# TANDEM365 CARE IS BETTER TOGETHER

#### INNOVATION MODEL:

#### A Comprehensive Care Management Solution For The Community

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#### TANDEM365

ECHO, LLC

#### Established 2013

#### Five Partners:

- Clark Retirement
- Holland Home
- Life EMS
- Porter Hills
- Sunset



#### The Journey of Tandem365

Extended care providers began working together with hospitals and other community health providers 4 years ago

Focused on reducing avoidable hospital admissions and emergency room visits, improving care transitions.

Transformed friendly competitors to trusted co-collaborators motivated to think BIGGER.

Created a vision for a new care model, Tandem 365.



#### Value of Collaboration

Experienced Organizations

- -Shared experiences
- -Expert Leaders
- -Unified approach
- -Ability to capitalize on the strength of each organization



- -Resources
- -Capital investment

- -Mission and Vision aligned
- -Creates interest in the community
- -Entices others to get interested



# Understanding the Need

Experienced senior providers:

- -High quality providers
- -Connected to the community
- -Progressive service lines
- -Focused on creating services that improve overall patient experience

Post-Acute providers understanding the needs of the community:

- -health systems
- -payers
- -patients
- -caregivers

Identified problems:

- -readmission penalties
- -rising cost of care
- -fragmented health system
- -lack of communication/coordination
- -complex health conditions/care-giver stress

Solution oriented:

- -partnered with hospitals
- -created services to fill gaps
- -community oriented
- -utilized existing programs
- -enhanced current programs



#### Concept Overview

Designed to improve health and reduce costs for elders



#### For those generally healthy:

- Model seeks to improve health behaviors - use other means to maintain and improve health
- Avoid or delay catastrophic events and onset of physical/behavioral chronic disease.



- Provide a wide range of services
- Stabilize then improve overall health, with a corresponding reductions in high-cost service utilization



#### Concept Overview

Systematic assessment approach

- -physical
- -behavioral
- -social/financial
- -spiritual

**Person Centered** 

- -preferences
- -priorities

Interdisciplinary Team (IDT)

- -creates "life plan"
- -conduct daily care conference

Key players - RN and MSW navigators.

- -hold the story
- -right services at the right time

Non-Traditional Interventions:

- -Advanced Care Planning
- -Accompany to physician appointments and ED visits
- -Transportation, meals, home support, home safety, financial planning, volunteers, long term planning

- -Availability 24/7
- -Triage urgent/emergent needs
- -ICP (integrated care paramedics) support "life plan"
- -Collaborate and coordinate with home health, skilled nursing facilities, other senior programs



# Tactical Strategies

-Rapid response protocols designed to address crisis calls, prevent avoidable ED visits & inpatient admissions.

-Extensive use of in home technologies

-Individualized "high touch" participant interaction

-Introduction of a proposed payment model, which eliminates incentives to use services

-Reduce errors - waste through a network wide commitment to LEAN methods.

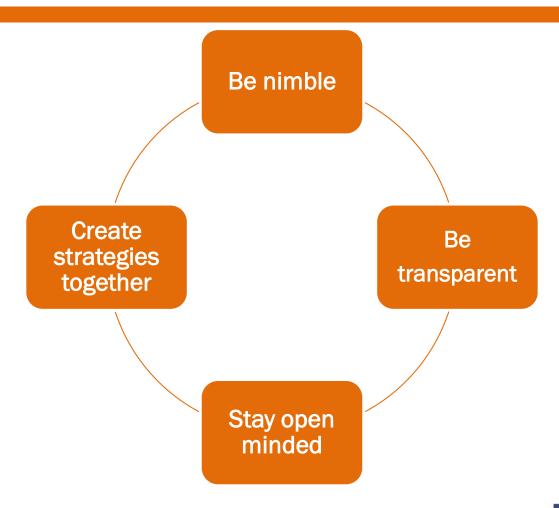


### Creating Value with the Payer





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#### CURRENT STATE

Census 350

Totaled Enrolled 425

**Expanded Territories** 

Expanded referral sources



### CURRENT STATE

Total Members\*

Estimated Gross Allowed Amt Savings

PH Investment (through March 2015)

Estimated Net Savings

\$1,853,389

(\$1,129,630)

\$723,759

	Pre <sup>1</sup>	Post <sup>2</sup>	Difference	% inc / (dec)
Mbr Mos.	2,250	1,830		
Allowed Amt PMPM	\$3,539	\$2,526	\$1,013	(28.6%)
Acute IP Stays / 1,000 Mbr Mos	101	55	46	(45.8%)
ER Visits / 1,000 Mbr Mos	276	156	120	(43.5%)
OP Visits / 1,000 Mbr Mos	1,031	923	108	(10.5%)
Specialty Visits / 1,000 Mbr Mos	2,234	1,698	536	(24.0%)
SNF Stays / 1,000 Mbr Mos	37	19	18	(49.6%)
SNF Days / 1,000 Mbr Mos	669	275	393	(58.8%)

<sup>\*</sup> Includes all members who enrolled prior to 6/30/2015, for the duration of their enrollment, regardless of current enrollment status

<sup>1 &</sup>quot;Pre" includes 14 mos. up to 2 mos. before starting Tandem365

<sup>2 &</sup>quot;Post" includes all enrolled mos. after starting Tandem365, services through 8/31/2015 and paid through 10/31/2015

#### **FUTURE**

Next 3 years - Ending June 30th 2018

Enroll 2000

Expand geographic reach to additional counties

Seek additional funding opportunities

Dual eligible project with state of Michigan



#### What's Next

Establish best practices and outcome measures.

Gain experience and confidence.

Focus on barriers and find solutions.

Adjust the concept based on reality BUT stay focused on the desired outcomes.

Continue to develop Tandem's own culture.



# Questions? TANDEM365 CARE IS BETTER TOGETHER