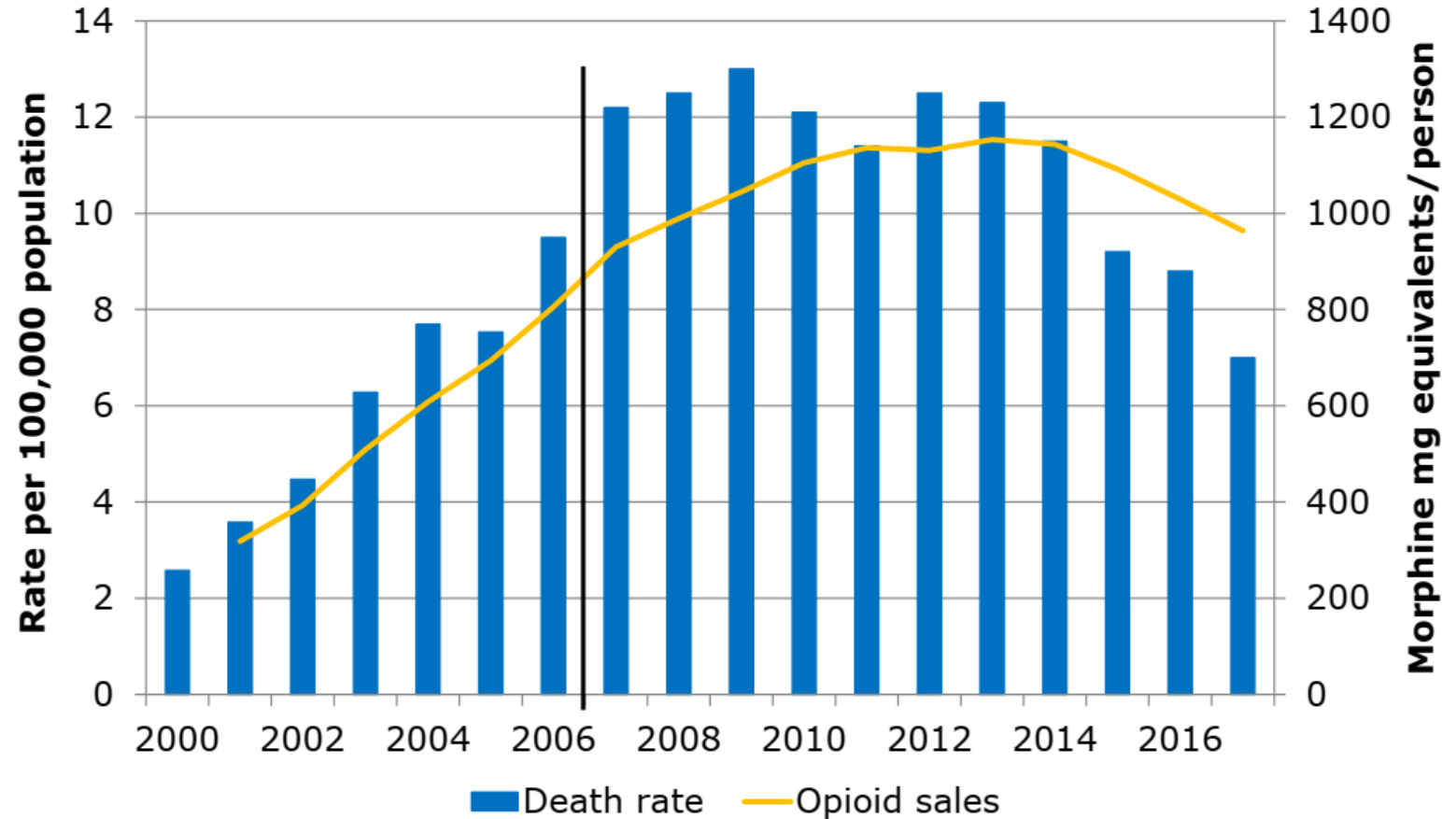


# PREVENTING NEW CASES OF OPIOID USE DISORDER: OKLAHOMA'S DO NO HARM PROGRAM



# Oklahoma's opioid crisis driven by prescription medication

Unintentional Opioid-related Overdose Death Rates<sup>1</sup> and Opioid Sales per Person<sup>2</sup>, Oklahoma, 2000-2017



