

## QUALITY, PATIENT SAFETY & COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA March 13, 2024 at 10:00 A.M. 1515 North Flagler Drive, Suite 101 West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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#### 1. Call to Order

- A. Roll Call
- B. Affirmation of Mission: The mission of the Health Care District of Palm Beach County is to be the health care safety net for Palm Beach County. Our vision is meeting changes in health care to keep our community healthy.

## 2. Agenda Approval

- A. Additions/Deletions/Substitutions
- B. Motion to Approve Agenda
- **3.** Awards, Introductions and Presentations
- 4. Disclosure of Voting Conflict
- 5. Public Comment
- 6. Meeting Minutes
  - A. <u>Staff recommends a MOTION TO APPROVE</u>: Committee Meeting Minutes from December 14, 2023. [Pages 1-4]

## 7. Consent Agenda- Motion to Approve Consent Agenda Items

## A. **ADMINISTRATION**

#### 7A-1 **RECEIVE AND FILE**:

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7A-2 <u>**RECEIVE AND FILE:**</u> Committee Attendance. [Page 5]

## B. PATIENT RELATIONS DASHBOARDS

## 7B-1 **<u>RECEIVE AND FILE:</u>**

Patient Relations Dashboards (Dr. Belma Andric) [Pages 6-8]

- Patient Relations Dashboard, School Health. (Steven Sadiku) [Page 9]
- Patient Relations Dashboard, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics. (Alexa Goodwin) [Page 10]
- Patient Relations Dashboard, E. J. Healey Center. (Tracy-Ann Reid) [Page 11]
- Patient Relations Dashboard, Lakeside Medical Center. (Janet Moreland/ Joe-Ann Reynolds) [Page 12]
- Patient Relations Dashboard, Pharmacy. (Alexa Goodwin) [Page 13]

## C. **PRODUCTIVITY DASHBOARDS**

## 7C-1 **RECEIVE AND FILE:**

Productivity Dashboards (Dr. Belma Andric) [Pages 14-16]

- Productivity Dashboard, School Health. (Steven Sadiku) [Page 17]
- Productivity Dashboard, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics. (Dr. Charmaine Chibar) [Page 18]
- Productivity Dashboard, E. J. Healey Center. (Shelly Ann Lau/ Terretha Smith) [Page 19]
- Productivity Dashboard, Lakeside Medical Center. (Janet Moreland/ Sylvia Hall) [Pages 20-21]
- Productivity Dashboard, LifeTrans Ground Transportation. (Amaury Hernandez) [Page 22]
- Productivity Dashboard Human Resources (Geoff Washburn/Christina Schiller) [Page 23]

## 8. Regular Agenda

## A. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>

#### 8A-1 **<u>RECEIVE AND FILE:</u>**

Compliance, Privacy and Ethics Program Activities and Updates (Heather Bokor) [Pages 24-36]

## B. CORPORATE QUALITY DASHBOARDS

## 8B-1 **RECEIVE AND FILE:**

Quality & Patient Safety Reports (Dr. Belma Andric) [Pages 37-41]

- Quality & Patient Safety Report, School Health. (Steven Sadiku) [Page 42]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Aeromedical. (Steven Sadiku/Jostein Lavoll) [Page 43-44]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Trauma. (Steven Sadiku) [Pages 45-46]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics. (Steven Sadiku/Dr. Charmaine Chibar) [Page 47]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, E. J. Healey Center. (Steven Sadiku/Tracy-Ann Reid) [Pages 48-49]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Lakeside Medical Center. (Steven Sadiku/ Sylvia Hall) [Page 50]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, LifeTrans Ground Transportation. (Steven Sadiku/ Amaury Hernandez) [Page 51]
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Corporate Quality Metrics. (Steven Sadiku) [Pages 52-53]

## 9. **CEO** Comments

## 10. Committee Member Comments

## 11. Upcoming Meetings

## June 12, 2024

• 12:00PM, Quality, Patient Safety and Compliance Committee

## September Meeting (Date TBD)

• 2:00PM, Quality, Patient Safety and Compliance Committee

## December 11, 2024

• 10:00AM, Quality, Patient Safety and Compliance Committee

## 12. Motion to Adjourn Public Meeting Immediately Following the Conclusion of the Closed Meeting

## 13. Closed Meeting: Risk and Peer Review [Under Separate Cover]

Pursuant to Florida Statute Ch. 768.28, 395.0197, 766.101 and 400.119, 400.147 and 395.0193.



## QUALITY, PATIENT SAFETY & COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE SUMMARY MEETING MINUTES December 14, 2023 at 10:00A.M. 1515 North Flagler Drive, Suite 101 West Palm Beach, FL 33401

## 1. Call to Order

Dr. Alina Alonso called the meeting to order.

A. Roll Call

Committee members present: Tracy Caruso (REMOTE), Chair; Dr. Alina Alonso, Kimberly Schulz, Dr. Luis Perezalonso, Robert Glass, and Dr. LaTanya McNeal (REMOTE); Tammy Jackson-Moore, Dr. Jyothi Gunta, and William Johnson were excused.

Staff present: Darcy Davis, Chief Executive Officer; Bernabe Icaza, General Counsel; Heather Bokor, Chief Compliance, Privacy and Risk Officer; Belma Andric, Chief Medical Officer; Candice Abbott, Chief Financial Officer; Karen Harris, VP of Field Operations, Daniel Scott, Chief Information Officer; Geoff Washburn, Chief Human Resources Officer; Jessica Cafarelli, Chief of Finance, Steven Sadiku, Tracey Archambo, Alyssa Tarter, Janet Moreland, Dr. Charmaine Chibar, Andrea Steele, Terretha Smith, Shauniel Brown, Dr. Jennifer Dorce-Medard, Kelley Anderson, Amaury Hernandez, Sylvia Hall, Joe Anne Reynolds, David Speciale, Lisa Hogans, Quennise Giles, Alexa Goodwin and Jostein Lavoll.

Recording/ Transcribing Secretary: Christine Ferguson

B. Affirmation of Mission: The mission of the Health Care District of Palm Beach County is to be the health care safety net for Palm Beach County. Our vision is meeting changes in health care to keep our community healthy.

#### 2. Agenda Approval

- A. Additions/Deletions/Substitutions
- B. Motion to Approve Agenda

CONCLUSION/ACTION: Robert Glass made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was duly seconded by Kimberly Schulz. There being no opposition, the motion passed unanimously.

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- 3. Awards, Introductions and Presentations
- 4. Disclosure of Voting Conflict
- 5. Public Comment
- 6. Meeting Minutes
  - A. <u>Staff recommends a MOTION TO APPROVE</u>: Committee Meeting Minutes of September 27, 2023.

CONCLUSION/ACTION: Tracey Caruso made a motion to approve the Committee Meeting Minutes of September 27, 2023. The motion was duly seconded by Dr. Luis Perezalonso. There being no opposition, the motion passed unanimously.

7. Consent Agenda- Motion to Approve Consent Agenda Items

CONCLUSION/ACTION: Robert Glass made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was duly seconded by Tracey Caruso. There being no opposition, the motion passed unanimously.

#### A. **ADMINISTRATION**

#### 7A-1 **RECEIVE AND FILE:**

June 2023 Internet Posting of District Public Meeting. https://www.hcdpbc.org/EventViewTrainingDetails.aspx?Bck=Y&EventID=436&m=0|0&DisplayType=C

- 7A-2 <u>**RECEIVE AND FILE:**</u> Committee Attendance
- 7A-3 <u>**RECEIVE AND FILE:**</u> Quality, Patient Safety and Compliance Committee Meeting Schedule for 2024

#### B. PATIENT RELATIONS DASHBOARDS

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- Patient Relations Dashboard, Lakeside Medical Center.
- Patient Relations Dashboard, Pharmacy.

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- Productivity Dashboard, LifeTrans Ground Transportation.

#### 8. Regular Agenda

## A. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>

## 8A-1 **<u>RECEIVE AND FILE:</u>**

Compliance, Privacy and Ethics Program Activities and Updates

\*\*Ms. Bokor reviewed the Compliance, Privacy and Ethics Program Activities and Updates to the Committee.

## **CONCLUSION/ACTION: Received and Filed.**

## B. <u>CORPORATE QUALITY DASHBOARDS</u>

#### 8B-1 **<u>RECEIVE AND FILE:</u>**

Quality & Patient Safety Reports

- Quality & Patient Safety Report, School Health.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Aeromedical.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Trauma.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, E. J. Healey Center.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Lakeside Medical Center.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, LifeTrans Ground Transportation.
- Quality & Patient Safety Report, Corporate Quality Metrics.

