



Alternative Payment Models in Medicaid

Payment Reform Strategy
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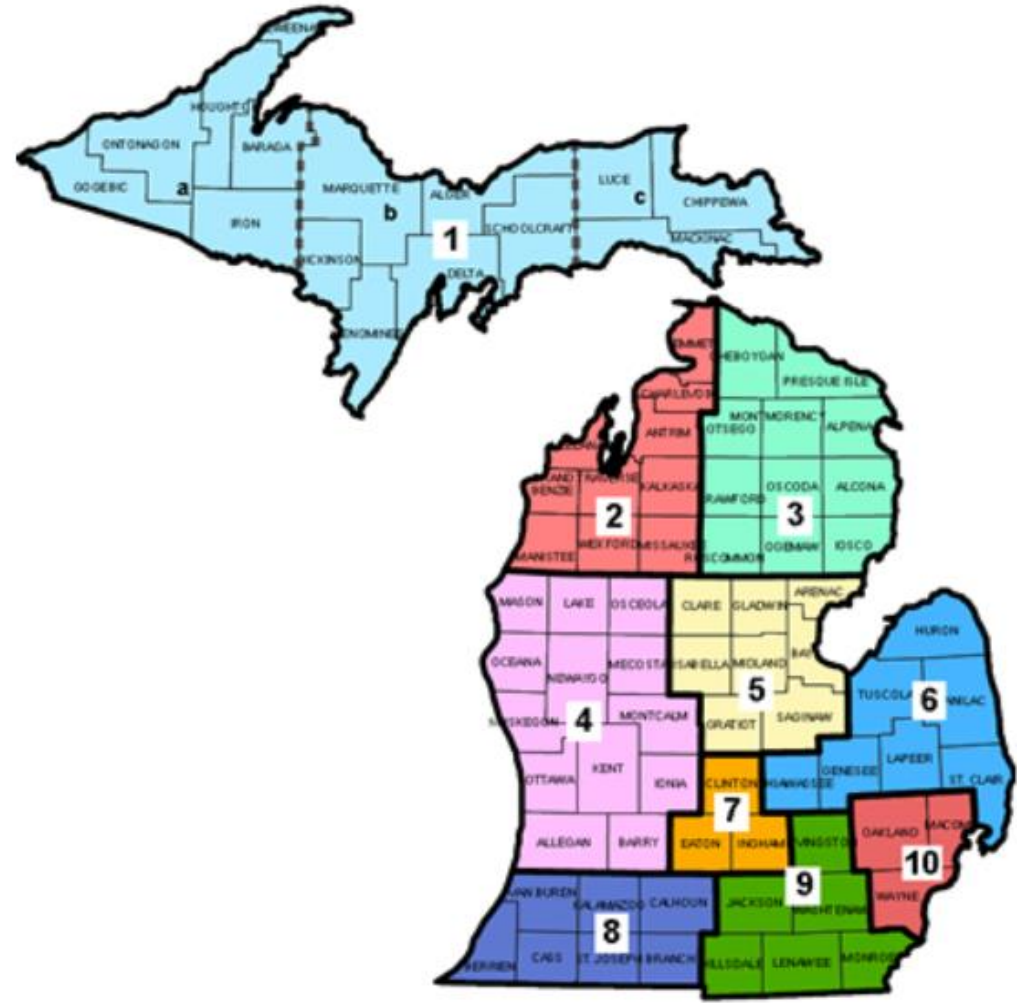
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Michigan's Medicaid Landscape