Sources:

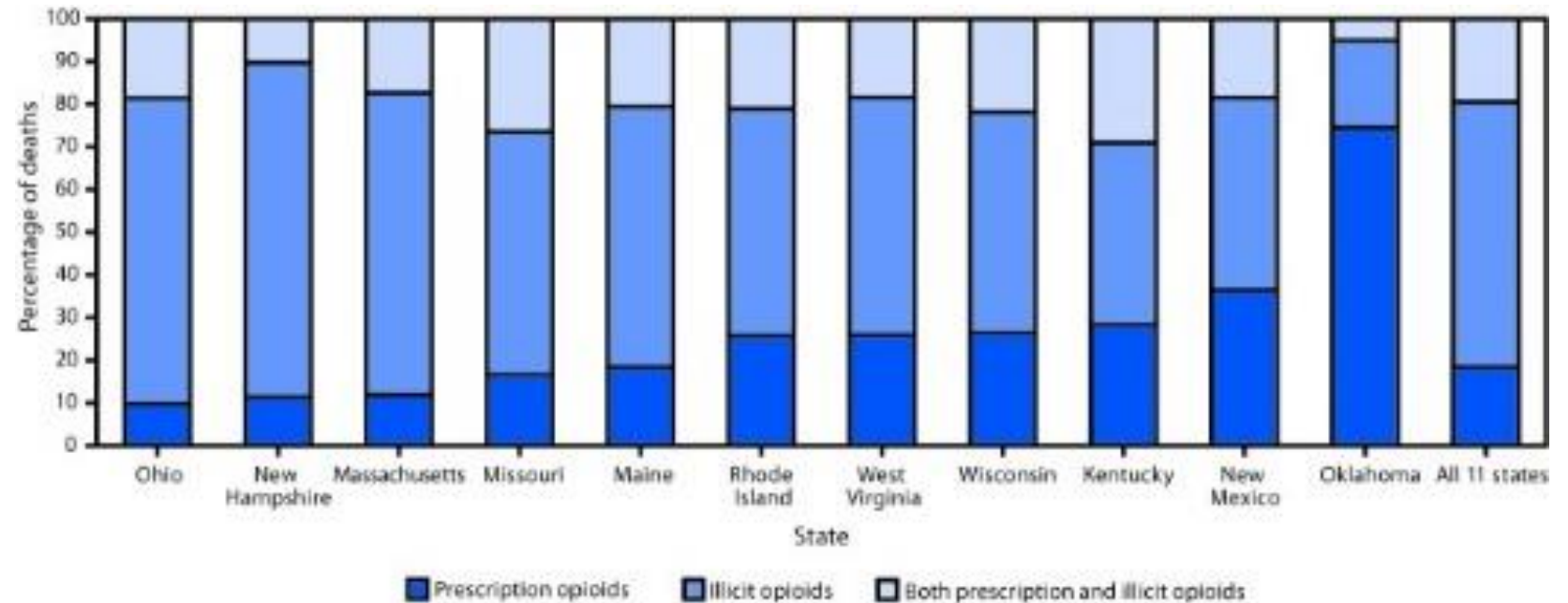
<sup>1</sup>OSDH, Injury Prevention Service, Fatal Unintentional Poisoning Surveillance System (Abstracted from Medical Examiner reports)

<sup>2</sup>U.S. Dept of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration, Office of Diversion Control, Automation of Reports and Consolidated Orders System (ARCOS) Reports, Retail Drug Summary Reports by State, Cumulative Distribution Reports (Report 4).



