

Community Health Worker Roles Within a Coordinated Care Model Examples from Arizona

Patient Health Outcomes

- 20% reduction in hospital admissions.
- 30% of high risk patients with diabetes (>8.0 HbA1c) under control.
- Average 1% reduction in HbA1c among high risk patients with diabetes.
- Average 20 point decrease cholesterol among high risk patients.
- Decrease in appointment no-shows.
- Increased patient engagement with provider recommendations in primary & specialty care.

Adelante Healthcare Phoenix, AZ

Health Coach

- patient education/counseling
- Glucometer/insulin teaching
- Assisting patient with identifying available community resources
- Transition of care calls-scheduling follow up, medication reconciliation
- Transfer to RN if patient has medication questions
- Health plan data; care opportunities
- Pre-visit planning-screening/preventive care

Banner University Medical Group Tucson

Community Health Partners

- Home-based, interdisciplinary care management model
- Funded by University of Arizona Health Plans
- Focus on high utilizers of hospital services
- Chronic disease self-management support
- Transitions of care support
- Primary care visit preparation and accompany to visits
- Medication adherence support
- Community resource navigation
- Behavioral health care coordination

Mariposa Community Health Center Nogales, AZ

Care Coordinators

- Home visiting
- Chronic disease self-management education and support
- Glucometer support
- Follow up with patients from hospital or emergency room visits
- Health promotion education
- Referral and follow up