- Managed Care Program
- 11 Medicaid Health Plans
- Prosperity Regions



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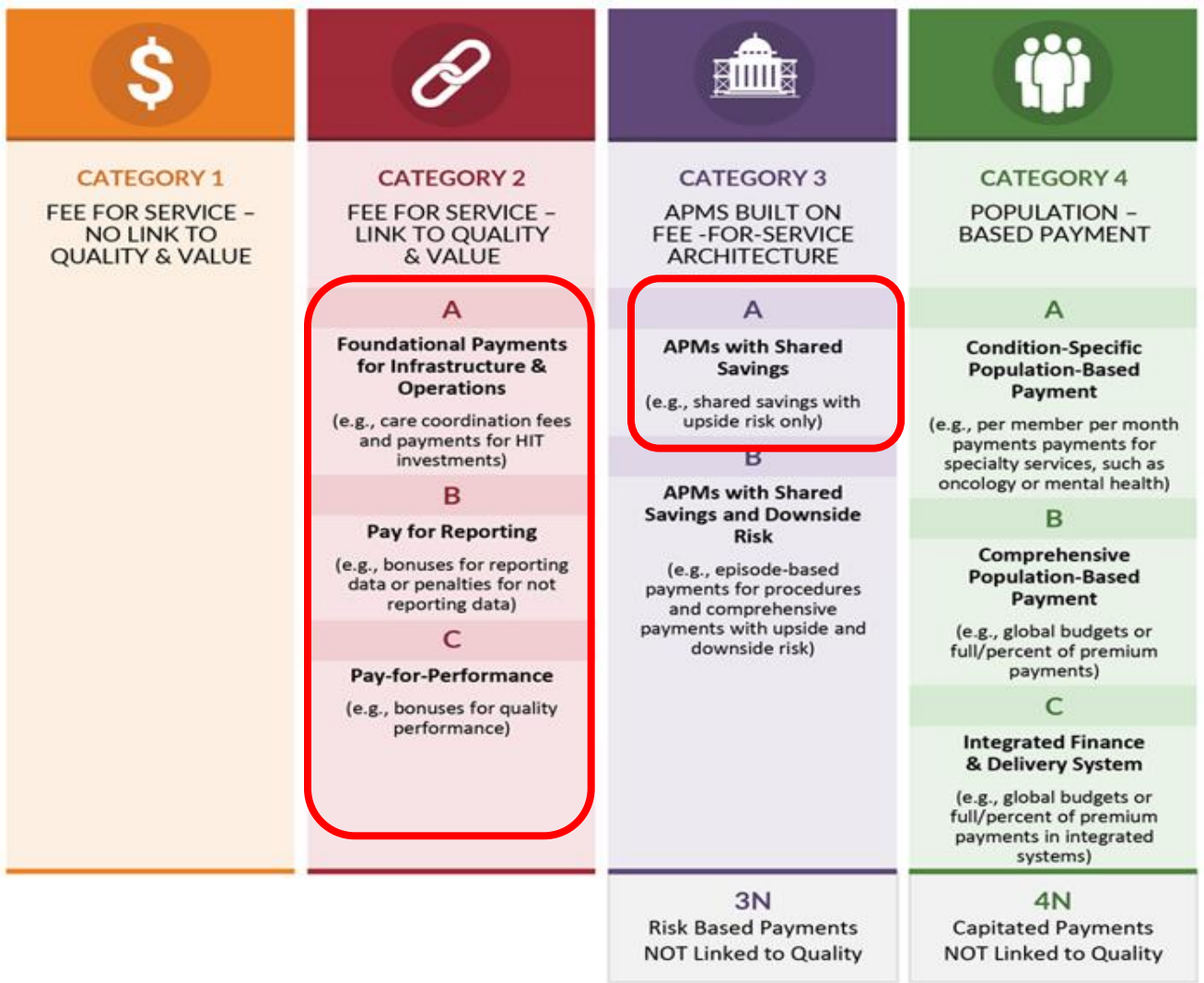
Michigan Blueprint for Health Innovation: Payment Reform Vision in 2012

The *Blueprint's* Conceptual Payment Framework:

Model Element	Payment Options
Patient Centered Medical Home	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Care management payments (risk-adjusted)• Practice transformation payments• Pay-for-performance incentives
Accountable Systems of Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Same as above• Shared savings upside only• Shared savings upside/downside• Partial capitation for defined services• Global payment for high cost conditions