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Percentage of opioid overdose deaths in which prescription opioids only, illicit opioids, only, or both prescription and illicit opioids were detected, by state, July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

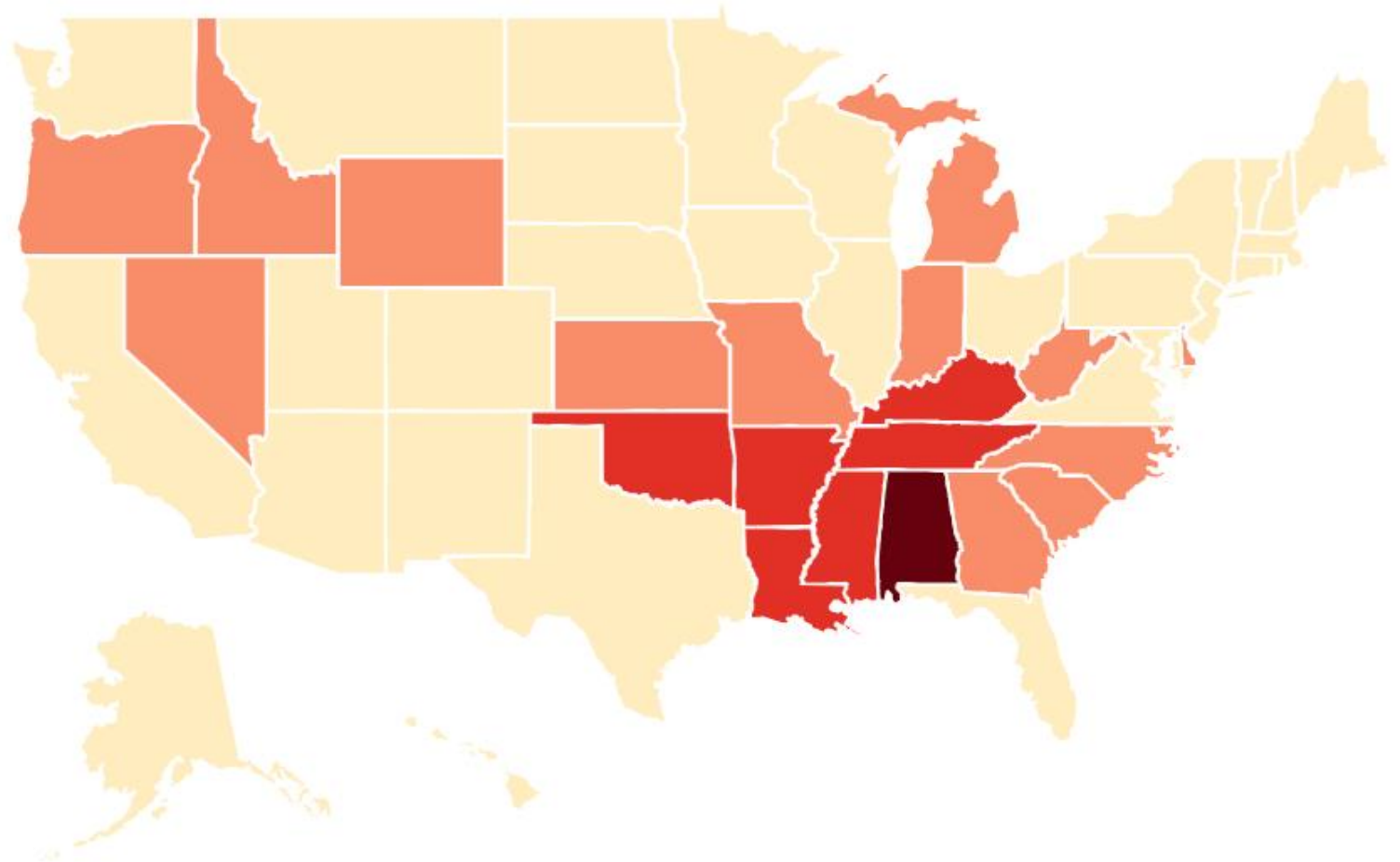


Source: MMWR Morb Mortal Wkly Rep. 2018 Aug 31; 67(34): 945-951.