\*\*Mr. Sadiku reviewed all of the Corporate Quality Dashboards to the Committee

#### **CONCLUSION/ACTION: Received and Filed.**

#### 9. **CEO** Comments

None

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**10.** Committee Member Comments None

## 11. Establishment of Upcoming Meetings

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## 14. Motion to Adjourn

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Tracy Caruso, Chair

Date

## HEALTH CARE DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY QUALITY, PATIENT SAFETY& COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE

## Attendance Tracking for 2024

	3/13/24	6/12/24	September (TBD)	12/11/24
Dr. Jyothi Gunta				
Tracy Caruso				
Dr. Alina Alonso				
Tammy Jackson-Moore				
Dr. Luis Perezalonso				
Kimberly Schulz				
Dr. LaTanya McNeal				
William Johnson				

## 1. Description: Patient Relations Dashboard & Summary

## 2. Summary:

This agenda item provides the patient relations dashboard for the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2024 for School Health, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics, Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Lakeside Medical Center, and Pharmacy.

## 3. Substantive Analysis:

## School Health

For Quarter 4 2023, School Health had a total of 30 Patient Relations events reported for 169 school locations. Of the 30 patient relation events, 8 were complaints, 22 were compliments, and there were no grievances. Out of the 8 complaints, 75% were from family members, 13% were from school district staff, and 13% from HCD staff. The complaints categories were nurse-related, poor communication, respect-related, and overall clinical support staff. The 22 compliments recognized the School Health Nurses and School Health Nurse Assistants, Healthcare Support Techs, and the School Health Leadership team received from principals, school district staff, family members, and employees.

#### C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics

For Quarter 4 2023, there were a total of 20 Patient Relations Occurrences that occurred between 6 Clinics and Clinic Administration. This was a decrease from the previous quarter, where we had 33 Complaints and Grievances. Of the 20 occurrences, there were 7 Grievances and 13 Complaints. The top 3 categories were Care & Treatment, Communication, and Finance Related issues. The top subcategory was Competency of Staff with 3 occurrences.

There was also a total of 81 Compliments received across 7 Clinics and Clinic Administration. Of the 81 Compliments, 78 were patient compliments, and 3 were employee-to-employee "Thumbs-Up" compliments.

#### Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center

For Quarter 4 2023, there were a total of 47 Patient Relations Occurrences received across 5 resident units (Dolphin, Pelican, Sand Dollar, Manatee, Starfish), Laundry, Dietary, Facilities, Administration, and Social Services. Of the 47 occurrences, there were 47 Grievances. The top 3 categories were Personal Belonging, Care & Treatment, and Environmental issues. The top subcategory was Personal Belongings – Clothes, with 10 occurrences reported.

There was also a total of 28 Compliments received across 8 units. Of the 28 Compliments, 9 were Nursing-related, and 19 were related to Clinical Support Staff.

#### Lakeside Medical Center

For Quarter 4 2023, there were a total of 13 Patient Relations Occurrences that occurred between the Emergency Department, Intensive Care Unit, Med-Surg/Telemetry and Radiology. Of the 13 occurrences, there were 2 Grievances and 11 Complaints. The top 4 categories were Care & Treatment, Respect Related, Physician Related and Nursing Related. The top subcategories were Inappropriate comments/conversations, Physician Related Other, and Nursing Related All Aspects of Care, with 2 occurrences in each.

There was also a total of 5 Compliments received across the Intensive Care Unit, Med Surg/Telemetry, and Utilization Review. There were 3 compliments related to Administration, 1 related to Nursing, and 1 related to a Physician.

#### **Pharmacy**

For Quarter 4 2023, there were no Patient Relations Occurrences that occurred in CLBPCC Pharmacy.

## 4. Fiscal Analysis & Economic Impact Statement:

	Current FY Amounts	Total Amounts (Current + Future)	Budget
Capital Requirements	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Net Operating Impact	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🗌

\*Non-budgeted expenditures in excess of \$250,000 require Finance and Audit Committee review and Board approval.

Reviewed for financial accuracy and compliance with purchasing procedure:

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Interim VP & Chief Financial Officer

## 5. Recommendation:

Staff recommends the Committee Receive and File the Patient Relations Dashboards.

Approved for Legal sufficiency:

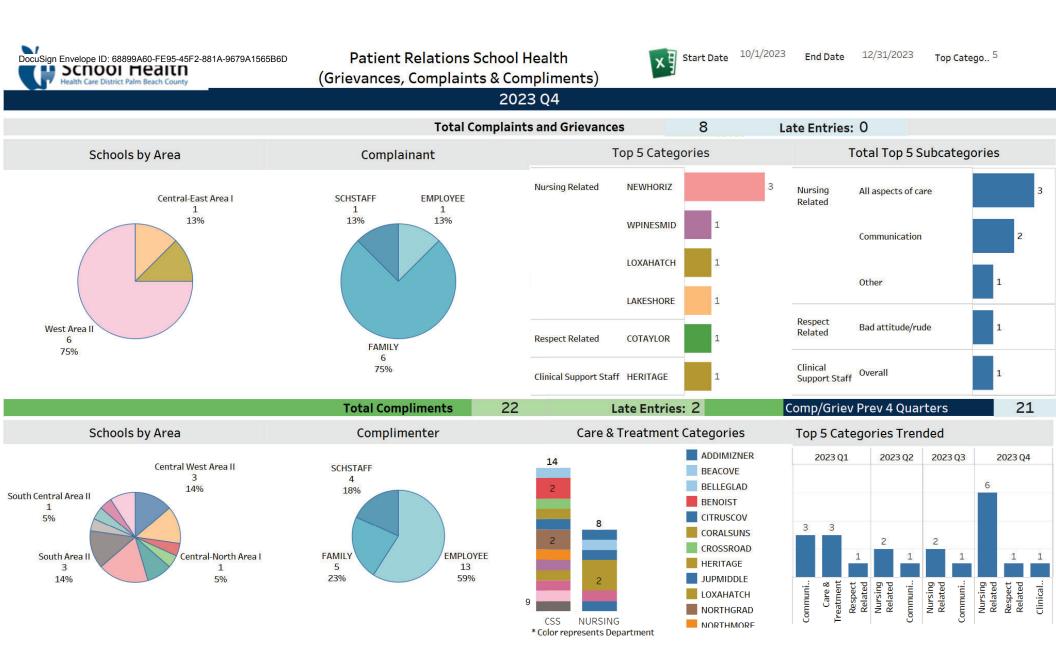
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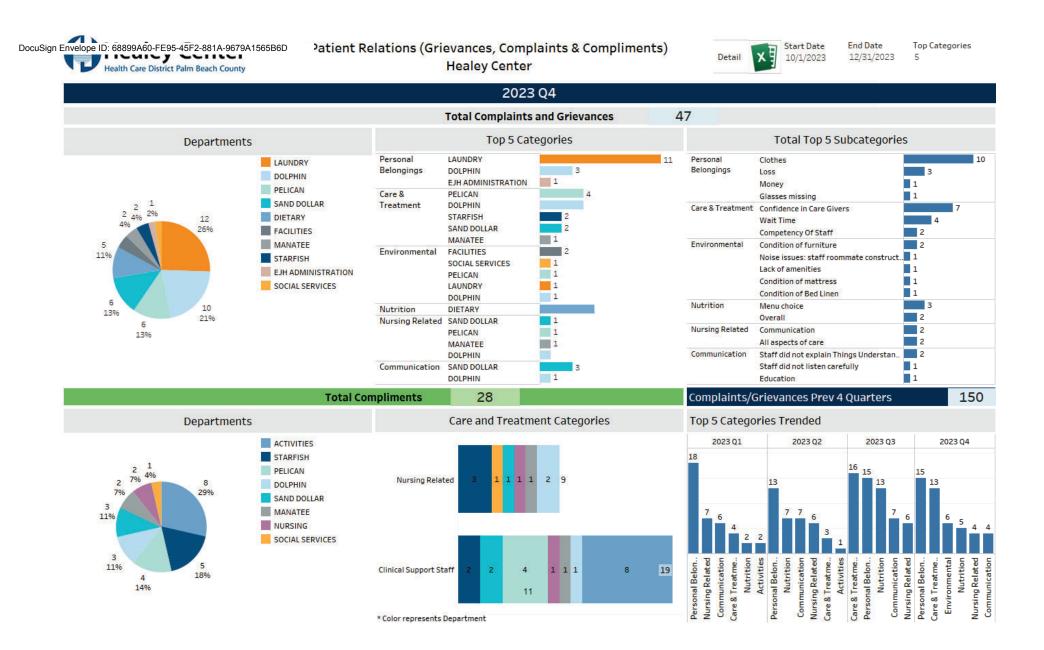
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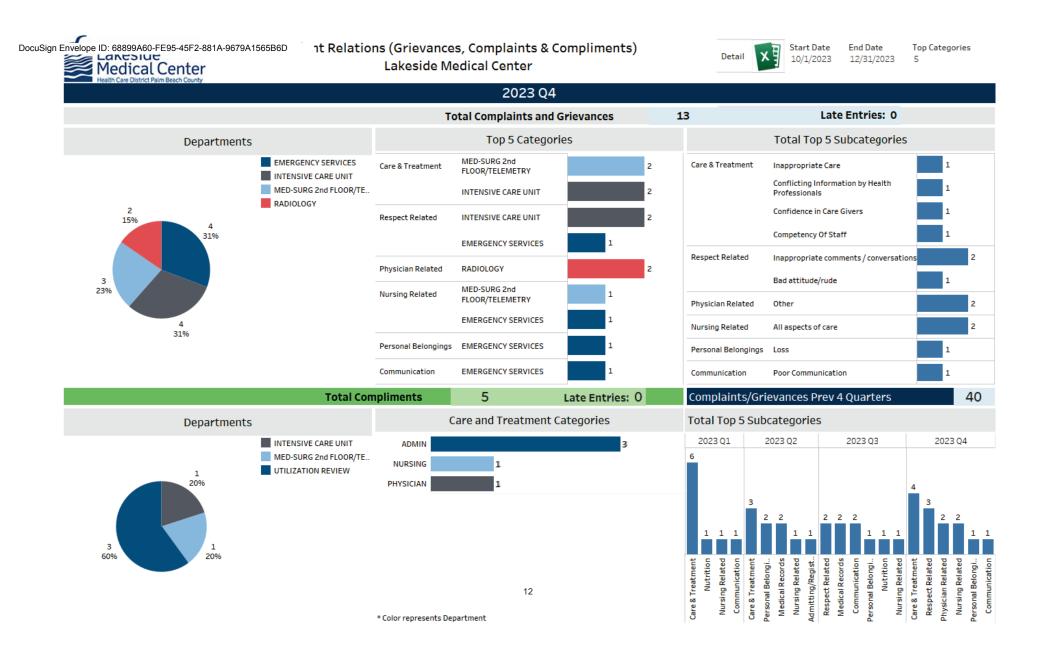
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	2023 Q4							
	Total Complaints and Grievances							
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\* Color represents Department