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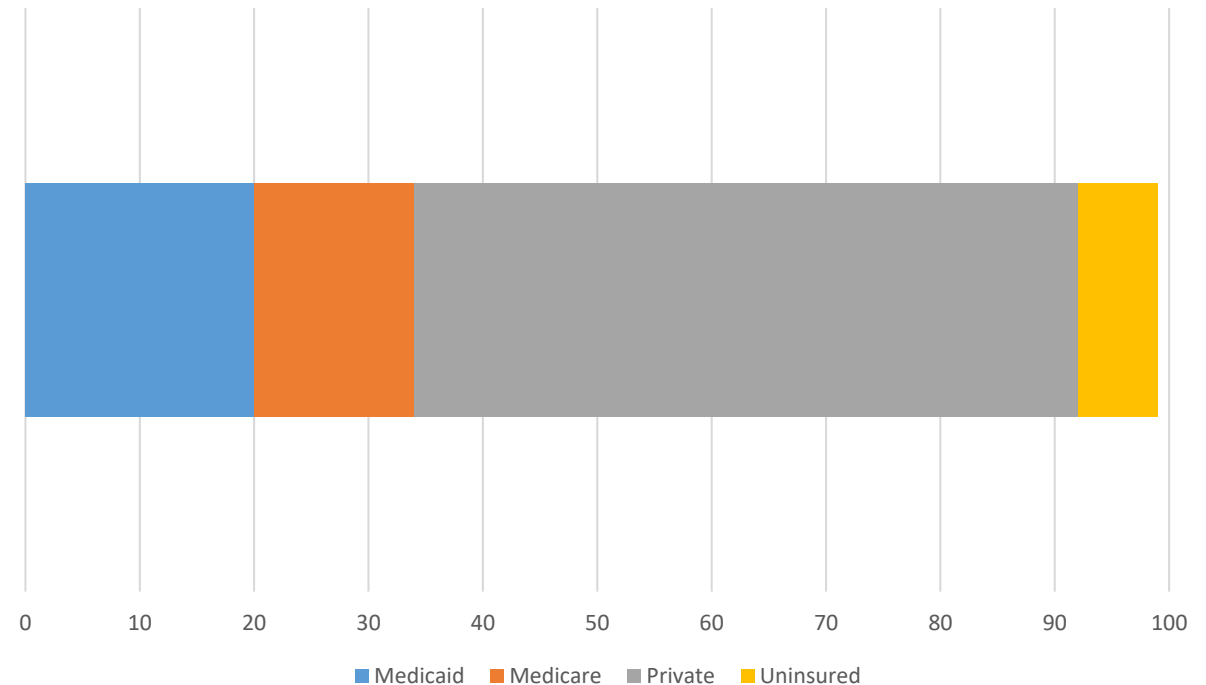
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Multi-Payer Partnership Is Key

- Michigan's Overall Payer Mix
 - Private- Employer: 52%
 - Private- Non-Group: 6%
 - Medicaid: 20%
 - Medicare: 14%
 - Uninsured: 7%
- Each of Michigan's payer mix categories (with the exception of the uninsured) is comprised of multiple health insurance providers



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Findings from Payment Reform Stakeholder Engagement: February 2015 to April 2016

- Strong MDHHS commitment to sustain and expand PCMH, including support for and coordination between MCO care managers and practice-based care managers
- Strong MDHHS commitment to begin defining and encouraging the development and adoption of payment that moves away from fee-for-service
- ASC would be resource-intensive to develop and regulate responsibly on behalf of our health plan partners managing financial risk.
- Payer / provider marketplace already developing innovative approaches to move away from fee-for-service
- Prescriptive approach not conducive to supporting and enhancing the market-driven payment innovations already underway