**Oklahoma  
opioid  
prescribing  
rates  
decreasing,  
but still high**

U.S. Opioid Prescribing Rates per 100 Persons, 2017



Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Division of Unintentional Injury Prevention



# Prevention Intervention

Partnership with University of Oklahoma's Oklahoma Primary Healthcare Improvement Cooperative (OPHIC)

Emphasis on primary care practices

Applies Dissemination and Implementation (D&I) research methods:

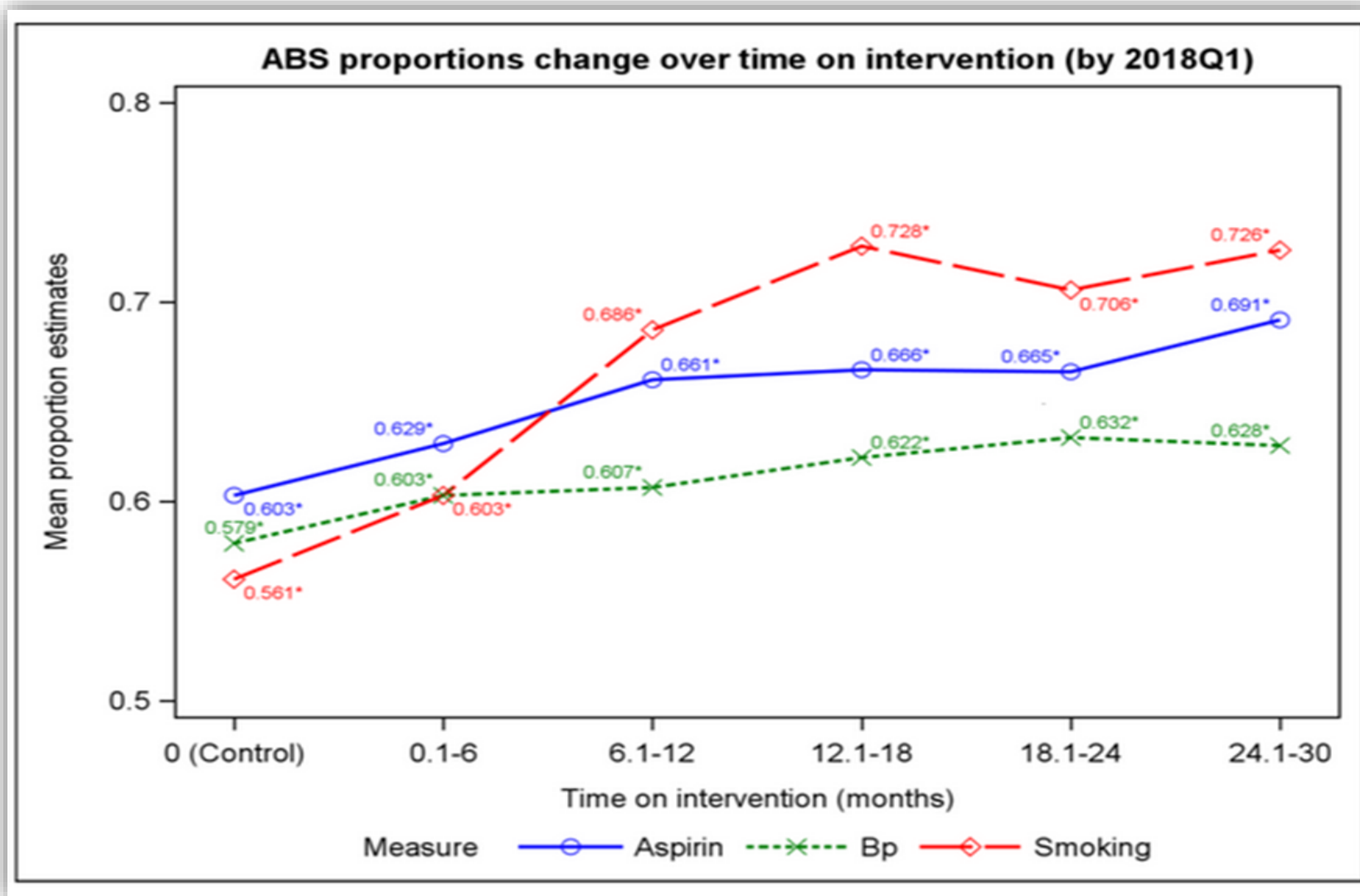
- Peer-to-peer clinician support – Academic Detailers
- Practice staff support – Practice Facilitators
- EHR and technology assistance – Technology Advisors