## **1. Description: Productivity Reports**

## 2. Summary:

This agenda item provides the productivity reports for the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2023 for School Health, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics, Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Lakeside Medical Center, and LifeTrans Ground Transportation and Human Resources.

## 3. Substantive Analysis:

## School Health

In the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter of 2023, we completed a total of 150,515 events across 169 schools, providing care for a total of 52,682 students. These events were broken down into 80,569 office visits, 33,140 medication visits, 27,787 procedure visits, 6,090 consultation events, and 7,929 record reviews. The top 3 schools with the most events are Western Pines Middles School, Eagles Landing Middle School, and Okeeheelee Middle School.

#### C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics

In Q4 of 2023, the clinics served 19,772 unique patients (1.5% decrease from the previous quarter) and provided 39,144 clinic visits (2.8% decrease from the previous quarter).

#### Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center

During the fourth quarter 2023, census for the Healey Center averaged 116 a slight increase from previous 114. Covid-19 Screening is no longer required. Treatments performed by nursing averaged increased to 17,291 compared to last quarter of 16,849 and a decrease to 92,553 for medication administration compared to 92,906 last quarter. Food and nutrition services provided an average of 8,932 resident meals compared to 8,895 last quarter. CNA POC documentation compliance rate for the day shift averaged 98.3%, the evening shift averaged 98.6%, and the night shift averaged 99.4%. The therapy department completed a total of 5,075 units for the quarter.

#### Lakeside Medical Center

The productivity data report for 4th Quarter of 2023 represents the following detailed information:

• Total Census Days by Level of Care – There was a total of 1,344 patient days for Q4-2023 compared to 1,465 for Q3-2023 resulting in an 8.2% decrease.

- Emergency Services Visits There was a total of 5,924 visits for Q4-2023 compared to 5,738 for Q3-2023, resulting in a 3.2 % increase.
- **Physical Therapy Visits (Evaluations and Treatments)** There was a total of 208 evaluations and treatments for Q4-2023 compared to 183 for Q3-2023, resulting in a 13.6% increase.
- Inpatient Admissions There was a total of 109 Inpatient Admissions for Q4-2023 compared to 103 for Q3-2023 resulting in an 5.8% increase.
- **Surgical Cases** There was a total of 52 surgical cases performed for Q4-2023 compared to 52 for Q3-2023.
- Medication Administration There was a total of 38,146 medications administered for Q4-2023 compared to 38,349 for Q3-2023, resulting in a 0.5% decrease.
- **Radiology Exams Completed** There was a total of 6,672 radiological exams performed for Q4-2023 compared to 6,794 for Q3-2023 resulting in a 1.7% decrease.
- Laboratory Specimens Collected There was a total of 21,156 lab specimens collected for Q4-2023 compared to 20,748 for Q3-2023 resulting in a 1.9% increase.

## LifeTrans Ground Transportation

For Q4 2023, the LifeTrans Ground Transportation department performed 545 transports, with 499 (91.5%) originating at Lakeside Medical Center. Most of the patients transported were between 21 and 70 years old, with the 61-70 age group being the highest group. The most common principal diagnoses for the patients transported during this period were neurological disorders, gastrointestinal bleeding, and cardiovascular disorders. Palms West Hospital remains our main receiving facility, followed by St. Mary's Medical Center and JFK Main.

## **Human Resources**

• Q4 2023 headcount ended at 1,274, an increase of 3.8% increase from the previous year (1227).

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• Clinical job functions/positions are the leading with 47%, followed by technical at 13% and specialist at 8%.

- Q4 2023 diversity headcount is 45% African American, 28% White, 15% Hispanic, and 12% Other; 79% of the workforce is female.
- Q4 2023 average age of employees is 47 years old, with 202 employees projected to be within retirement age in the next 5 years.

## 4. Fiscal Analysis & Economic Impact Statement:

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Capital Requirements	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🗌
Net Operating Impact	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🗌

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Reviewed for financial accuracy and compliance with purchasing procedure:

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## 5. Recommendation:

Approved for Legal sufficiency:

Staff recommends the Committee Receive and File the Productivity Reports.

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## School Health Room Overview



#### Volume Trend

Activity	Summary

#### Percent by Event Type

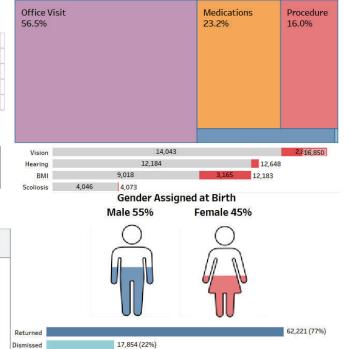
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Medications	33,140	168	1,227	213	5.88
Procedure	22,787	114	229	171	13.28
Consultation	6,090	165	4,154	146	13.62
Review	7,929	68	7,929	63	0.00



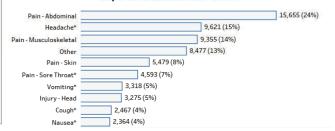
#### **Events by School**

Western Pines Middle	2,298
Eagles Landing Middle	1,810
Okeeheelee Middle Sc	1,729
Palm Beach Gardens E	1,665
Sunrise Park Elementa	1,652
Santaluces High	1,651
Watson B. Duncan Mid	1,604
Crystal Lakes Element	1,584
Boca Raton Middle	1,546
Christa Mcauliffe Mid	1,538
Hidden Oaks K-8	1,506
Palm Springs Middle S	1,502
Verde K-8	1,493
Diamond View Elemen	1,472
Sunset Palms Element	1,424
Elbridge Gale Element	1,417
Emerald Cove Middle	1,408
Addison Mizner School	1,404

