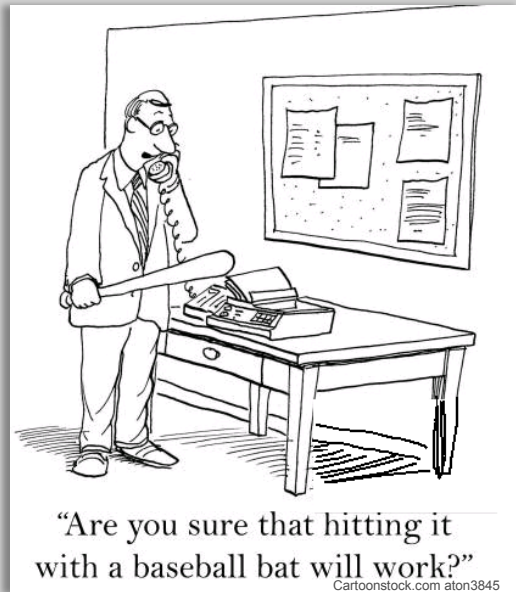


OPNS Informatics Digest

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Information Technology represents a piece of the health care puzzle. It's more than computers and tablets.

It involves strategic planning, incorporates all aspects of each program and initiative to more efficiently guide patients through the Patient Centered Medical Home Neighborhood.

Using technology to streamline value based care!

What have you done for me lately?

Dr. Tom Simmer, SVP, CMO of Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan has played a vital role in shaping value based focus of health care within the State of Michigan.

Dr. Simmer recently presented to OPNS Physicians highlighting what he views as essential to future success as a physician and physician organization.

Active Care Relationship Services - Admit, Discharge, Transfer (ACRS ADT)

- OPNS has been participating and making statewide ADT data available to OPNS physicians since December 2014

Primary Care Physician (PCP) - Specialty Care Physician (SCP) Communication

- PCPs say they do not receive enough information from Specialists

Planned Visits

- Utilize information in Health Focus for a pre-planned follow up visit

The OPNS Health Informatics Team has been promoting the Health Focus Registry since 2013.

This month we'll highlight how the Health Focus Registry has and continues to provide an avenue to achieve success in areas that Dr. Simmer feels are critical to remaining relevant in the landscape of care.

Three tools to assist you!

Are you taking advantage of what is available to you through Health Focus?

ACRS ADT

- ACRS is a program where OPNS exchanges information with Michigan Health Information Network (MiHIN).
- In turn, hospitals, home health agencies, and skilled nursing facilities share admit, discharge, or transfer details with MiHIN.
- From there, MiHIN sends the notifications to OPNS and OPNS provides the data in the Health Focus Registry in a daily fashion.

PCP and SPC Communication

- First things first. We need to lose the PCP/SPC distinction. We're a network of physicians.
- Physicians do not receive adequate amount of historical information to treat patients. So why are we still faxing?
- The Health Focus Registry shares historical information from many sources, even from physicians and locations external to OPNS.

Planned Visits

- What if you could have your EMR data, claims data, plan quality gaps, statewide discharge notifications and other physician EMR data in one location?
- Well, you can.
- As a patient checks-in or the day before the visit, review Health Focus to identify preventative care. Proactively address and openly communication pathways for health.

MHP IMPCP is the winner of a \$100 Panera gift card for sending 76 eReferrals so far in 2017!

Set secure.opns.org/portal as a favorite on your web browser!

Kim's Clue

Keep an eye out for Kim on secure.opns.org/registry



Email the webpage title name to OPNS.

Email your response to info@opns.org by March 31, 2017. Drawing winner will receive a \$25 gift card.

Kim's Clue February

Congrats to Angie K. from MHP Clarkston Medical Group. Winner of February's Kim's Clue!

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