Uses dashboards as feedback to practices on their progress

Founded on data-driven quality improvement

**The OPHIC Infrastructure was created during the AHRQ-funded EvidenceNOW project - Healthy Hearts for Oklahoma.**

# Prevention Intervention



A	Aspirin Use
B	Blood Pressure Control
C	Cholesterol Management
S	Smoking Cessation Counseling & Intervention

# Do No Harm

A quality process improvement intervention

Based on D&I research methods

Purpose is to implement evidence informed pain and opioid guidelines in primary care practices in 1-2 years

Dissemination of:

- Neurobiology of pain
- Pharmacology of analgesics
- Evidence-based guidelines

Implementation of:

- Best practices
- Office processes
- Data-driven quality improvement



Partnering organizations

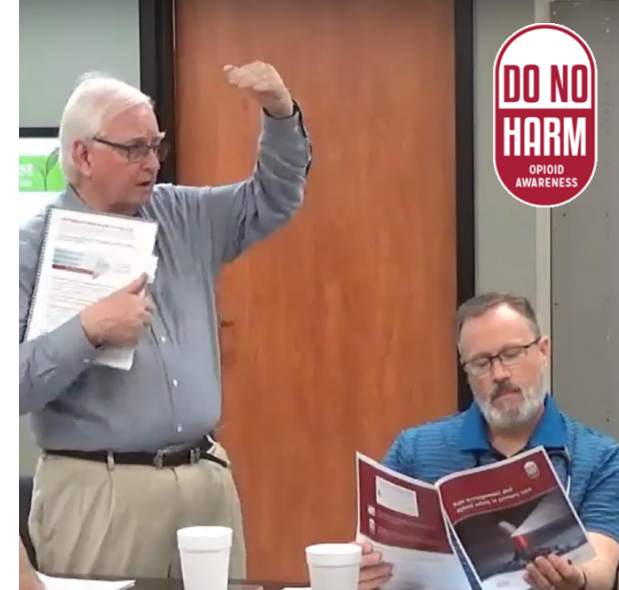


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# Do No Harm

Measurement & Feedback



**Pain management and opioid safety in primary care**

**Evidence for non-opioid chronic pain management options**

TREATMENT OPTIONS	Neuropathic pain	Idiosyncratic pain
acetaminophen (Tylenol, generics)	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
NSAIDs—oral (ibuprofen, naproxen)	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
NSAIDs—topical (diclofenac, rofecoxib)	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
lidocaine patch	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
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**Ensuring safe prescribing of opioids**

**DO**

- assess pain
- create a pain management plan
- set goal for improved function
- prescribe rationale

**NO**

- opioid prescription without assessment and plan
- sedating medications with opioids
- overdose deaths and zero suicides

**H**

**HARM REDUCTION** by avoiding or tapering opioids if:

- ineffective
- side-effects
- opioid use disorder (OUD)
- behavioral health problems

**A**

**AGREE in writing on:**

- opioid risks and benefits
- 1 prescriber, 1 pharmacy
- no early refills
- monitoring visits
- urine drug testing
- OK-PMP checks

**R**

**RX opioids using:**

- lowest effective dose
- immediate release formulations
- 3-7 days for acute pain
- <90 MME per day for chronic non-life-limiting pain

**M**

**MONITOR:**

- progress toward functional goal
- for misuse
- for side-effects
- for treating or referring OUD or behavioral health problems



# Do No Harm

<b>DO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• assess pain</li><li>• create a pain management plan</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• set goal for improved function</li><li>• prescribe naloxone</li></ul>
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Review of:

- Clinical evidence & academic literature
- CDC Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain
- VA/DoD Clinical Practice Guidelines: Management of Opioid Therapy for Chronic Pain
- Oklahoma Opioid Prescribing Guidelines
- Oklahoma state law