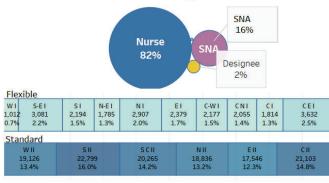


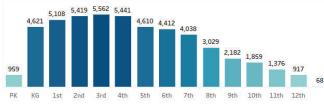
#### **Top 10 Reasons for Visit**

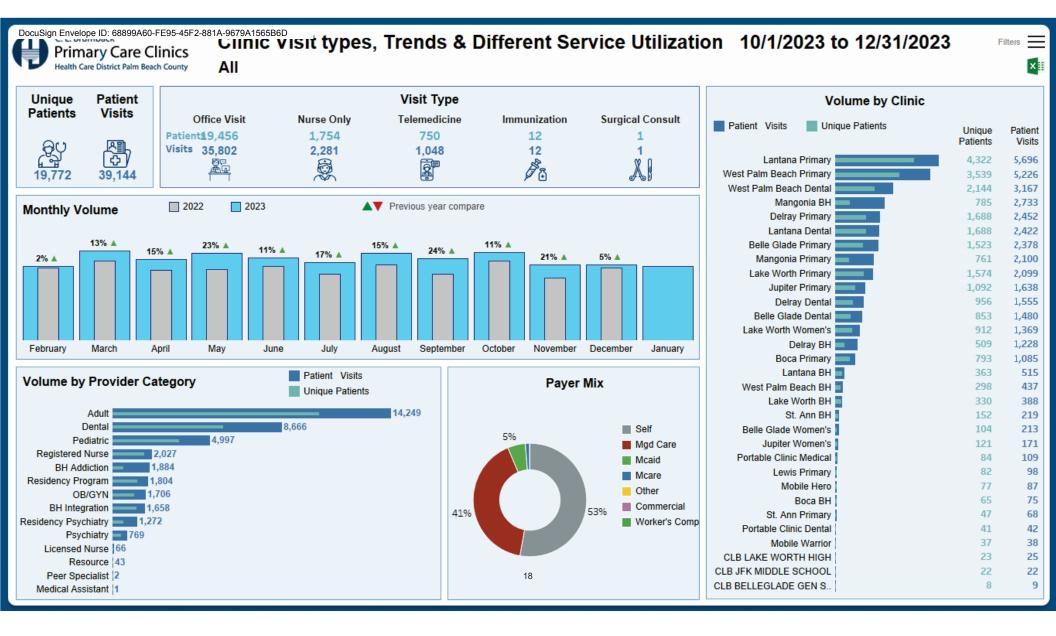
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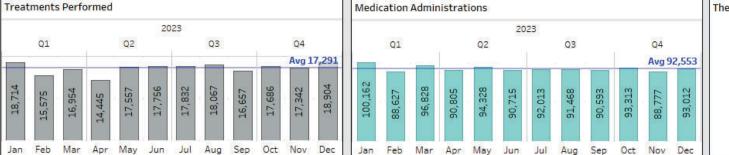


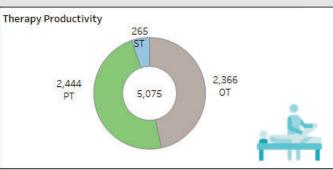




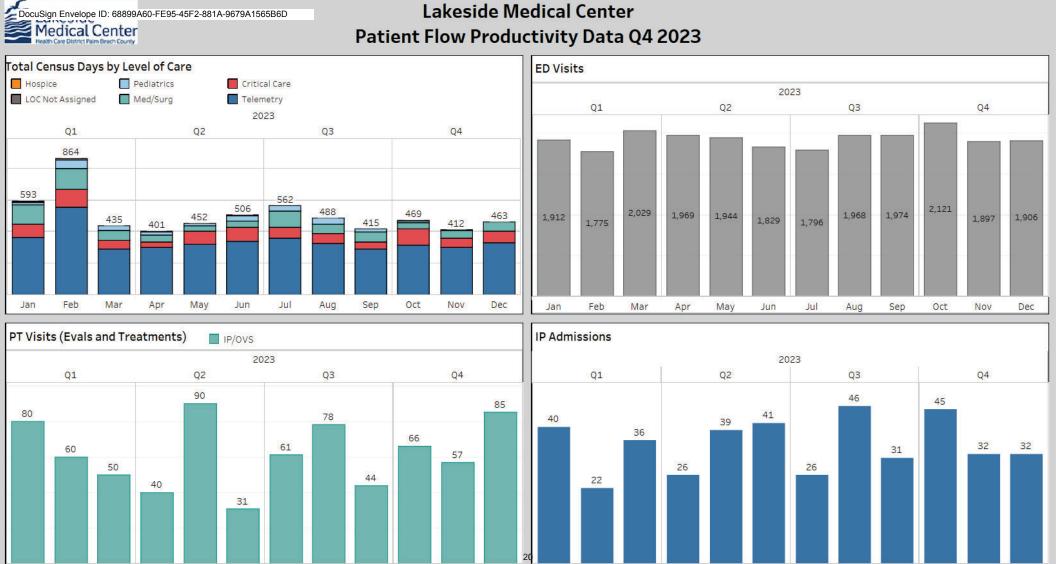
## Healey Center Productivity Data Q4 2023







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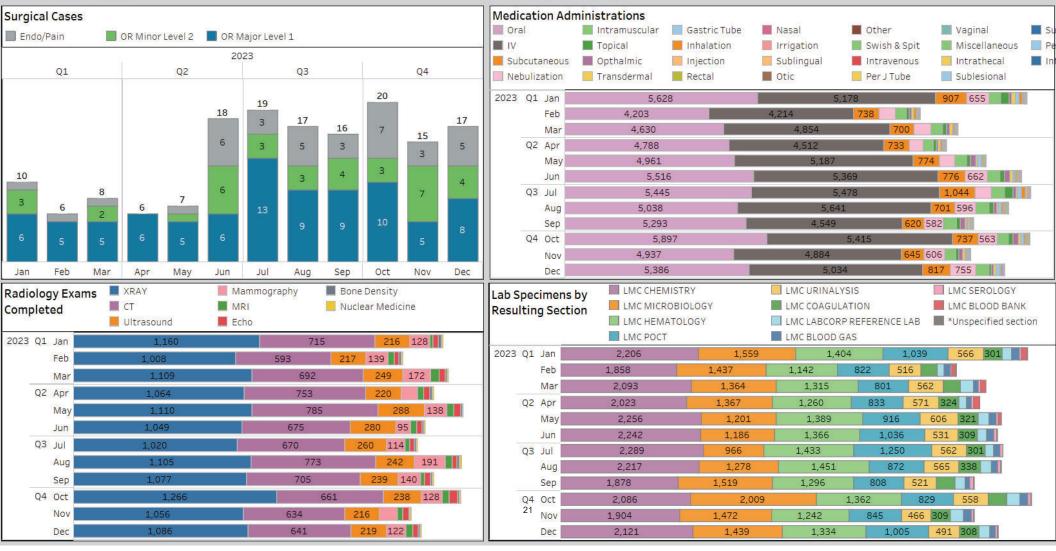
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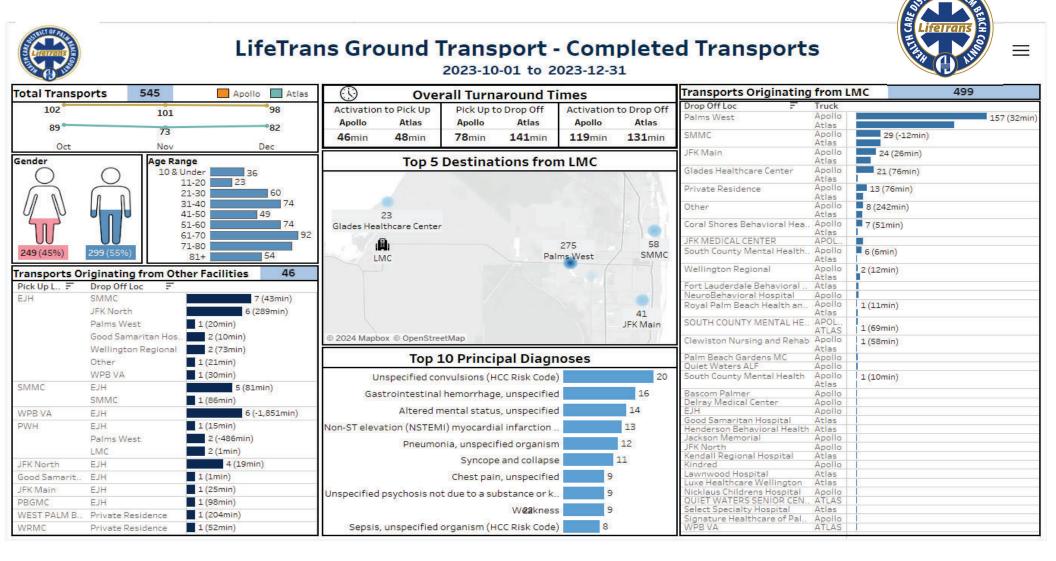


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## Lakeside Medical Center Clinical Productivity Data Q4 2023

