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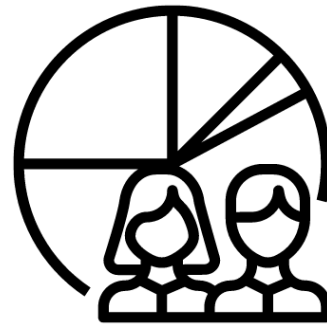
4 Key Predictions for Health Care in 2023

An article from the American Hospital Association

Expect Patient Segmentation at a scale.

The notion that all patients should receive the same clinical model increasingly is being called into question by those seeking to advance consumer engagement. Some health care companies are focused on

further segmenting their services to differentiate themselves and grow within diverse populations.



Pharmacy Roles Will Expand.

Pharmacists and pharmacy technicians are often the most accessible health care providers in their communities. Both roles will continue to see an evolution in their scope of practice to include direct patient care that will only increase in the year ahead. Expect this shift to continue as a new pharmacy practice model emerges.

This is already true in Rural Oklahoma with the SWOSU Rural Health Center. Learn more [here!](#)

Look for a Boost in Remote Patient Monitoring.

A quarter of the nation's adult population with chronic conditions will use remote-patient monitoring tools this year.



A new venture capital feeding frenzy is coming.

Soaring interest rates have brought higher capital costs for startup companies that now find themselves at an unexpected crossroads. This leaves many startups with three options: Raise another round of capital at unfavorable terms, initiate layoffs to save cash, or sell the company.

OFMQ January Event

**FREE WEBINAR
+ CEU!**

**Removing the Shame
and Stigma of
Substance Use Disorder
(SUD) / Addiction with
Zach Grimes, MS-HIM,
RHIA**

**Thursday, January 26th
12 - 1pm**



In this course you will learn about the effects of shame and stigma on the individuals, families, caregivers, and communities impacted by the disease of addiction. The course will review the consequences of shame and stigma associated with the disease of addiction, why addiction is stigmatised within society, and solutions to address shame and stigma. Shame and stigma is a mark of disgrace and a set of negative beliefs held against a person, issue, or circumstance, often based off assumptions, judgements, and preconceived notions rather than facts. Participants will gain an understanding of the effect stigma has on the individual with substance use disorder and how it creates barriers to getting help through first-hand experiences and situations.

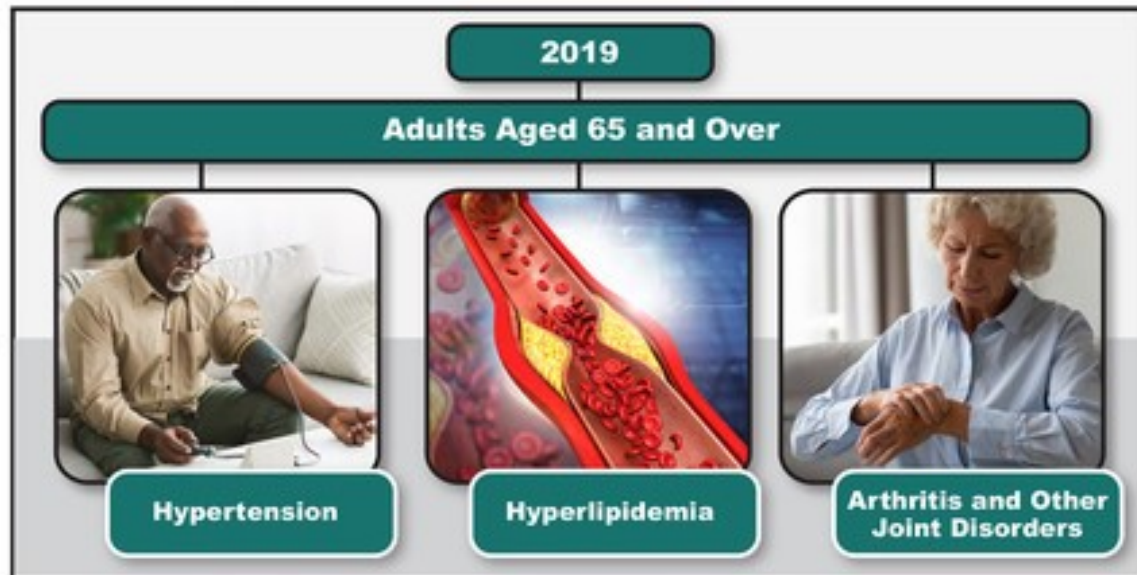
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AHRQ News Now



Top three Commonly Treated Conditions Among Older Adults



Source: AHRQ Medical Expenditure Panel Survey Statistical Brief #545, *Expenditures for Commonly Treated Conditions Among Older Adults: Estimates From The Medical Expenditure Panel Survey, 2019*.
https://www.meps.ahrq.gov/data_files/publications/st545/stat545.shtml

Access more data on this topic in the associated [statistical brief](#), plus additional AHRQ [data infographics](#).



Learn About New CEHRT Requirements for MIPS Eligible Clinicians in 2023

Starting in the 2023 performance year, Merit-based Incentive Payment System (MIPS) eligible clinicians must meet revised certified electronic health record (EHR) technology (CEHRT) requirements for the Promoting Interoperability performance category.

MIPS eligible clinicians will be required to use certified health information technology (health IT) that has been updated consistent with the [2015 Edition Cures Update](#) criteria to successfully meet the performance category's CEHRT requirements next year.

The 2023 CEHRT requirements for the Promoting Interoperability performance category are as follows:

- 2015 Edition Cures Update functionality must be used as needed for a measure action to count in the numerator during the performance period chosen by the eligible clinician or group (a minimum of any continuous 90 days in 2023).

- In some situations, the product may be deployed during the performance period but pending certification. In such cases, the product must be updated to the 2015 Edition Cures Update criteria by the last day of the performance period.

MIPS eligible clinicians must provide their EHR's CMS Identification code from the [Certified Health IT Product List \(CHPL\)](#), available on HealthIT.gov, when submitting their data.

January HIT List

- Telehealth Indicator for Doctors and Clinicians on Care Compare - [Now Available](#)
- Pioneers in Quality Webinar Series - [FREE](#) Joint Commission Webinars and CEUs
- Medicare [Promoting Interoperability](#) Program - Data due 2/28/23
- January is National Poverty in America Awareness Month - Read the [CMS Framework for Health Equity](#)



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