# Performance Goals & Objectives

GOALS, OBJECTIVES, and PROGRESS				
GOAL	OBJECTIVE	TARGET STRATEGY	ASSESSMENT	PRIORITY
Quality of Care	Better Pain Care	Chronic pain assessment		
		Multi-modal pain plan		
		Patient & practice education		
	Safer Opioid Prescribing	Guideline-based decisions		
		Opioid risk assessment		
		Prescription refill policy		
		Patient informed consent		
	Better Mental Healthcare	Monitoring opioid risk & misuse		
		Alcohol screening & referral		
Depression screening & referral				
Financial Security	Better Primary Care	Referral & Co-management		
		Chronic pain/opioid registry		
	Document, Code & bill	Access & continuity of care		
		ED/Hospital follow-up protocol		
	Data-driven quality	EHR/PMS changes		
Joy in Practice	Teamwork	QI team, dashboard, measures		
	Patient Centered Care	Improve information technology		
Healthy Community	No OD/Suicide Deaths	Huddles, Roles, Protocols		
	Meet Social Needs	Patient survey or PFAC		
		DMHSAS naloxone hub		
		Screening & referral for SDH		

# Performance Measures

- Adult patient panel
- Chronic pain patients
- Annual pain assessment (PEG)
- Chronic opioid therapy effectiveness
- Opioid treatment informed consent
- 90-day risk visit

- High-risk patients receiving opioid therapy
- Co-management of behavioral health
- Co-management with pain specialist
- MMED > 90 (PMP)
- Multiple prescribers (PMP)
- Benzos and opioid Rx (PMP)

**Few certified measures exist to measure pain and opioid management.**

# Performance Measures Data Entry

**Clinician's last name**  
\* must provide value

**Clinician's first name**

**Measurement year**  
\* must provide value

2018  
 2019  
 2020  
 2021  
 2022

**Measurement quarter**  
\* must provide value

Q1 - January, February, March  
 Q2 - April, May, June  
 Q3 - July, August, September  
 Q4 - October, November, December  
 All 4 Quarters

**Measurement start date**  
\* must provide value

**Measurement end date**  
\* must provide value

**Patient Data**  
Number of unique patients age 18 or older who were seen for a visit during the measurement period.

**Chronic Pain Patients**  
**Measure 1 Numerator:** Number of unique patients with a Chronic Pain Diagnosis with a visit during the measurement period.

**Measure 1:** Rate of unique patients with Chronic Pain Diagnosis who have a P.E.G. score recorded at least once during the measurement period.

**Measure 2 Numerator:** Number of patients with a Chronic Pain Diagnosis who have a P.E.G. score recorded at least once during the measurement period.

**Measure 2:** Annual Chronic Pain assessment rate (Percent of patients with chronic pain diagnosis and a P.E.G. score recorded during the past 365 days.)

**Chronic Opioid Therapy Patients**

**Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP)**

**Measure 10 Numerator:** Number of patients receiving chronic opioids with an MMED > 90 at the measurement visit for \_\_\_\_\_.  
Data source: PMP Data - Last prescription

**Measure 10:** Rate of opioid dose greater than 90 MMED.  
Percent View equation

**Measure 11 Numerator:** Multiple prescribers for \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Number of patients receiving an opioid prescription from more than one prescriber not at the same address during the measurement period.)  
Data source: ODMHSAS Data

**Measure 11:** Rate of multiple opioid prescribers  
Percent View equation

**Measure 12 Numerator:** Number of patients receiving chronic opioid treatment who have filled a prescription for a benzodiazepine and an opioid during the measurement period for \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.  
Data source: PMP Data

**Measure 12:** Rate of prescription for benzodiazepine and opioid.  
Percent View equation

**Depression Screening Measure**

Is the data for this measure from:

Chart abstraction  
 NQF 41, Automated method

Please select one reset

# Feedback

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# Feedback

**James W. Mold OPHIC**  
Oklahoma Primary Healthcare Improvement Cooperative

## Practice Characteristics Survey

Practice OKPCPID: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Practice Size: 11-15 clinicians  
 Practice Ownership: Federally Qualified Health Center or Look-Alike  
 Specialty Mix: Multi-specialty  
 Practice Facilitator: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Geographic Region: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 2019-06-18  
 Baseline: \_\_\_\_\_  
 End of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION 1: GENERAL INFORMATION