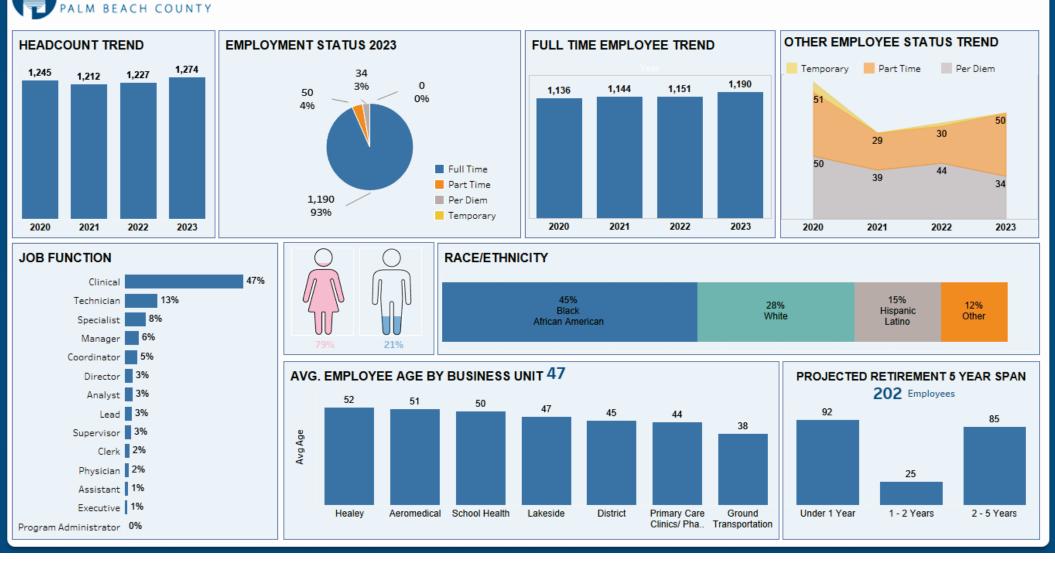


# DocuSign Envelope D: 688990A60\_EE05-45F2-881A-9679A1665B6A 2023 Productivity Metrics Overview



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Health Care District



## 1. Description: HCD Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Program Updates and Activities Quarterly Report

## 2. Summary:

A summary of the Health Care District's ("HCD") Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Program ("Compliance", "CPE", or "Program") activities since the last meeting is provided. This Report covers FY24 Q1 (October 1 – December 31, 2023).

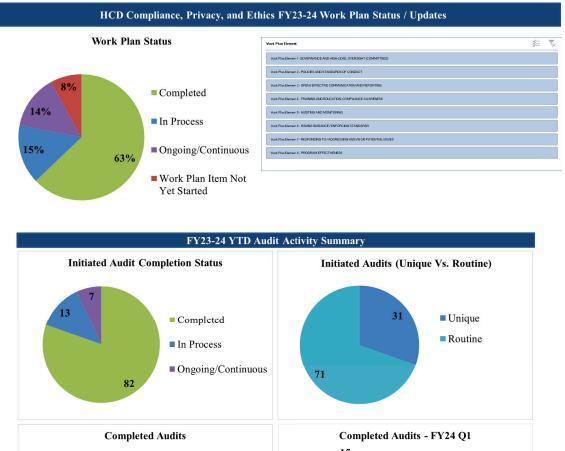
The Office of Inspector General ("OIG") recommends reporting on a regular basis to the governing body, CEO, and compliance committee(s) regarding the planning, implementing, and monitoring of the Program. This report is intended to provide an update on CPE activities, initiatives, monitoring, statistics, and Work Plan. Heather Bokor, VP / Chief Compliance, Privacy, & Risk Officer, presents the following:

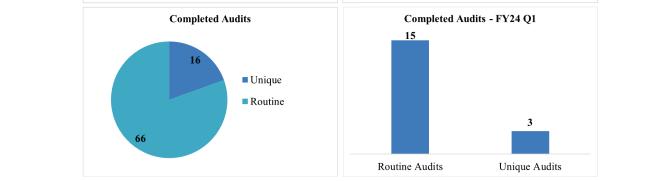
## 3. Substantive Analysis: Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Report

CPE continues to assess HCD and develop the Program to address areas for attention and/or enhancement, in order to ensure that through the Work Plan and other activities, we meet or exceed Effective Compliance Program Elements, per OIG.

Key areas since the last report which have had significant or notable work included as part of or separate from the FY24 Work Plan include: Auditing, compliance reviews/risk and monitoring and assessments; Policies procedures/Standards of Conduct; Analysis and assessment of HHS-OIG's new/revised Compliance Program Guidance documents; Cybersecurity and privacy breach readiness with vendors and insurers; Responses to insurance renewals; Contract reviews and payments with external parties; External auditing and monitoring participation (e.g., HRSA, RSM); Conflicts of Interest; Consent and form revisions; Issuing guidance to staff; licensure and accreditation; Research and issuance of regulatory and other guidance and education/information to staff; Vaccination and related guidance; Aeromedical billing guidance; Regulatory updates and industry enforcement activity, including new/proposed state laws; Active participation and responsiveness to HCD staff on inquiries/incidents/needs; Education and dissemination of information and communication to HCD staff; and other initiatives to improve compliance and mitigate risk in the organization.

## A. Work Plan Status / Updates





## 1. Audit Activity Summary (FY23-24 Work Plan):

In FY23-24 YTD, CPE initiated one hundred and two (102) total audits, data risk assessments/research, compliance risk assessments, and/or reviews ("reviews"), in accordance with the annual CPE Work Plan. This includes thirty-one (31) unique and seventy-one (71) routine reviews. Additionally, CPE addressed other items as per OIG's Compliance Program Guidance. A breakdown is provided below:

- Of the 102 initiated, 82 have been completed (16 unique, 66 routine).
- Of the 82 completed, 18 were completed since the last report/meeting (3 unique, 15 routine). These are reported in the tables below. Of the 15 completed <u>routine</u> reviews, results were mostly favorable (see Privacy).
- Of the 102 initiated, 20 reviews (15 unique, 5 routine) are currently in preparation, in process, or pending preliminary / final reports. These items are reported as "Open" in the tables below. *Note: Items reported on at the prior meeting are included in reported data, however, are excluded from this report.*

Exclusion Screening Compliance Reviews	<b>Reviews Complete for October – December 2023.</b>
(Monthly)	<b>Results Favorable. No Recommended Actions.</b> All
[Background/rationale details omitted].	potential matches were reviewed and resolved. 100%
	compliance with applicable rules and policy with no
	exclusions.
Epic User Access/Activity Monitoring	<b>Reviews Complete for October – December 2023.</b>
through FairWarning system for potential	<b>Recommended Actions.</b> Thirteen (13) privacy
Privacy violations (Weekly)	incident investigations, four (4) of which resulted in
[Background/rationale details omitted].	recommended actions and education to staff.
SlicerDicer Access/Activity Monitoring	<b>Reviews Complete for October – December 2023.</b>
through FairWarning system for potential	<b>Results Favorable. No Recommended Actions.</b>
Privacy violations (Daily)	100% compliance with applicable rules and policy,
[Background/rationale details omitted].	with no red flags or resulting violations for HCD
	staff/Epic users. These are counted as monthly for
	purposes of data/reporting.
<b>Referral Source/Physician Payment Audits</b>	<b>Reviews Complete for October – December 2023.</b>
(Ongoing)	Results Favorable. Recommended Actions. All
[Background/rationale details omitted]. These are	physician and referral source payments routed for
reported only as monthly items for purposes of	approval are reviewed and audited by Compliance,
volume.	and any issues are corrected prior to payment.
	Recommendation made to expand the routing/audits
	of agreements and associated payments review, where
	appropriate, also to address other physician
	employment and/or contracting needs as referenced in
OIC Work Blon (Monthly)	the review (in process).
<b>OIG Work Plan (Monthly)</b> [Background/rationale details omitted].	In HCD's FY24, CPE monitored and analyzed all OIG monthly work plan additions. Information is
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*CMS audit received/in process for Healey.	if/where applicable. For <b>October – December 2023</b>
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	report, nine (9) of which may apply to HCD: (1)
	Audit of Nursing Homes' Nurse Staffing Hours
	<u>Reported in CMS' Payroll-Based Journal *; (2)</u> Audit
	of Medicare Payments for Emergency Department
	Services Provided in Nonemergency Department Sites
	of Service; (3) Audits of Pharmacy Support for
	Prescription Drug Event Data; (4) Audit of the
	National Institutes of Health's Efforts To Ensure a
	Safe and Respectful Workplace; (5) Audit of Efforts of
	State Agencies to Ensure the Safety of Children in
	Foster Care; and (6-9) Comparison of Average Sales
	Prices and Average Manufacturer Prices: FFY23-24
	Quarterly Results.
<b>External / Contracted Audit of HCD</b>	Completed: RSM Annual HIPAA Risk Assessment

	preparation and participation
External / Contracted Audit of HCD	Completed: RegLantern HRSA Mock Audit/HRSA
	Audit preparation and participation