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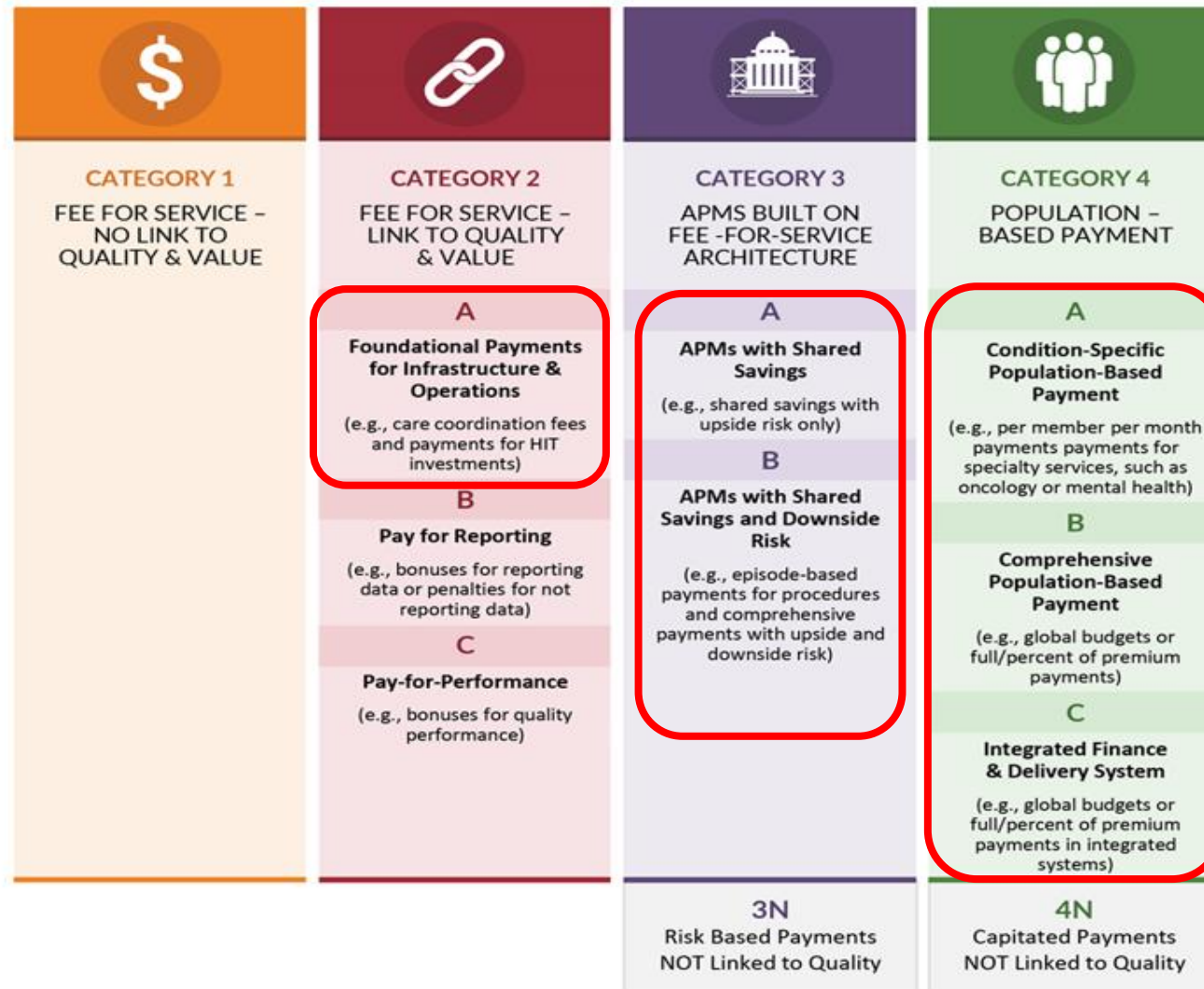
Broad Advanced Alternative Payment Model (APM) Approach

	Baseline Year 2016 & 2017	Initiative Year 1 2018	Initiative Year 2 2019	Initiative Year 3 2020
Broad APMs	Collect Michigan's APM baseline	Implement strategy and establish goals Progressively increase percentage of payment in APMs		

- Broad adoption of APMs will be allowable statewide
- APM adoption in Medicaid will be administered through the Medicaid managed care organization contract
- APM adoption by other payers will be encouraged through collaborative discussion and partnership

