



2023-24
LAC+USC
Medical Center
Strategic Initiatives

Final 01/2023

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

VISION

To lead the nation
in building healthy
communities



Values

We value **TEAMWORK** as an essential attribute of all we do.

We value **ACCOUNTABILITY** in the services we provide and the just use of resources in delivering care.

We value **TRUST** in our colleagues, our work, and our accomplishments.

We value **COMPASSION** in our interactions with our patients and each other, so that we accept people as they are and foster healing and wholeness.

Goals

POPULATION HEALTH,
VALUE BASED CARE
& TECHNOLOGY

- Provide cost-effective patient-centered care across the continuum

QUALITY, SAFETY, &
PATIENT EXPERIENCE

- Grow our culture of improvement and innovation

COMMUNITY

- Engage and partner with our community

WORKFORCE

- Retain the workforce of the future

FISCAL
SUSTAINABILITY

- Ensure financial viability in support of our vision

POPULATION HEALTH, VALUE BASED CARE & TECHNOLOGY:

Provide cost-effective patient-centered care across the continuum

Population Health

1. Decrease inappropriate use of ED and Urgent Care
2. Enhance care transitions and care management efforts for high-risk patients

Value Based Care

1. Restore and reimagine clinical services while responding to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic
2. Expand support services to address social determinants

Technology

1. Leverage data to drive clinical and operational decisions

Population Health

Decrease inappropriate use of ED and urgent Care

- Fully implement ED X project; metrics being developed

Enhance care transitions and care management efforts for high-risk patients

- Provide transitions of care follow up to DHS patients post in-network and OON discharges; develop measures and targets in alignment with DHS PC leadership

Value Based Care

Restore and re-imagine clinical services while responding to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic

- Ensure patients are offered an appointment in specialty care within the appropriate time period 85% of the time – Suggest measuring % of clinics meeting target –current data 4/36=or 11%
- Complete and read all radiology diagnostic studies within targeted timeframes (i.e., stat <30 min, routine inpatient <24 hours, routine outpatient <6 weeks)

Expand support services to address social determinants

- Successfully connect patients with identified substance use and mental health needs with relevant services. Develop targets in alignment and partnership with DHS PC and SW leadership for: depression screening (QIP Measures); substance use screening and referrals, food insecurity screening and referral and MLCP

Technology

Leverage data to drive clinical and operational decisions

- Establish tools and dashboards for use of data from ASTER system

QUALITY, SAFETY, & PATIENT EXPERIENCE:

Grow our
culture of
improvement
and innovation

Quality

1. Achieve high performance on publicly reported quality measures
2. Establish Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Anti-Racism (EDIA) infrastructure

Safety

1. Enhance organizational infrastructure for patient safety

Patient Experience

1. Improve patient satisfaction and engagement

Quality

Achieve high performance on publicly reported quality measures

- Achieve QIP indicators: Meet >50% of QIP primary access and preventative care priority measures by the end of 2024 reporting year (12/2024)
- Achieve A letter grade for Leapfrog

Establish Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Anti-Racism (EDIA) infrastructure

- Establish LAC+USC Subcommittee on EDIA
- Work with HCIP to contribute to DHS EDIA strategic plan by July 2024

Safety

Enhance organizational infrastructure for patient safety

- Achieve targets in CAUTI 1.287, need 0.427, CLABSI 0.882 need 0.418), HAPU 1.48 need 0.41), Falls for Magnet status (leapfrog)
- Target for Magnet is 51% of units with greater than peer average
- Reduce staff assaults

Patient Experience

Improve patient satisfaction and engagement

- Reduce call center abandonment rates for LAC+USC (current rate is 9.9%)
- Achieve Magnet targets for nursing communication (>51% percentile ranking [>95 linear score for Leapfrog])
- Achieve Leapfrog targets for physician communication (>95 linear score); Staff responsiveness (>91 linear score); Communication about medications (>86 linear score) and Discharge Information (>92 linear score)
- Increase active capacity utilized by DHS empaneled patients from 82% to 85% by June 2024

WORKFORCE:

Retain the
workforce of
the future

Retain

1. Support individual and organizational resiliency and wellness
2. Optimize employee engagement strategies

Retain

Support individual and organizational resiliency and wellness

- Establish a wellness infrastructure for employees at LAC+USC

Optimize employee engagement strategies

- Improve employee engagement as measured by employee engagement survey
- (Specific metrics TBD)

FISCAL SUSTAINABILITY:

Ensure financial viability in support of our vision

Fiscal Management Tools

1. Create financial tools to facilitate fiscal management

Service Optimization

1. Reduce unnecessary expenditures while maintaining clinical service levels

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- Successfully implement and begin use of tools and dashboards for cost accounting system by Q1 2024

Service Optimization

Reduce unnecessary expenditures while maintaining clinical service levels

- Establish metrics for timely billing
- Establish controllable write-offs targets and reduce them

COMMUNITY:

Engage and partner with our community

Engage

1. Optimize communication with the community

Partner

1. Recruit and retain a robust Patient Family Advisory Council

Engage

Optimize
communication
within the
community

- Rebrand live Townhalls to better communicate within the organization and the community

Partner

Recruit and retain a robust Patient Family Advisory Council

- Number of QI/operational projects with PFAC input



Thank you