Element/Type	Work Plan Item/Area – Completed Items (FY24) (Non-Auditing Items, Includes Unique and Standing Items)
Issuing Guidance / Enforcing Standards	<ul> <li>Aeromedical and Emergency Medical Services Palm Beach County Ordinance review/revision/input provided to County</li> <li>Development of Privacy Violations / Sanctions Grid to Human Resources</li> <li>Release of Information Issued Guidance on General and Part 2 Substance Use Disorder and Medication Assisted Treatment</li> <li>Conflicts of Interest ("COI") Follow-up on Annual Review for HCD Staff</li> <li>Monitoring/Review of Florida Bill/Statutes that may impact HCD</li> <li>Monitoring/Review of Regulatory Updates and Industry Enforcement Activity that may impact HCD (e.g., CMS Implements Prior Authorization Reforms, SCOTUS Reviewing Chevron Deference, FTC Updates Merger Guidelines, False Claims Act Settlements Exceed \$2.68 Billion in FY23, BlackCat Ransomware Claims Responsibility for Change Healthcare, Healthcare Breaches Continue at Unprecedented Rate, Penn State Self- Discloses Improper Billings Related to Medicare Annual Wellness Survey)</li> </ul>
Responding to Issues and Inquiries	<ul> <li>Responded to various compliance issues, inquiries, and issued guidance internally accordingly (e.g., Gifts &amp; gratuities, Contract and third-party vendor management; Consents; COI; Service animals; Aeromedical/FAA; Credentialing committee reviews)</li> <li>Responded to various privacy issues, inquiries, and issued guidance internally accordingly (e.g., Appropriate use of resources; Biometric data; Data privacy and information security; Third-party vendor management; FERPA ROI; School Health mandated reporting)</li> </ul>
Policies & Procedures (and Forms)	<ul> <li>New/Revised Policies and Procedures (e.g., Charters: Medical Ethics Charter; Dialysis Consent P&amp;P Sanctions for Non-compliance with Information Security and Data Privacy)</li> <li>New/Revised Forms (e.g., Dialysis Consent Form; Medical Record Amendment Request Response Template, Data Use Agreements; Hotline Investigation Resolution Report)</li> </ul>
Training & Education; Awareness Activities	<ul> <li>Compliance, Privacy, Ethics and Risk Management Newsletter: Winter Edition</li> <li>Privacy Incident Re-Education/Re-Training Activities</li> <li>Annual Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Training Issued to HCD staff</li> <li>New Hire Orientation (ongoing)</li> </ul>
Effectiveness	• Analysis of OIG's new Compliance Program Guidance (New, see below)

Element/Type	Work Plan Item/Area –
U I	Recently Completed ***; In Process **; and/or Routine/Ongoing *
Auditing and Monitoring	<ul> <li>Online Tracking Technologies Risk Assessment (New) **</li> <li>Information Blocking Audit (New) **</li> <li>Annual FERPA Notification Audit (School Health) (New, Completed January) ***</li> <li>OCR (HHS-Office for Civil Rights) Breach Event Reporting (Annual, Completed in February 2024 for CY23) ***</li> <li>Release of Information (ROI) Privacy Audit of HIM **</li> <li>High Dollar/Volume/Reimbursement Services Data Risk Assessment and Analysis for: Professional Services (PCC) (annual) **</li> <li>PEPPER Report Monitoring for Short Term Acute Care Hospitals (STACH) (LMC) (Q4) (Note: CMS has temporarily paused until Fall 2024 for improvements to the program and reporting system) *</li> <li>EMTALA and Access to Emergency Services and Care Risk Assessment (was on hold, resumed and due 3/31) **</li> <li>Hospital Emergency Department Signage Review (LMC) (New) **</li> <li>Privacy and Security Compliance Surveys for HCD Departments *** (Completed in January)</li> <li>External Ambulance Services Claims Review and Contract Discussions (Pending AMR) **</li> <li>Business Associate Agreements ("BAA") and Decision Tree (was on hold, pending Part 2 legislation) **</li> <li>Authorization for Marketing/Patient Stories **</li> <li>Credentialing Risk Assessment (remains on hold) **</li> <li>HCD Non-employed Individuals in the workplace: Risk Assessment (New) **</li> <li>SlicerDicer Use and Access Monitoring for Privacy Use *</li> <li>FairWarning system monitoring/auditing of detected potential privacy violations / red flags by Epic Users *</li> <li>Referral Source Audits and Payments to Physicians *</li> <li>Exclusion Screening Monthly and Ad Hoc (e.g., Credentialing) *</li> <li>OIG Work Plan Monitoring *</li> </ul>
Standards of Conduct / Policies & Procedures / Forms	<ul> <li>Complete P&amp;P (IT Security Policy and Procedure review and revisions ONC HIT Information Blocking Rule Compliance; Records Management/Record Retention and Destruction; FERPA Protections for Student Health Records; Law Enforcement Requests and Disclosures; and Permitted/Required Disclosures to Law Enforcement)</li> <li>In process (340B Compliance and Program Integrity; Standards of Conduct P&amp;P/Guidebook; Internal Reporting of Compliance Issues*; IT Security Policy and Procedure review and revisions)</li> </ul>
Open/Effective	• Ongoing monitoring and dissemination of information to HCD staff (e.g.,

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Communication	OIG Work Plan, Government Contractor Audits, CMS Publications,
	Notifications and RAC Reports; Regulatory Updates and Dashboard) *
	<ul> <li>Ongoing Website Enhancement/ Communication/Posting *</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ongoing Internal staff development *</li> </ul>
Training & Education	• Cybersecurity and Data Privacy Education to HCD Board of
	Directors/Commissioners/HCD Leadership **
	• Compliance, Privacy, & Ethics Training – Exclusion Checks, Tips, and
	Reminders for Vendors **
	• Annual Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Awareness Event/Survey
	development *
	Baker Act Training Module (LMC Emergency Department/HCD) **
	<ul> <li>New Hire Orientation *</li> </ul>
Issuing Guidance /	<ul> <li>Data Breach Response for Panel Provider Reviews – Part II (Privacy</li> </ul>
Enforcing Standards	Preparation and Readiness) **
	<ul> <li>COI Issuance: Board/Committee Members for FY24 (annual requirement)</li> </ul>
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	• COI Review: HCD Staff for FY23 (annual requirement) **
	• Human Resources Exit Processes (on hold)
	• Evaluation and Mandatory Rule Implementation / Development and
	Monitoring *
	HCD Applicable Rule/Law Analysis *
	Regulatory Updates/Industry Enforcement Activity *
	<ul> <li>Contract Reviews and Guidance *</li> </ul>
Responding to Issues	Hotline Call Response/Investigations *
Responding to issues	<ul> <li>Response to Issues/Inquiries/Investigations *</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>External Agency Audit Activity / Review and Response *</li> </ul>
Effectiveness	
Effectiveness	<ul> <li>Compliance Program Development/Effectiveness *</li> </ul>

## **<u>B.</u>** Department Activity and Statistics:

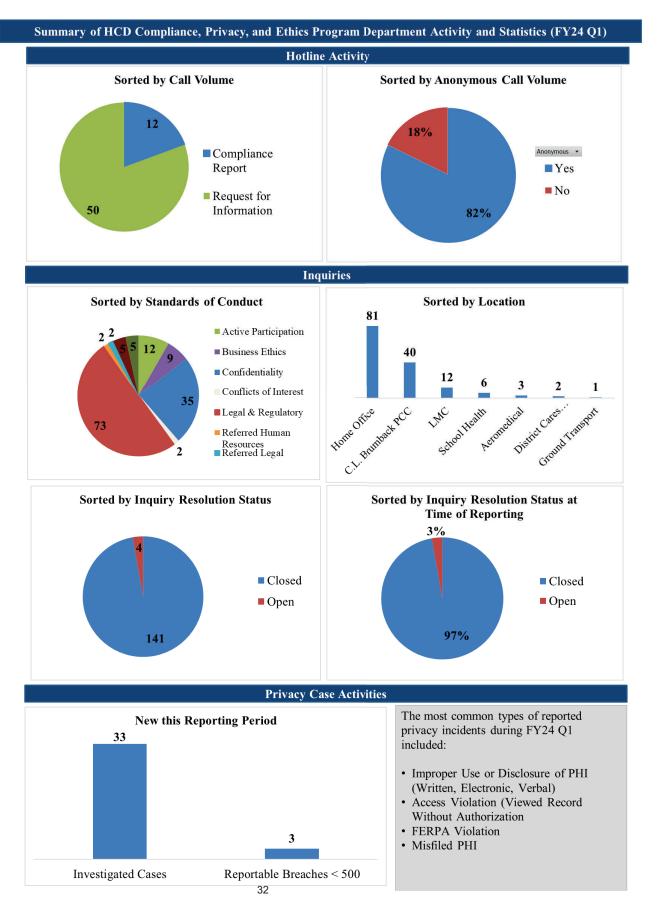
## 1. Conflicts of Interest ("COI")

HCD Compliance has revised the COI Disclosure Form/Questionnaire and will disseminate to HCD Board and Committee members in March 2024.

