

OKR 2 & 5 | Dialysis Care in Nursing Homes

Learning and Action Network (LAN)

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Meeting Logistics



Call is being recorded



All participants are muted upon joining the call

We want to hear from you.

Type questions and comments in the “Chat” section, located in the bottom-right hand corner of your screen.



Meeting materials will be posted to the ESRD NCC website


Ways to Spread Best Practices from Today's LAN

- Share your approaches and experiences via Chat
- Identify how today's information could be used at your facility
- Apply at least one idea from today's LAN at your facility
- Commit to sharing your learnings and ideas with other colleagues

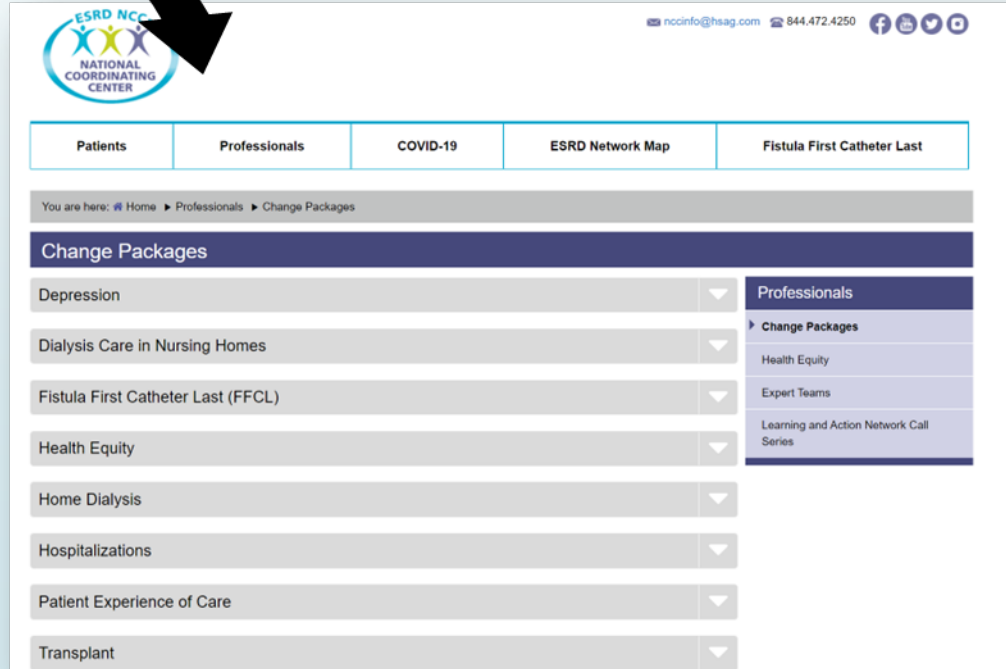
Learning and Action Networks (LANs) bring people together around a shared idea, opportunity, or challenge to offer and request information and experiences to improve the identified topic of discussion.

Polling Question #1

Have you previously used best practices from the change packages to improve your clinical outcomes?



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The screenshot displays the ESRD NCC National Coordinating Center website. At the top left is the ESRD NCC logo. To the right of the logo, the text "nccinfo@hsag.com" and "844.472.4250" is visible, along with social media icons for Facebook, LinkedIn, and YouTube. Below the header is a navigation bar with five tabs: "Patients", "Professionals", "COVID-19", "ESRD Network Map", and "Fistula First Catheter Last". Underneath the navigation bar, a breadcrumb trail reads "You are here: Home > Professionals > Change Packages". The main content area is titled "Change Packages" and features a list of dropdown menus: "Depression", "Dialysis Care in Nursing Homes", "Fistula First Catheter Last (FFCL)", "Health Equity", "Home Dialysis", "Hospitalizations", "Patient Experience of Care", and "Transplant". On the right side of this list, a sidebar menu is open, showing "Professionals" at the top, followed by "Change Packages" (which is highlighted with a blue background and a right-pointing arrow), "Health Equity", "Expert Teams", and "Learning and Action Network Call Series".

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High-Quality, On-Site Dialysis at Skilled Nursing Facilities



Streamline discharges and enhance patient care with on-site skilled nursing facility (SNF) dialysis from DaVita, a national leader in dialysis with 20+ years of experience.