PRIMARY PERSON: Completing the Survey  
 OTHERS CONSULTED: You indicated that people with the following roles participated in completing the survey:

Time	Primary	Medical Assistant	Clinician (MD, DO, NP, PA)	Front Office	Office Manager	Back Office	Nurse
Baseline	Clinician (MD, DO, NP, PA)	YES	YES		YES		
End of Study							

CHANGES IN PRACTICE: You indicated that over the 12 months prior to the time of the survey the practice had the following changes:

Time	New or Changed Electronic Health Record	Moved Location	Lost Clinicians	Lost Office Managers	Lost Head Nurses	Practice was Purchased	New Billing System	Added Locations
Baseline				YES				
End of Study								

### PRACTICE MEMBERS

NUMBER OF PRACTICE MEMBERS: You indicated this was the number of persons by role in the practice for the time period:

Time	Clinicians	Clinical Staff	Office Staff	Psychologist
Baseline	12	40	15	0
End of Study				

TOTAL FTE OF PRACTICE MEMBERS: You indicated the sum of persons if everyone is not full-time for the time period:

Time	Clinicians	Clinical Staff	Office Staff	Psychologist
Baseline	11	40	15	0
End of Study				

PATIENT PANELS & VISIT COUNTS: You indicated panel size and count of visit per clinician and per week.

Time	Empaneled	Panel Size	Average Number of Visits per Day per Clinician	Average Number of Practice Days per Week per Clinician	Average Number of Clinicians See Practice per Week
Baseline	YES	1524	18	12	12
End of Study					

PATIENT CENTERED MEDICAL HOME: You indicated that your practice is recognized or accredited as a patient-centered medical home (PCMH) by the following:

Time	OHCA SoonerCare (Oklahoma Health Care Authority)	NCOA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	Other organization (please specify)
Baseline	YES		
End of Study			

PAYMENT DEMONSTRATIONS: You indicated that you participated in ACOs, CPC Classic and/or CPC+

Time	Medicaid ACO	Medicare ACO	Commercial ACO	Another type of ACO	CPC Classic	CPC+	Not Part of ACO	ACO Status Unknown
Baseline					YES	YES	YES	
End of Study								

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## Do No Harm Pain and Opioid Management

### Practice Member Survey (Practice Name)

#### Practice Member Survey Summary

Adaptive Reserve Score*	Baseline	Study End
Culture & Atmosphere	3.56	
Communication & Relationships	3.62	
Patient Feedback	3.85	
Practice Leadership	3.88	
Trust & Safety	3.63	
Burnout (1=None, 5=Total)	1.97	

\* Adaptive Reserve Score is the percentage of the sum of responses from selected questions showing key words in blue.

#### Practice Members Completing Survey

OKPCPID	Time	Physician	NP/PA	Clin Staff	Non-Clin	Off. Mgr.	Other	No Answer	Total Number of Surveys
2302	Baseline	5	2	12	8	1	4		32
	Study End								

#### Culture & Atmosphere

Strongly Disagree (1) – Disagree (2) – Neutral (3) – Agree (4) – Strongly Agree (5)

Statement	Baseline	Study End
Mistakes have led to positive changes here	3.78	
This practice learns from its mistakes	3.75	
Most of the people who work in our practice seem to enjoy their work	3.66	
I have many opportunities to grow in my work	3.72	
It is relatively easy to get things to change in our practice	3.00	
This practice is a place of joy and hope	3.47	
People in this practice operate as a real team	3.56	

#### Communication and Relationships in Practice

Strongly Disagree (1) – Disagree (2) – Neutral (3) – Agree (4) – Strongly Agree (5)