## 2. Regulatory Updates and Industry Enforcement Activity

These updates, including any State Laws as applicable, are reported at the December Board of Director/Commissioners meeting as informational and are omitted here.

## **3.** Hotline, Inquiries & Investigations – *Continued on next page.*



#### 4. HHS-OIG's new Compliance Program Guidance Documents / Analysis

From 1998 to 2008, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services ("HHS") Office of Inspector General ("OIG") developed and issued several voluntary compliance program guidance documents (known as "CPGs") which were directed at various parts of the healthcare industry. In April 2023, OIG announced plans to improve and update existing CPGs and deliver new CPGs specific to new segments of the healthcare industry through the <u>OIG's modernization initiative</u>. On November 6, 2023, OIG released the first new CPG since September 2008, the GCPG.

The GCPG largely maintains the historic seven elements of a compliance program, but provides more depth for each element regardless of facility type and incorporates feedback from industry stakeholders and "lessons learned" from enforcement actions, CIA monitoring, investigations and evolving technologies used to support the healthcare delivery system. The prior and new elements are listed below:

Prior Seven Elements	New Seven Elements			
Written Policies and Procedures	Written Policies and Procedures			
Designated Compliance Officer and Compliance Committee	Compliance Leadership and Oversight			
Training and Education	Training and Education			
Effective Lines of Communication	Effective Lines of Communication with the Compliance Officer and Disclosure Program			
Enforcing Standards Through Well- Publicized Disciplinary Guidelines	Enforcing Standards: Consequences and Incentives			
Internal Monitoring and Auditing	Risk Assessment, Auditing and Monitoring			
Responding Promptly to Detected Deficiencies and Undertaking Corrective Action	Responding to Detected Offenses and Developing Corrective Action Initiatives			

This guidance serves as a revised reference guide for the healthcare compliance community and other healthcare stakeholders and:

- summarizes federal laws related to healthcare fraud enforcement and other standards (Physician Self-Referral Law (Stark), Anti-Kickback Statute, False Claims Act, Civil Monetary Penalty authorities, Exclusion authorities, Criminal Healthcare Fraud Statute, and HIPAA Privacy and Security Rules);
- includes examples of problematic conduct, key questions that entities can ask to evaluate certain risks (e.g., AKS) in an arrangement, and tips on what to do if a problem is identified;
- provides a revised version of the seven elements of a compliance program (see below);
- lists adaptations for small and large entities;

- includes cybersecurity as a top priority for compliance \*;
- identifies other compliance considerations; and
- lists OIG processes and resources.

The OIG notes that because of increasing cybersecurity attacks, compliance with privacy, security and breach notification rule requirements should be a top compliance priority for HIPAA-regulated entities of all sizes.

While the GCPG is applicable to all entities, OIG provides guidance on how small entities and large organizations should think about how to "right-size" their compliance programs to meet their own entity's needs.

The OIG and the Department of Justice ("DOJ") provided additional compliance considerations, including, but not limited to: Adding Quality and patient safety into compliance programs as they are high priorities for DOJ and HHS; Consider and ensure New Entrants in the healthcare market are familiar with the healthcare regulatory landscape and address compliance and business risks and to ensure that there are checks and tracking systems in place to prevent prioritizing financial gain over patient care; and Financial Arrangement Monitoring to address the AKS and processes for monitoring and ensuring compliance when entering into arrangements with referral sources (including but not limited to legal review, Fair Market Value assessments, and proper tracking systems with supporting documentation).

In addition to the GCPGs, the OIG stated it will publish industry-specific CPGs ("ICPGs") for different types of providers, suppliers, and other participants. When OIG lawyers announced this, they stated that managed care and nursing homes will be the first ICPGs published. The existing CPGs will remain effective until replaced and then most likely will be archived on OIG's website (and no longer published in the Federal Register). IPGs are:

- For different types of providers, suppliers, and other participants in health care industry subsectors or ancillary industry sectors;
- Tailored to fraud and abuse risks; and
- Compliance measures that participants can take to reduce risks.

Some themes that OIG identifies include:

- *Tone from the Top*: OIG states that boards should take every opportunity to communicate to each of its audiences its commitment to compliance. To demonstrate such commitment, the board and chief executive officer (CEO) may wish to include a signed endorsement or similar written statement with their code of conduct, which should be updated after leadership changes to reflect the ongoing commitment to compliance.
- *Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) Has a Senior Role*: OIG spends a considerable amount of time discussing the CCO's role as a senior leader in the organization

who has the authority, stature, access and resources necessary to lead an effective and successful compliance program. OIG notes that the CCO's primary responsibilities should include advising the CEO, board and other senior leaders on compliance risks and business strategy. OIG maintains its long-held position that the CCO should not lead or report to the entity's legal or financial functions, and the CCO should maintain a degree of separation from the entity's delivery of healthcare items and services, including billing, coding and claim submission. This is true even for small entities or those with contracted functions.

- *Well-functioning Compliance Committees and Engaged Board Compliance Committee*: OIG suggests that the board compliance committee actively oversee the compliance program function and evaluate the risk assessment process. OIG states that the board compliance committee should reserve time at each meeting to discuss the compliance program, activities and risk updates with the CCO.
- Targeted Training and Multiple Forms, including Board Training
- Multiple Reporting Pathways for Compliance Concerns
- Considerations for Incentives for Compliant Behavior

#### Summary/Takeaways \*:

Compliance is a dynamic process, and an effective compliance program is critical to operational success and prevention of fraud, waste and abuse. The GCPG should assist healthcare entities and those playing a role in healthcare delivery today in evaluating and structuring compliance programs. Many of OIG's suggestions are consistent with prior compliance program guidance or reflect recent Corporate Integrity Agreements and other common industry practices.

At the same time, the GCPG goes farther in certain areas than OIG has in the past, particularly on governance issues relating to the CCO's role and placement in the organization, and the executive compliance committee's activities and scope, including making quality part of the compliance committee's work.

#### Resources/Full article copy:

- HHS-OIG General Compliance Program Guidance (November 2023): oig.hhs.gov/documents/compliance-guidance/1135/HHS-OIG-GCPG-2023.pdf
- McDermott, Will & Emery article: "OIG Issues General Compliance Program Guidance Updates" \*

## 4. Fiscal Analysis & Economic Impact Statement:

	Current FY Amounts	Total Amounts (Current + Future)	Budget	
Capital Requirements	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🔀	
Net Operating Impact	N/A	N/A	Yes 🗌 No 🔀	

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## 5. Recommendation:

Staff recommends the Committee Receive and File the HCD Compliance, Privacy, and Ethics Program Updates and Activities Quarterly Report.

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# 1. Description: Quality & Patient Safety Reports

# 2. Summary:

This agenda item provides the quality and patient safety reports for the 4th Quarter of 2023 for School Health, Aeromedical, Trauma, C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics, Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Lakeside Medical Center, LifeTrans Ground Transportation, and Corporate Quality Metrics.

# **3.** Substantive Analysis:

### School Health

### Florida-Mandated Student Screenings

- We have exceeded the Florida-mandated goal of completing 45% of the vision and hearing screenings required at the end of the Quarter 4 of 2023. Parents are notified of any abnormal results so they can follow up with their healthcare provider and/or appropriate community resources.
- BMI screening: Through the 4<sup>th</sup> of 2023, we screened 18,318 (53.5%) of eligible students in the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grades. Out of 18,318 students, 4,820 (26.31%) students required referral.
- Hearing screening: Through the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2023, we screened 18,492 (54.9%) of eligible students in kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grades. Out of 18,492 students, 591 (3.2%) students required referral.
- Scoliosis screening: Through the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2023, we screened 6,514 (61.8%) of eligible students in 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Out of 6,514 students, 47 (0.72%) students required referral.
- Vision screening: Through the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2023, we screened 25,056 (54%) of eligible students in kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grades. Out of 25,056 students, 4,437 (17.71%) students required referral.

## **Aeromedical**

#### **Run Time**

For 2023 Q4, Aeromedical-Trauma Hawk flew 131 flights (100 Scene and 31 Interfacility Calls) transporting 134 Patients. The top 3 scene call types were Trauma (82%%), Cardiac (9%), and Neurology (7%). with an average dispatch to enroute of 0:04:51 (meeting goal of <5 minutes) and an average dispatch to the landing zone of 0:17:36 (meeting goal of <20 minutes). There was a total of 64 missed flights (61%) due to weather, 91 cancelled flights and 47 aborted flights

for scene dispatches. The top 3 scene destinations were St. Mary's, JFK and Palm Beach Gardens Medical.

