



# Putting the Health in Health Care

Is Colorado's Innovative Approach to Medicaid Working?

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# Three Takeaways

- Colorado's Medicaid innovation requires a critical eye.
- Cost savings are modest but real at least for some patients.
- Warning: Long-term consequences may crowd out other spending.

### Medicaid: The Big Idea

How's It Working?

What's Next?





Legislators: The Critical Eye

Approve Budget
Annually

Legislative Oversight
Annual Report

RCCO Rebid Imminent

**One of Five Coloradans Enrolled** 

**Your Constituents** 





### Medicaid: The Big Idea



Accountable Care Collaborative:

Colorado's Big Bet

2009: Accountable Care Collaborative authorized

**2011:** Enrollment Begins

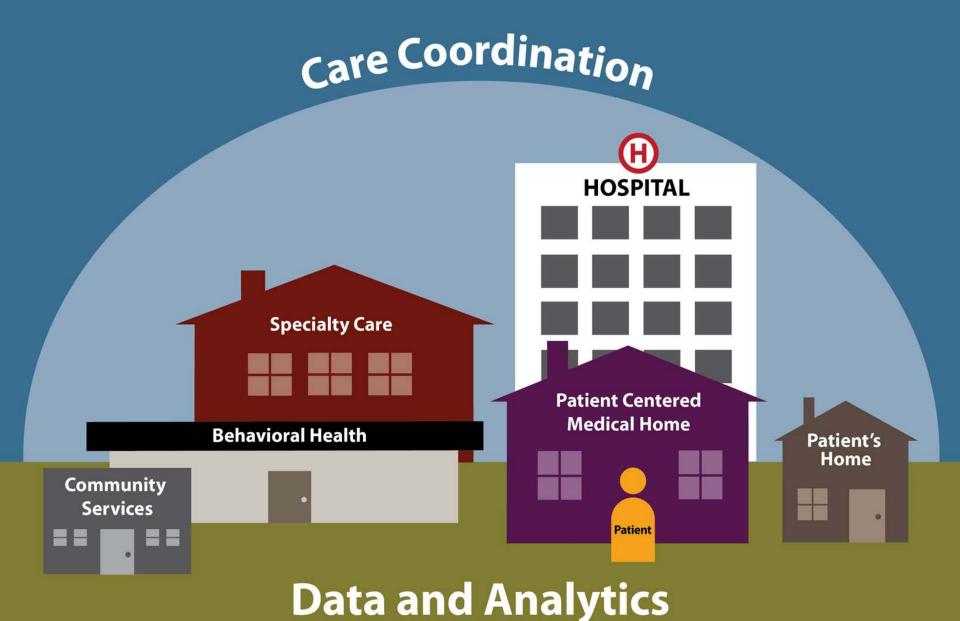
**2014:** Two of three Medicaid clients are enrolled



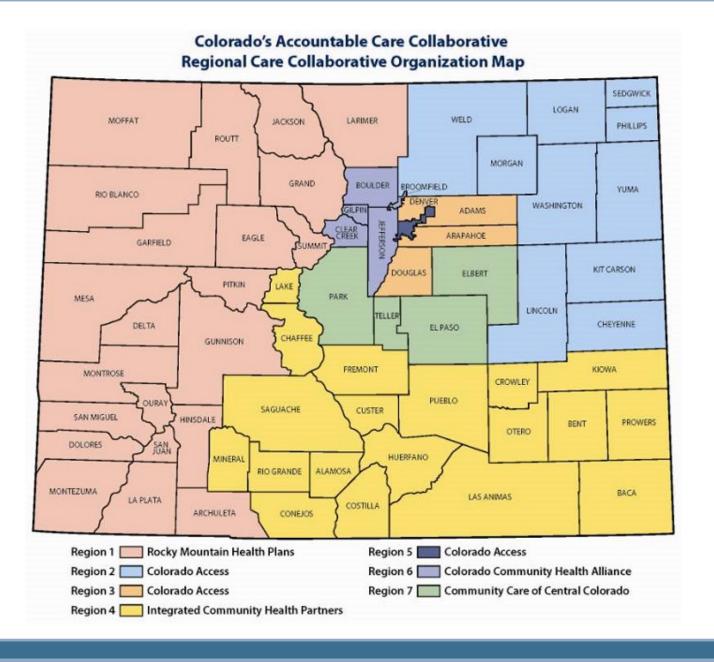




#### Colorado's ACC Model



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Statewide Data and Analytics Contractor (SDAC)



Regional Care Collaborative Organizations (RCCOs)





Primary Care Medical Providers (PCMPs)









**Coordinated Care Organizations** 

**Accountable Care Organizations** 

One Budget For Medical, Behavioral and, Eventually, Dental

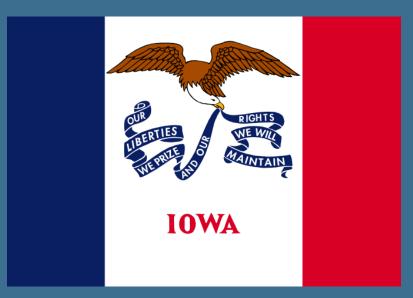
Shared Savings And Shared Risk

**Payment For Quality** 

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#### On the Horizon?