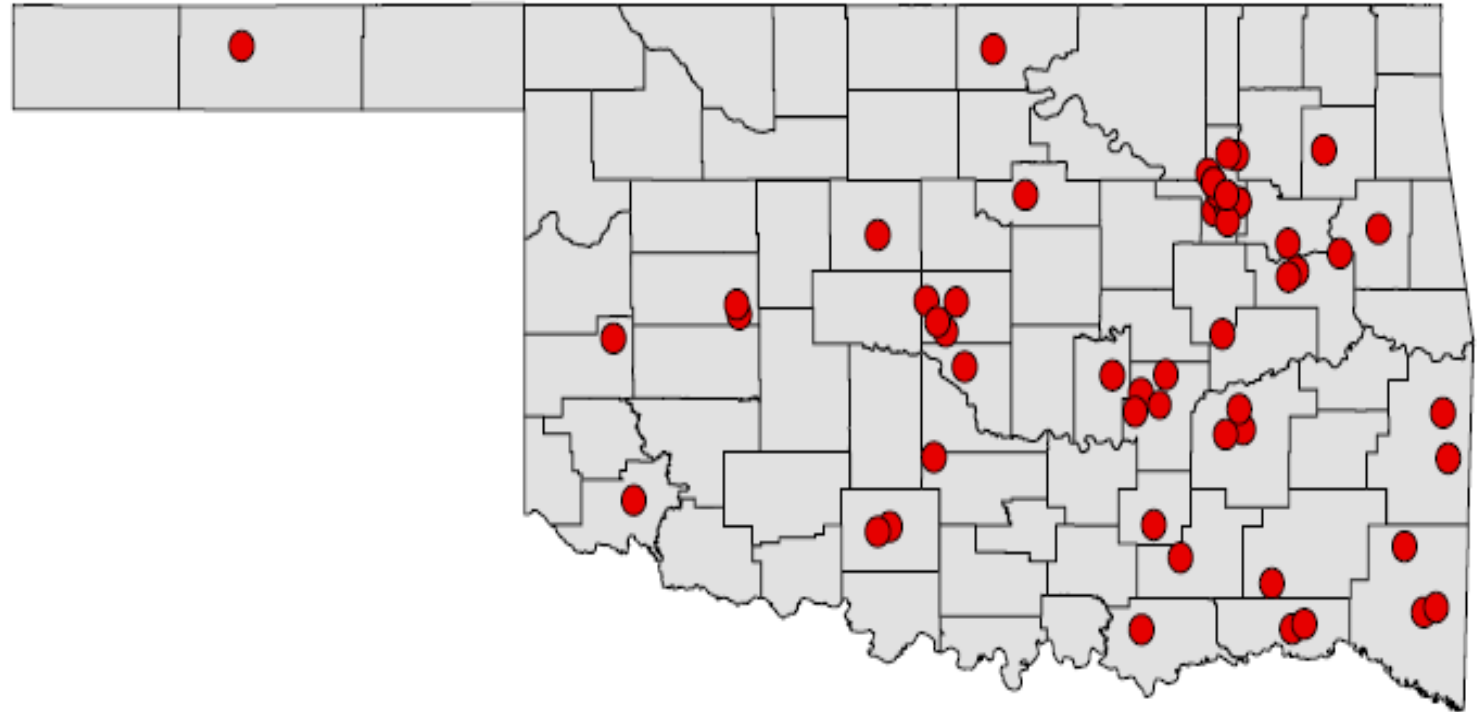
Statement	Baseline	Study End
People in our practice actively seek new ways to improve how we do our work	3.75	
When we experience a problem in the practice, we make a serious effort to figure out what's really going on	3.69	
After trying something new, we take time to think about how it worked	3.44	
People at all levels in this office openly talk about what is and isn't working	3.88	
Most people in this practice are willing to change how they do things in response to feedback from others	3.47	
Difficult problems are solved through face-to-face discussions in this practice	3.63	
We regularly take time to reflect on how we do things	3.47	



# Program Status

- 60 primary care practices actively engaged
- Approximately 200 clinicians & 50,000 patients
- One major health system
- Delivered at no cost to practices
- More practices in-waiting pending funding availability

Do No Harm Clinical Sites







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