Mary’s Center

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1. Future state

• Improve cervical cancer screening rates at our Prince George's County, MD site from baseline 75% to 82.5%.
  – Strategy: To identify, develop and implement and point of care system to identify care gaps for patients.

• Expand the use of the Point of Care Alert tool developed into all sites and add other clinical measures to it.
2. Key learnings

- Former policy provided guidelines of screening and attempted to accommodate participants
- Participant’s misunderstanding of cervical cancer screening
- Competing medical priorities
- Data pull coding
3. Impactful changes

- Updated policy
- Individual provider data dashboard
- Point of Care Alert tool pilot
- Update/constant review of data script
- Workflow changes
4. Benefits

- Updated policy provides specific guidance to medical staff
- Data to demonstrate range to improve
- Development of Point of Care Alert tool – improved chart review
- Engagement of staff involved in cancer screening: improved workflow with feedback
4. Benefits cont…

- Improved cancer screening rates
- Lower costs
- Educated, engaged and healthier participants
- Tool can be expanded to include other measures
5. Negative impacts

- No measurement of tool used long term (efficiency/efficacy) – lack of improvement
- People fall back into “old ways”
- Missed opportunities to close gaps of care
- Higher costs
- Measured outcomes goals
6. The “pitch”

- In order to sustain the spread this project:
  - It is a continuum
  - Time
  - Staff
  - Support platform
  - Accountability / Engagement
Thank you!