital Provider Fee
 - ✓ Medicaid Expansions for additional 100,000
 - All Payer Claims Database (HB10-1330)
 - Colorado Health Benefit Exchange (SB11-200)
 - Medicaid Payment Reform (HB12-1281)
- **Federal**
 - HIPAA/HITECH (2/2009)
 - ✓ EHRs & Meaningful Use
 - ✓ Health Information Exchange (CORHIO)
 - Patient Protection & Affordable Care Act (3/2010)

COLORADO & HEALTH REFORM

- **Better Coverage**
 - Insurance coverage for additional 45,000
 - Lifetime limits eliminated for 2 million
- **Better Care**
 - Preventive care added for almost 1.4 million
 - Enhanced payments for community providers
- **Lower Costs**
 - Prescription drug costs cut for 40,000 on Medicare
 - 2011 insurance company rebates for 121,000
 - 2014: Tax credits in the Exchange for over 500,000
- **Leveraging Federal & State Funds**

HOT TOPICS

- **Health Insurance Markets**
 - Exchange: First state to pass bipartisan legislation
 - DOI: Protecting consumers through rate review
- **Medicaid**
 - **Accountable Care Collaborative**
 - ✓ Shifting payment system from volume to value
 - ✓ Year 1: 180,000 enrolled. \$20 million in savings
 - **Long-Term Care Redesign**
 - ✓ 17% of Medicaid clients drive 67% of cost
 - ✓ Office of Community Living
 - **Expansion Decision**

HOT TOPICS

- **Information Technology**
 - Redesigns of eligibility and claims systems
 - ✓ CBMS: On time, on budget. 90% timeliness rate.
 - ✓ MMIS: User-friendly interfaces. Processes 97% claims.
 - Increasing EHR use and information exchange
- **Care Integration**
 - Physical + Behavioral + Oral + Long-Term + Public
- **State Employees**
 - Incentivize wellness and value

QUESTIONS



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