### How's It Working?



Key
Performance
Indicators

Patient Experience

**Cost Savings** 





### Key Performance Indicators

- Fewer EmergencyRoom Visits
- Less High-Cost Imaging
- Reduction in 30-Day Hospital Readmissions
- More Well-ChildVisits











## Cost Savings

**ACC Savings: 2013-14** 

Gross: \$100 Million Net: \$29.3-\$33 Million

**People With Disabilities: Largest Savings** 

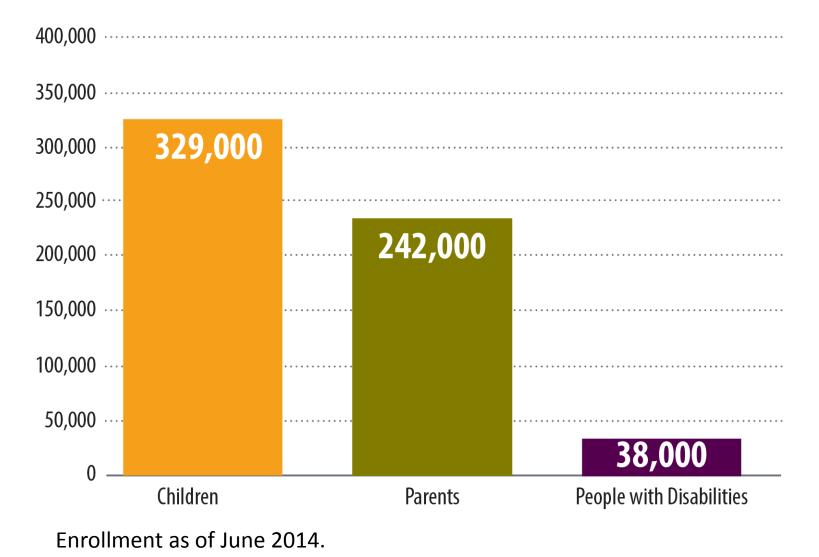
**Adults Enrolled More Than Six Months: Modest Savings** 

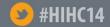
Adults Enrolled Fewer Than Six Months, Children: Net Expense



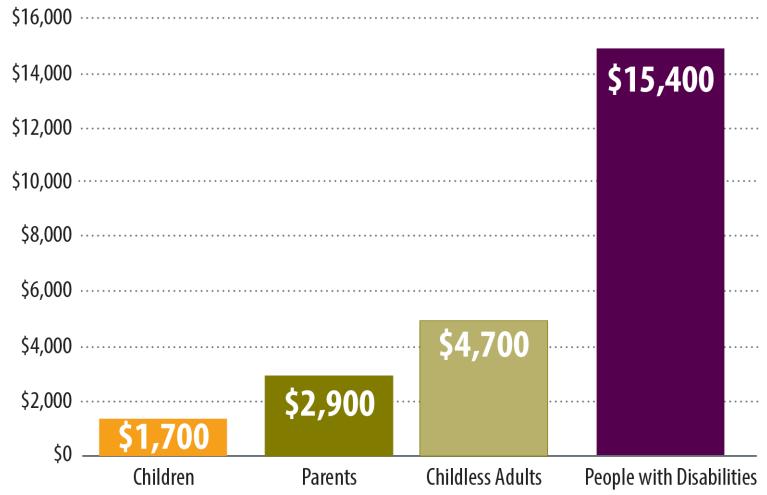


### **ACC Enrollment**





#### Medicaid Clients: Projected Per Capita Costs



Source: HCPF FY 2015-16 Budget Request, Exhibit C.