Enhance Patient Care and Experience



Less Travel and More Time

Reduces the hassle of travel for dialysis—freeing up time for rehab, meals and other activities.



Reduce Patient, Staff and Community Risk

Helps lower the risk of missed treatments, travel-related complications and community exposure to infectious diseases.



Care Coordination & Continuity

Allows for greater communication and collaboration between physicians, hospital staff, SNF staff and DaVita, and offers care plan continuity with three-times-per-week treatments on conventional dialysis machines.

Reduce Barriers to Care



Streamline Discharge and Dialysis Admission

Improves the ease and speed of discharging patients by having one point of contact for both SNF and dialysis placement. On-site dialysis may also reduce the need for day-of-discharge treatment.



High-Acuity Patient Solution



Provides potential solution for high-acuity ventilated, tracheostomy, bariatric and memory care patients who are unable to travel to outpatient dialysis¹ and are limited to residing in a hospital/LTAC setting.







Bend the Cost Curve

Potential to bend the total cost-of-care curve by reducing hospital length of stay, transportation expenses, downstream readmissions and hospitalizations for patients treating on site.

An Industry Leader with Proven Outcomes Across Care Settings

Experienced Provider	Quality	Hospitalizations	Mortality
 <p>20 years of experience, 30+ million annual treatments, and 40% of U.S. dialysis patients</p>	 <p>96% of DaVita clinics rated 3+ stars by CMS</p>	 <p>19% reduction in hospitalizations since 2010 across DaVita¹</p>	 <p>7% reduction in mortality since 2011 across DaVita²</p>

Dedicated Team Applying Outpatient Model to SNF Setting

Care Continuity	Access	Patient Centered	Coordination
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3x weekly treatments with conventional machines • 7,600+ credentialed attending nephrologists 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 95% in-network coverage • Ability to serve high-acuity populations (e.g., vent/trach, bariatric, etc.) 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence-based approach • Best practices in adequacy, infection control, fluid management and more 	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Streamline hospital discharge and SNF admissions • Avoid missed treatments, ER visits and hospitalizations

DaVita On-Site SNF Dialysis Improves Patient Outcomes



Patients on-site experience **15% fewer readmissions** than dialysis centers (29% vs. 34% national average)³

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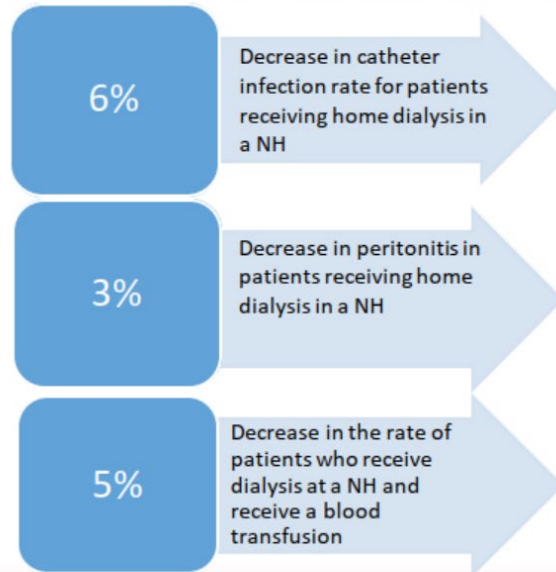
Quick Overview

Bridge Dialysis-Utah

- 6 Locations throughout the state.
- 2 Additional Coming on!
- Additional Expansion for 2024 in additional States!

Clinical Focuses

CMS and ESRD Network Goals May 2023 – April 2024



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What Is Bridge Doing around this?

-Increased Education/Communication with NH staff and NH leadership around proper staff co-managing these.

-Working with Medical Director on adjusted Anemia Management measures. One size does not fit all approach. Ongoing assessments, and adjustments!

Building a Robust QAPI Program

2023 QAPI Focus:

2023 Bridge UT Goals:

- Clinical
 - Return to Acute - DON/ADON's
 - Kt/V score: (Goal >2.0) - DON/ADON's
 - Infection Rates (Goal Less 1%) - DON/ADON's
 - Adverse Events- DON/ADON's
 - Staff Education/Training - Dialysis Tech Supervisor
 - Water Testing - Biomed / Administrator
 - Lab Results - ADON's / DON
 - Anemia Management- DON
 - PM Logs for RO & T Machines - Biomed
- Cultural
 - Employee Turnover: <15% Annualized – HR Director
 - Facility Contract Satisfaction- Admin
 - OT Report – HR Report
- Financial
 - EBIT – Admin
 - Labor Overage/Under Report – HR/Admin
 - Average Daily Treatments per unit – Admin
 - Spend Down Update

*Our focus in 2023 was creating meaningful QAPI program to push to become the standard in what we do.

