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# Healthy Agencies Create Healthy Communities: 5 Tools to Prepare

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### Introduction

- Presenter introduction
- Preview of presentation
- Your questions answered



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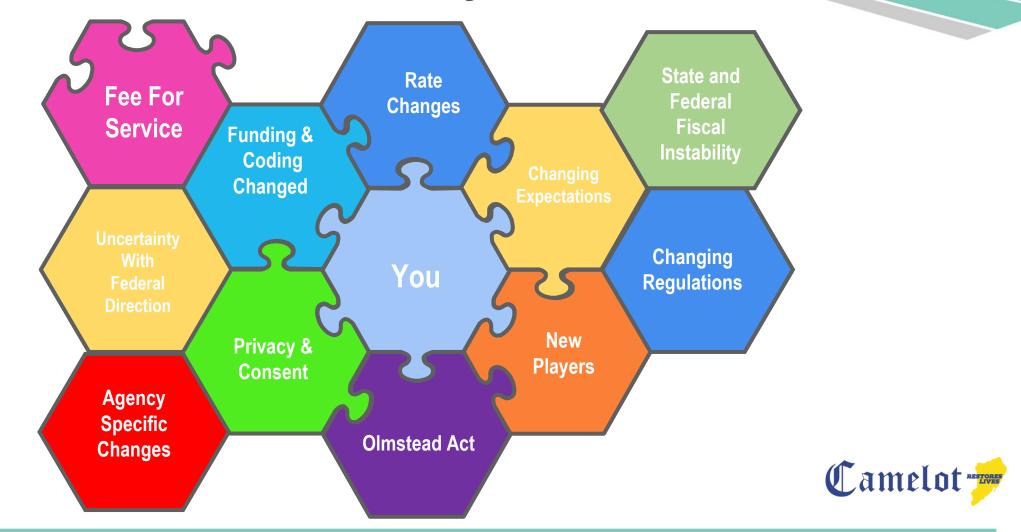
# **Healthy Communities**

- Healthy participants
- Healthy agency
- Healthy staff
- Healthy community



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### What Do You Face Today?



### **Feel Familiar?**









### Why Are We Seeing So Many Changes?

Depends upon your perspective....

- Control cost
- Control quality of service delivery
- Provide an evidence-based service delivery structure
- Create efficiencies
- Structure for value-based care





### Fears Associated with Change

- We won't be able to do business
- Rates are inadequate
- Consumers will go without
- Unfunded mandates
- Increased administrative burden





# What Can We Expect?

- Continued focus on integrated care
- Partnerships and mergers
- Population and community health focus
- Focused initiatives i.e. suicide prevention, opioid crisis
- Managed care
- Value-based care





# **Dealing with Changes**

**Quality leadership** 

Quality workforce

Data/information



# **Key Elements**

#### Leadership

- Leadership buy-in and culture
  Sk
  change management
  - Cul
- Human resource development
- Quality assurance protocols internal to the agency
- Mission-driven strategy

#### Workforce

- Skill set
- Culture
- Data acceptance and utilization
- Adaptability

- Data
- Meeting your obligations
- Improved decision-making
- Improved efficiency
- Collaboration and interoperability
- Marketing oneself



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# Leadership Strategy

- Leadership buy-in and culture change management
  - What does your team know, and who is not "in the know"?
  - How is information managed? What is the tone/expectation of anticipated changes?
- Human resources development for unifying expectations, implementing practice and training
- Quality assurance protocols internal to the agency that complement state outcome goals and offer a strong feedback loop to quality improvement
- Mission-driven strategy for how to integrate new services into provision and billing



# Workforce

- **Skill Set –** Staff need to be placed in situations that require their skills and where they can be successful
- **Culture –** Foster a culture of responsibility, mission, and excellence
- Data Accountability Use data to inform, manage, operate, and deliver services
- Adaptability Changes will happen if staff are adaptable to change



# 5 Ways to Use Data

#### 1. Meet your obligations

- You are accountable to many people exceed those obligations
- 2. Implement a dynamic management system with informed decision-making by

#### all agency personnel

- Gut decisions do not work
- Continuously improve using your organizational memory
- Data, information, knowledge, wisdom

#### 3. Efficiencies in service delivery

- Manage delivery and documentation
- 4. Seek opportunities for collaboration and interoperability
  - Standalone agencies will struggle without collaboration
- 5. Market yourself
  - You're a business and need to sell yourself



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# **Meeting Your Obligations**

- External obligations
  - Government
  - Funders
  - Accreditation bodies etc.
- Internal obligations
  - Individuals in service
  - Board of directors
  - Staff and others

 Meet Your Obligations
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# **Meeting Your Obligations**

#### Organizing Data

Name of Agency Staff	Agency Title	Entity Accountable To	Type of Measure	Specific Measurement	Frequency of Report
John Smith	CEO	Clients	Outcomes	Employment	Quarterly
				Hospitalization	Daily
		ECT.			
			Incidents	Level 1 and 2	Daily
				Other Levels	Weekly
		ETC.			
		B.O.D.	Fiscal	Annual Report	Annually
				Balance Sheet	Quarterly
		ETC.			
		Government	Census	Registrations	Monthly
			Utilization	Attendance	Annual Slide





# Informed Decision-Making

- Data-based decision-making
  - Data
  - Information
  - Knowledge
  - Wisdom
- Everyone's job
  - Administrators
  - Supervisor
  - Clinicians
  - Oversight and support

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# Managing with Data

Organizational memory is the accumulated body of data, information, and

knowledge created in the course of an individual organization's existence.

Creating organizational knowledge:

- Data... Obtain
- Information... Link the data
- Knowledge... Organize the information
- Wisdom... Apply knowledge to issue





# **Dynamic Management**

Interactive process of data feeding back into operations

- Be informed
- Be flexible
- Be able to rapidly adapt

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# Accessibility to Decision-Making Data

- Key staff have access and knowledge of the system
- Regular use of the system
- Tracking outside of the system
- Reports from the system—client demographics/profile, client outcomes, LOS
- Ongoing review of data
- Staff training and re-training, new features





# **Efficiencies in Service Delivery**

- Services
  - Reduce no-shows
  - Outcome oriented
- Documentation
  - Person centered
  - Collaborative

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### **Collaboration and Interoperability**

- Need to work and communicate with other providers
- Need to be able to exchange data HIE

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# Market Yourself

- Value to your funder
- Value as a partner
- Efficiency
- Effectiveness
- Person to person outreach

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# Leveraging Your Data

How to use the data to advance your agency:

- Develop outcome-based information
  - Individual
  - Provider
  - System
- Value-based information
- Staff expertise
- Board influences
- Stories with data



# Identifying the Data

Performance Improvement:

- Target a specific area for improvement
- Suggest potential indicators of progress
- Identify source of information
- State expected results
- Identify anticipated time to see improvement
- Review and modify practices or indicators



### Remember to...

- Incorporate a culture of accountability
- Maintain a person-centered philosophy
- Establish a concurrent approach
- Avoid losing your culture
- Enhance your agency operations
- Ensure regulatory requirements are met
- Review existing capacity against idea
- Achieve a value-based mentality
- Smart implementation of change

- > Everyone's responsibility
- > Clinically right
- > Many benefits
- > Consumer portal
- > Information
- > Electronically
- > Continuously
- > Foundation
- > Acceptance and success





# Thank you!



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