# MORE Care in Ohio

## **Medical Oral Expanded Care**



# Significant tooth decay in very young children is still a costly and painful problem in Ohio. Partner with us to be part of the solution.



We are recruiting five primary care practices to identify and partner with five dental practices to participate in MORE  $Care^{TM}$  — a care improvement program that integrates oral health into primary care and advances value-based care. Apply by August 31, 2022.

## Join Us to Improve Oral Health and Advance Value-Based Care in Ohio

By participating in the MORE Care virtual learning community, your team will be part of a cohort of other practices in Ohio who are working toward the same goals to improve oral health in your community.

In addition to the work among medical and dental teams to coordinate care, participating providers receive financial rewards — performance incentives based on shared goals — allowing simulation of a value-based reimbursement model. Teams will receive an upfront stipend of \$5,000, and up to \$25,000 in compensation for data submission and performance against shared goals.

Regardless of experience with value-based care, participation in MORE Care will give care teams a no risk opportunity to learn and grow in new areas — like incentive-based reimbursement and coordinating care to support patient oral health needs.

Ohio is the only state in the country that is advancing valuebased care in oral health from a decision-making model driven by practitioners who will be impacted by value-based care.

#### **MORE Care Model**

#### Medical •

#### **Oral Health at Well-Child Visit**

- Review medical/dental histories.
- Perform Oral Health Evaluation (HEFNOT)
- Document findings and management plan, including referrals.
- Apply fluoride (SDF to be explored).

#### **Disease Management**

- Engage in shared decision-making to decrease or maintain low oral health risk (risk factor identification).
- Set oral health self-management goals.
- Follow up and develop referral plan.

# Cooperative • Tasks

- Coordinate care with bidirectional referral system.
- Initiate, develop, and improve interprofessional communication.
- Create shared outcomes through collaborative interprofessional practice.
- Develop joint treatment planning and record keeping.

#### **Dental**

#### **Dental Care Appointment**

- Review medical/dental histories.
- Complete Caries Risk Assessment and assign status (Low/Moderate/High).
- Conduct Preventive Dental Care Appointment.
- Create treatment plan focused on disease management.

#### **Disease Management**

- Engage in shared decision-making aimed at prevention and/or stabilization of disease (self-management goals).
- Establish re-care appointments according to patient needs.
- Initiate and sustain patient-centered interprofessional communication.

Developed by CareQuest Institute for Oral Health, MORE Care provides a framework, tools, and guidance for medical providers to integrate oral health competencies and capabilities into the primary care practice and improve oral health within a community. Analyses of MORE Care programs in multiple states shows significant improvement in the percentage of pediatric patients who had oral health risk assessments completed, self-management goals reviewed, and received fluoride varnish.



# Application and Selection

## Who should apply?

 Prioritization will be given to practices in Muskingum, Scioto, Ross, Pike, Hardin, and Lucas counties, but surrounding counties will also be considered.



- Practices with a payer mix including at least 15% Medicaid (including Medicaid managed care entities).
- Practices that have an existing relationship with a dental provider/practice or are willing to establish one.
- Practices that can appoint a
   "MORE Care Team" including
   a point-person, clinical champion,
   and data manager. These team
   members should expect to
   spend an average of 3–5 hours
   a month on program activities
   (note that this may vary based on
   team structure).

Apply by August 31, 2022.

### **Multi-Year Commitment to Sustain Oral Health Transformation**

MORE Care Ohio will occur over 25 months to allow adequate time for teams to prepare, learn, improve, and gain experience in a value-based care model and to allow for participants and Oral Health Ohio to evaluate impact and learnings from the experience.

#### 2022

- Team recruitment.
- Teams prepare for successful MORE Care experience.
- Build data and reporting infrastructure for participation in value-based reimbursement simulation.
- Begin virtual learning community in October.

#### 2023

- Participate in learning community activities through July.
- Teams continue to advance oral health efforts on their own, yielding earning through the value-based reimbursement simulation and monitoring progress against reports provided.

#### 2024

Continue participation in value-based reimbursement simulation to support sustainable change.



If you have questions, contact

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To apply, visit oralhealthohio.org/apply.

## **Important Dates for Application and Selection**

| Applications due          | August 31, 2022 |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Participant onboarding    | September 2022  |
| Learning community begins | October 2022    |

#### **About Oral Health Ohio**

Oral Health Ohio (OHO) is a statewide coalition of partners who advocate and educate to improve the oral health of Ohioans across the lifespan. OHO is leading the value-based care in dentistry initiative by providing the infrastructure for engagement and workflow to investigate its potential to improve oral health.

#### **About CareQuest Institute for Oral Health**

<u>CareQuest Institute for Oral Health</u>® is a national nonprofit championing a more equitable future where every person can reach their full potential through excellent health. CareQuest Institute does this through their work in grantmaking, research, health improvement programs, policy and advocacy, and education.