What have we learned in a year?

A LOT!!!!

- Involvement with state entities we knew nothing about prior.
- Along ways to go with network engagement!
- Multitude of resources to learn and develop off of.
- Significance of creating the right leadership structure to navigate the world of NH Dialysis.
- Significance of frequent compliance audits.
- iCar audits value and state affiliation between Dialysis/SNF/State!

Questions?



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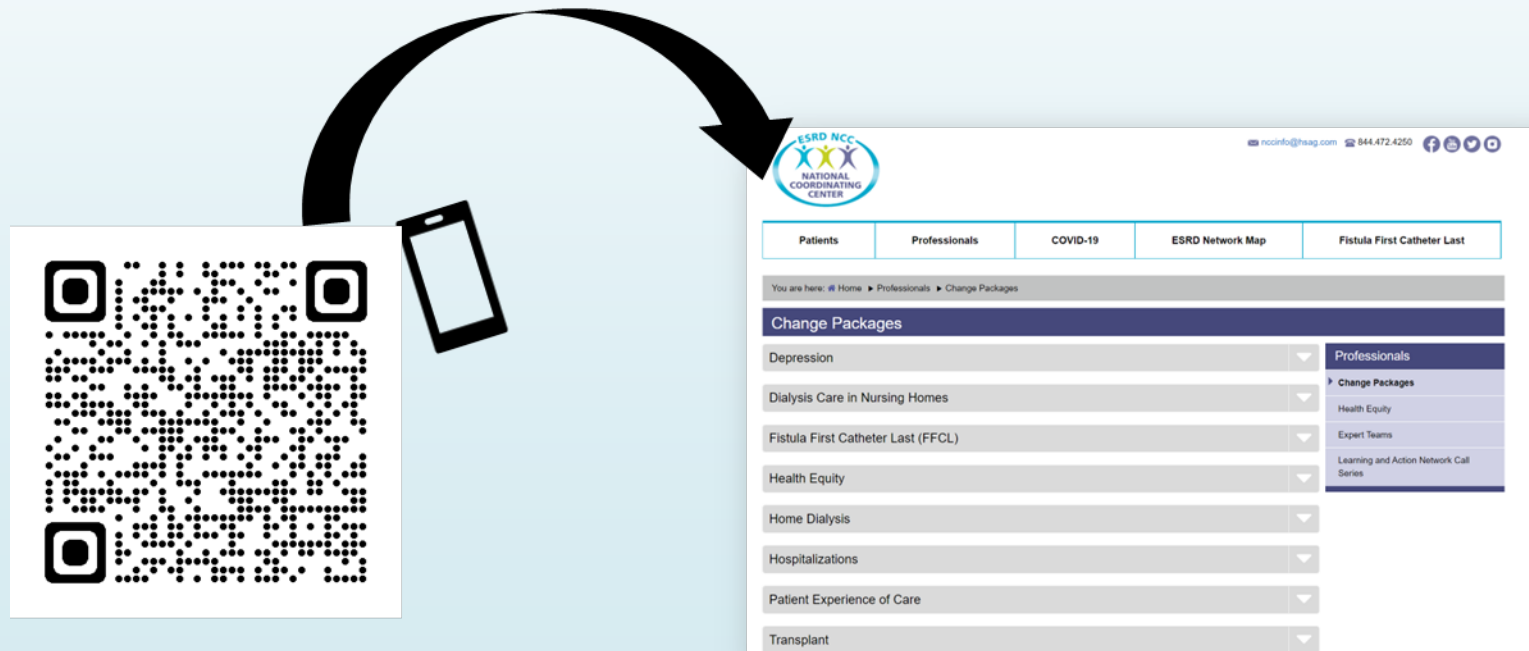
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Moving from Learning to Action...

Share best practices from this presentation with your colleagues.

Use the ESRD NCC Changes Packages to improve patient outcomes and overall patient experience of care.

Please complete the post-event survey.



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