



## Featured Article

### HCGC Releases 2019 Impact Report



- **Every person in our community deserves to have the best healthcare experience possible- one that is high-quality, well-coordinated, and affordable.**

At the Healthcare Collaborative of Greater Columbus (HCGC), we are committed to improving the quality, delivery and value of healthcare and the overall health of all people in the Columbus region.

To do this, we know that the best healthcare cannot be delivered in isolation- it takes many partners working collaboratively together. HCGC is proud to serve as a convener for our region, services, payers, purchasers, and consumers together to learn and share information around innovative best practices, the latest research and policies, and lessons learned for patient and provider impact.

Through our collaborative process and partnerships, we are able to foster greater awareness, commitment, trust, and impact between diverse groups of healthcare providers. Together we are able to have greater impact.

This report is designed to provide our stakeholders with a summary of our impact for 2019 in three

strategic focus areas-value-based primary care, quality improvement, and care coordination/population health. While there is much more work to be done, we take great pride in the contributions we've made to help improve the health of the people in our community and the way healthcare is delivered in our region.



**Carrie Baker**  
President and CEO

[Click here to Access 2019 Impact Report](#)

## January HCGC Webinar

### Save the Date!

HCGC's first webinar of 2020:  
**The US Census Bureau**  
Thursday, January 9th  
10-11:30 AM

*Registration Opening Soon*

**YOU MATTER.  
BE COUNTED.**

**OHIO CENSUS  
ADVOCACY COALITION**



# WHY IS THE 2020 CENSUS IMPORTANT TO OHIO?

Every Ohioan must play their part in ensuring our state has a full and accurate count in the 2020 Census. Filling out this single form will impact the status of Ohio in this country for the next decade.



OHIO RECEIVES MORE THAN

# \$33 BILLION

EVERY YEAR FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

**TO SUPPORT CRITICAL PROGRAMS**

\$15.5 B



Medicaid

\$3.5 B



Student  
Loans

\$223 M



Transit  
Dollars

\$334 M



Head  
Start

\$562 M



Section 8  
Housing

\$728 M



TANF

\$1.4 B



Highway  
Construction



FOR EACH PERSON *NOT COUNTED*,

# OHIO LOSES \$1,206

EACH YEAR FOR A DECADE.

That's money that should be going into our communities, but instead will go to other states.

The Census determines Ohio's representation in Congress.

**NOT COUNTED  
IN OHIO**



**NOT REPRESENTED  
IN CONGRESS**



### About the Ohio Census Advocacy Coalition

The Ohio Census Advocacy Coalition (OCAC) is a nonpartisan network of statewide nonprofit organizations, advocacy organizations, and trusted faith, business, education, and community leaders working to prepare for and conduct outreach to encourage full participation in the 2020 Census, with a focus on historically undercounted or "hard-to-count" ("HTC") populations. The OCAC executive committee consists of Children's Defense Fund-Ohio, Innovation Ohio Education Fund, Ohio Voice, ASIA Inc., Philanthropy Ohio and Faith in Public Life.



## Insights from the HCGC Blog

### Update on HCGC led Patient Family Advisory Councils

by David Brackett, Vice President of Accounting and Special Projects, HCGC

In an effort to emphasize true patient-centered primary care, **Comprehensive Primary Care Plus** (CPC+) requires participating



practices to convene Patient-Family Advisory Councils (PFACs) at each of their sites on a regular basis. Since August of 2017 HCGC has worked with [Central Ohio Primary Care](#) (COPC), the country's largest physician owned primary care group to help facilitate PFACs at each of their 39 CPC+ sites.

Since then, COPC has held more than 375 successful council meetings engaging more than 1700 patients since. Over the last ten quarters of implementation, October-December 2018 saw the highest total attendance across all practice sites with 231 patients attending a

meeting!

[View the Entire Post](#)

## Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute



### Special Edition: HCGC Report on Year 1 of PCORI Dissemination Award

January 2020 will mark year one of HCGC's work disseminating PCORI research. As a result of receiving their Eugene Washington Engagement Award for Dissemination of PCORI Research, HCGC has fully integrated nationally researched studies into essentially all of our project work. In

2019 alone, we distributed over 50 studies to several unique audiences, including: our e-news recipients, HUB community health workers and supervisors, HCGC's website, three social media mediums, HCGC's Quality Improvement Learning Group, HCGC's PFAC Learning Group, and CPC+ Practices facilitated by HCGC staff. This relationship has proven mutually beneficial for both HCGC and PCORI, and we look forward to continuing this work in 2020.

Year two will bring expanded opportunities for disseminating research, and we will be reaching out to our community of partners for input. Please engage with us in the near future as we release a survey on your needs when it comes to patient-centered outcomes research.

[HCGC Presentation on PCORI Work in 2019](#)

## Upcoming Events from Our Partners

The Columbus Department of Neighborhood Presents:

### ***New Americans Leadership Academy***

Participants will receive mentorship and professional development opportunities and cover topics such as government, civic responsibility, and implicit bias. NALA welcomes individuals who are ready to grow and enhance their knowledge of civic engagement, community stewardship, leadership, and discover new

ways to contribute to our community.

## Details & Registration

City of Columbus Mayor Presents

## **Mayor Ginther's Community Day**

A free, fun-filled family event with activities, food, music and a Ceremonial Swearing-In for Mayor Ginther's second term.

## Details & Registration



### Articles of Interest

[Commonwealth Fund: U.S. Primary Care Docs Struggle with Coordinating Care, Data Sharing](#)

[Center for Community Solutions: Public Comment to the U.S. Department of Agriculture Regarding Proposed Standardization of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program \(SNAP\) State Heating and Cooling Standard Utility Allowances \(SUA\)](#)

[Health Affairs: National Health Care Spending In 2018: Growth Driven By Accelerations In Medicare And Private Insurance Spending](#)

[IHI: Accelerate Progress Toward Population Health, Well-being, and Equity](#)



### Monthly Meeting Resources

Following each Monthly Meeting and Regional Learning Session, the agenda, speaker information, slide deck and other relevant resources are uploaded to the HCGC website for your reference. [View resources.](#)

For a Calendar of Events visit:  
<http://www.hcgc.org/events.html>

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