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Objectives

1. Increase APMs
2. Improve Quality
3. Reduce Provider Burden

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APM Initiative Process

Objective 1: Increase APMs	Objective 2: Improve Quality	Objective 3: Reduce Provider Burden
APM Reporting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data Collection 		
	Quality Strategy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Measures Plan-Specific 	
Oversight: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> APM Strategic Plan APM Implementation Plan 		
		State Preferred Model: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCMH

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Reporting: Data Collection Tool

- MDHHS developed a data collection tool to monitor progress of MHPs in implementing alternative payment methodologies (APMs)
- Data collection tool builds off of the LAN
 - LAN whitepaper. <https://hcp-lan.org/groups/apm-framework-refresh-white-paper/>
 - definitions in the APM Reporting Tool are almost all identical to LAN APM Data Collection Tool. <http://hcp-lan.org/workproducts/apm-measurement-final.pdf>
- Unlike the LAN, the MDHHS APM Reporting tool:
 - Focuses only on Medicaid line of business
 - Adds a “small numerator”
 - Includes “pay per click” as part of Category 2B
 - Defines dominant APM to be that in which most funding can be earned/lost by a provider (note: this only applies to the big numerator)

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Reporting: Data Collection Tool

- The report measures MHP implementation of APMs in two ways:

Big Numerator

- Follows LAN Framework
- Measures all provider payments that are part of a contract that includes an APM

Small Numerator

- MDHHS developed
 - Measures only those provider payments within a contract that are actually part of an APM (e.g., the incentive payment)
- MHPs reported 2 years worth of data to create a baseline
 - MDHHS provided extensive TA to ensure data was valid & reliable

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Other Elements in the Report

- **Potential Provider Incentive \$**
 - The full amount of funding that a provider in an APM arrangement may earn during the payment period if the provider meets all applicable quality and cost-effectiveness benchmarks for APMs that include Category 2B, 2C and/or 3A
- **Beneficiary Count & Provider Counts**
 - Captures individual count of beneficiaries and providers that participate in APMs
- **Subcategory**
 - Provides opportunity for MHPs to describe the different models and include narrative of where models overlap
- **Definitions**
 - Includes clarification on what words mean for the purposes of the APM reporting

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Quality Strategy

- Regional Measures
 - Data analysis & methodology
 - MHPs were required to include a region-specific HEDIS measures in any APM in all regions they operates in
- Medicaid Health Plan-Specific Measures
 - MHPs included at least one additional measure in their APM model, specific to their own performance improvement assessment and goals

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APM Strategic Plans

- MHP contracts required submission of APM strategic plans
 - Detailed how MHPs will increase use of APMs across LAN categories for a 3-year period
 - APM goals set by MHPs were based on baseline data
 - Included quality measures required by MDHHS
- MHPs submitted implementation plans for executing strategies
- MDHHS performed site visits to receive updates on progress by MHPs towards implementation of APM strategies consistent with implementation plans

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State-Preferred PCMH Model

- Sustaining Care Management & Care Coordination services for Medicaid beneficiaries (SIM)
- MHP PCMH Discovery Process
- PCMH Proposed Model & Feedback

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Health Plan PCMH Discovery Process

- All 11 MHPs submitted detailed information on their PCMH programs, including:
 - Current PCMH Program (narrative)
 - PCMH Designation Approach
 - Provider Eligibility and Participation
 - Care Management and Coordination Services
 - Link to Quality
 - Payment Methodology
 - Social Determinants of Health
 - Health Information Exchange Use Cases

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State-Preferred PCMH Model

- MDHHS has developed a set of statewide PCMH program parameters that will be linked to future bonus payments
- PCMH Model Components:
 - Recognizing Providers based on accreditation and performance
 - Payment Parameters for PCMH practices/providers
 - Quality Reporting
 - Monitoring

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Key Takeaways

- Validity and reliability of data collection process to accurately evaluate and monitor increases in APMs
- Quality improvement should be at the heart of adopting APMs
- Collaborative process and evidence based, rather than prescription and mandated methods to design a standard approach

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