Eligible Children (AFDC-C/BC); MAGI Parents Up To 68% FPL, MAGI Adults; People With Disabilities Up To Age 59







32,000
Full
Benefit
Medicare
and
Medicaid
Enrollees

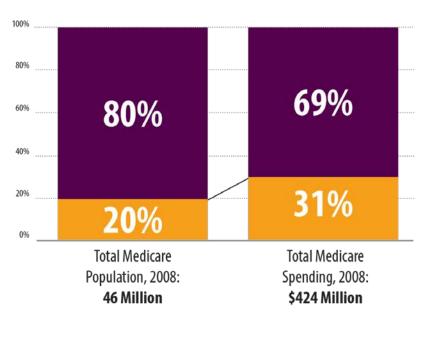
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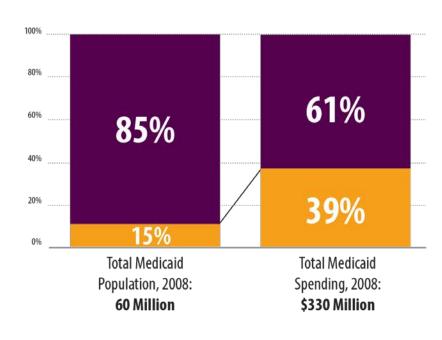


### Fragile And Expensive

### Medicare



#### Medicaid



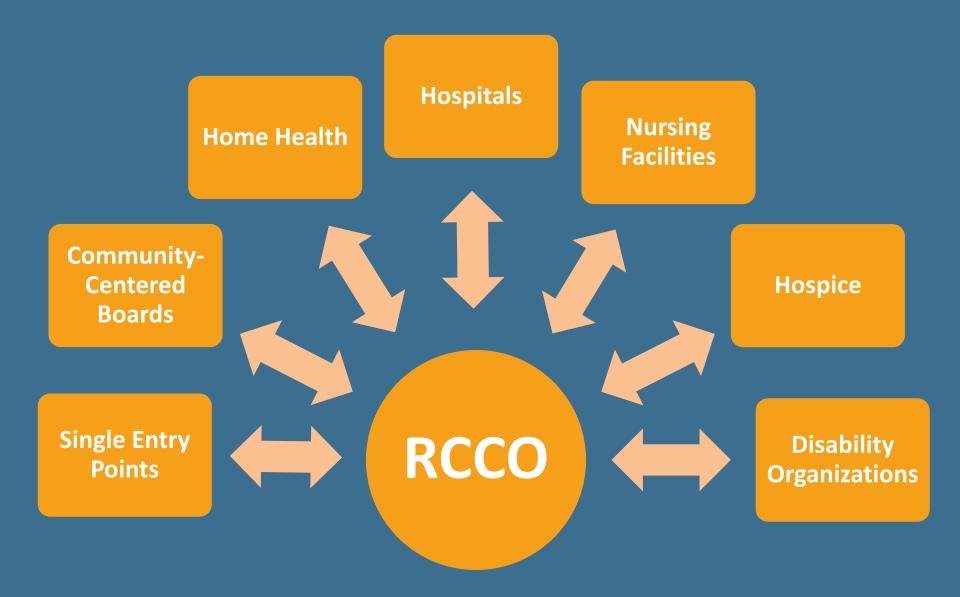
Non-Duals Duals

Source: Kaiser Family Foundation



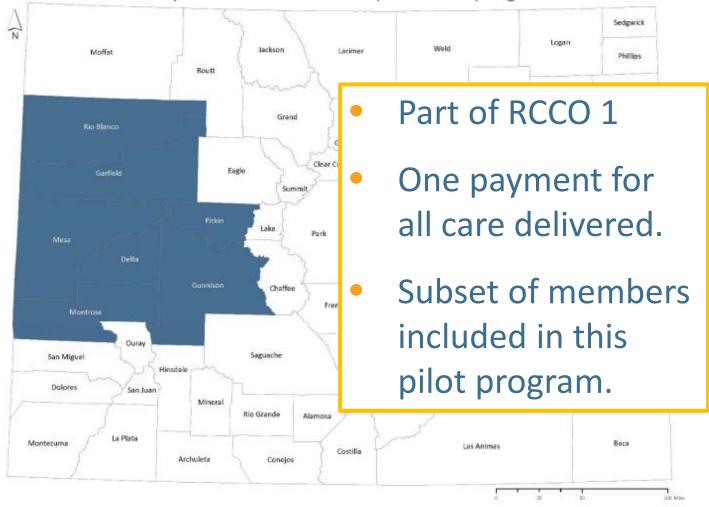
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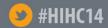


#### Medicaid Accountable Care Collaborative Payment Reform Initiative (HB12-1281) Region











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# Primary care doctors welcome mental health professionals

By Yesenia Robles

The Denver Post

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A growing number of primary ca mental health professionals to he services.

Untreated:Addressing mental health issues key in helping medical system's "frequent flyers"





JUL 31, 2012

MORE ON CAPITAL FINANCE

Colorado pilot tests payment model to make behavioral health-primary care integration financially viable















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