Out of the 31 interfacility flights, the top 3 call types were Cardiac (29%), Trauma (19%), and Neurology (16%). The interfacility dispatch to enroute average time was 0:14:30 with an average dispatch to the hospital landing zone of 0:29:30.

There was a total of 112 missed flights (68%) due to weather, 40 cancelled flights and 4 aborted flights for interfacility dispatches. The top 3 interfacility destinations were St. Mary's, JFK, and Palms West Medical Center.

#### <u>Trauma</u>

#### • System Utilization:

Over Q4 of 2023, 1,429 patients were seen at the trauma centers. 2023 calendar year there were 5,862 patients seen at the trauma centers.

Trauma Center comparison shows SMMC treated 57% of patients and DMC treated 43% of patients. Gender breakdown shows 40% female compared to 60% male. Race and Ethnicity shows White being the majority with 77%, followed by Black at 18%, and non-Hispanic leading with 83% followed by Hispanic at 17% respectively. Age Group by Trauma Center shows SMMC Age Group: 54% Adults, and 33% Geriatrics, and 13% Pediatrics, while DMC Age Group: 60% Geriatrics, 36% Adults, and 3% Pediatrics. The top Decade of Age by Trauma Center shows SMMC was 30-39Yr, while DMC was 80-89Yr. Trauma Volume by Month and Trauma Center for Q4 shows December as the highest month in volume for both trauma centers followed by November and October respectively. Trauma Volume by Month, Year & Trauma Center shows SMMC had a decrease of 11% in October compared to last year, while November showed an 11% increase and December showed an 12% increase compared to last year. DMC showed a 19% decrease in October, a 10% decrease in November and a 15% decrease in December compared to last year.

#### • PBC Mechanism of Injury:

Over Q4, the leading *Mechanism of Injury* remained Falls, followed by Motor Vehicular Crash and Motor Vehicle vs Pedestrian respectively. *Vehicular Crash Breakdown* showed MVC leading, followed by MV vs Pedestrian, then Motorcycle Crash. Overall county *Years of Age by Decade* demographic shows top group of 80-89Yr. Pediatric breakdown showed the top *Pediatric Age Distribution* of 14 Y as most prominent. *Transports by Ground* supplied the majority of patient transports with 92% volume, while *Transports by Air* accounted for 8%. *Trauma Activation Level* shows that Trauma Alerts accounted for 51%, Trauma Transfers accounted for 30%, and ED Upgrades accounted for 17%.

*Trauma Injury Type* showed Blunt at 87%, Penetrating at 9%, and Burn at 3%.

#### C. L. Brumback Primary Care Clinics

The following measures were not meeting goal at the end of December 2023: Hypertension (71%), goal is 80%, Ischemic Vascular Disease/Antiplatelet Therapy (77%) goal is 86%, Adult Weight Screening and Follow Up (89.6%), goal is 90%, Childhood Immunization (41%), goal is 60%, Breast Cancer Screening (58%), goal is 60%, Cervical Cancer Screening (61%), goal is 65%, and Colorectal Cancer Screening (45%) goal is 82%. All other goals achieved for the quarter.

#### Edward J. Healey Rehabilitation and Nursing Center

For Q4, all quality measures met goal.

#### Lakeside Medical Center

For Q4 2023, *Inpatient Quality Measures* there were 2 of 4 measures (ED-1a, IMM-2) that did not meet goal.

#### ED Measure:

• For **ED-1a**, there were (105) cases that fell into the sample for Q4 with a median time of (355) minutes, which is higher than the set goal of (280) minutes.

#### **IMM Measure**

• For **IMM-2**, there were a total of (95) cases the fell into to the sample population, of those cases (89) met the numerator for a pass rate of 94% for Q4, which is lower than the set goal of 96%.

For Q4 2023, *Outpatient Quality Measures* there was 1 of 2 measures (OP-18) that did not meet goal.

#### **OP-18 Measure:**

• For **OP-18**, there were (99) cases that fell into the sample population with a median time of (184) minutes, which is higher than the set goal of (137) minutes.

#### **LifeTrans Ground Transportation**

LifeTrans is trending and monitoring 5 GAMUT quality metrics for 2023. These are Use of Appropriate Pain Scale, Waveform Capnography Monitoring for Patients with Mechanical Ventilation and/or Advanced Airways, Blood Glucose Testing for Altered Mental Status Patients, Appropriate Management of Aortic

Emergencies, and Medical Equipment Failures. During Q4 2023, we trended at 100% for Waveform Capnography Monitoring for mechanically ventilated patients with an advanced airway with GAMUT national threshold being 95%. We transported one Aortic Emergency and they had appropriate management (100%), which met goal with national threshold being above 92%. Our program trended at 97% for the Use of an Appropriate Pain Scale, which is above the GAMUT national threshold of 90%. For Blood Glucose Testing for Altered Mental Status Patients we were at 90% for Q4, which did not meet the GAMUT national threshold of 91%. We did not have any Medical Equipment Failure events.

#### **Corporate Quality Metrics**

#### **Information Technology**

• **Customer Service**: In Q4 2023, our IT department opened a total of 4,584 new support tickets and successfully closed 4,632 tickets, including those carried over from the previous month. On average, we received 50 new tickets each day. The average time taken to resolve a ticket, excluding any hold time, was 3 hours. The average days to close a ticket was 2 days and 4 hours. Additionally, the IT Service Desk handled 3,631 calls. The average wait time for these calls was 34 seconds, and the rate of calls abandoned was 3.0%, which is below our target rate of 4.5%.

#### Human Resources

Turnover and Recruitment:

- For Q4 2023, the average turnover was 24 employees/month, decrease by 17% from previous quarter.
- $\circ~$  For Q4 2023, the highest turnover rate (4%) was among employees under one year of service
- For 2024 the top 3 highest turnover rates by business unit were Ground transportation department, followed by Aeromedical and Clinics Dental.
- Q4 2023 average 68 open requisitions, 26.3% increase from previous quarter (55)
  - 63 days = Average time to Fill, which is above the 49 days industry standard (20% decrease from previous quarter 79 days)
  - 20 days = Average time to Hire, which is within the industry standard of 36 days (9% decrease from previous quarter 22 days).

# 4. Fiscal Analysis & Economic Impact Statement:

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Net Operating	N/A	N/A	Yes No
Impact			

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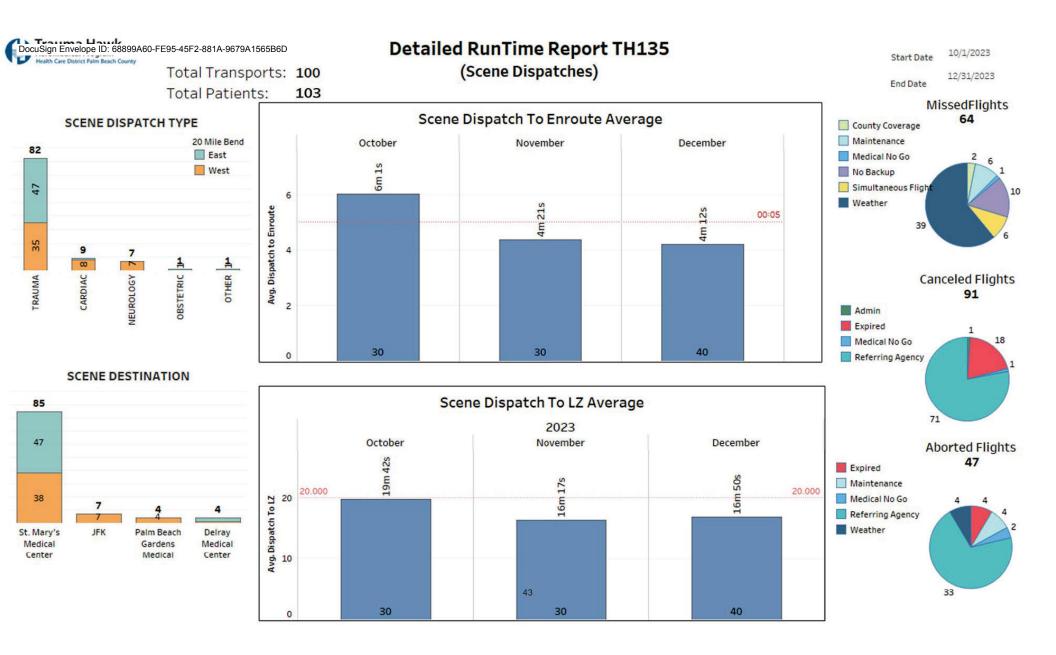
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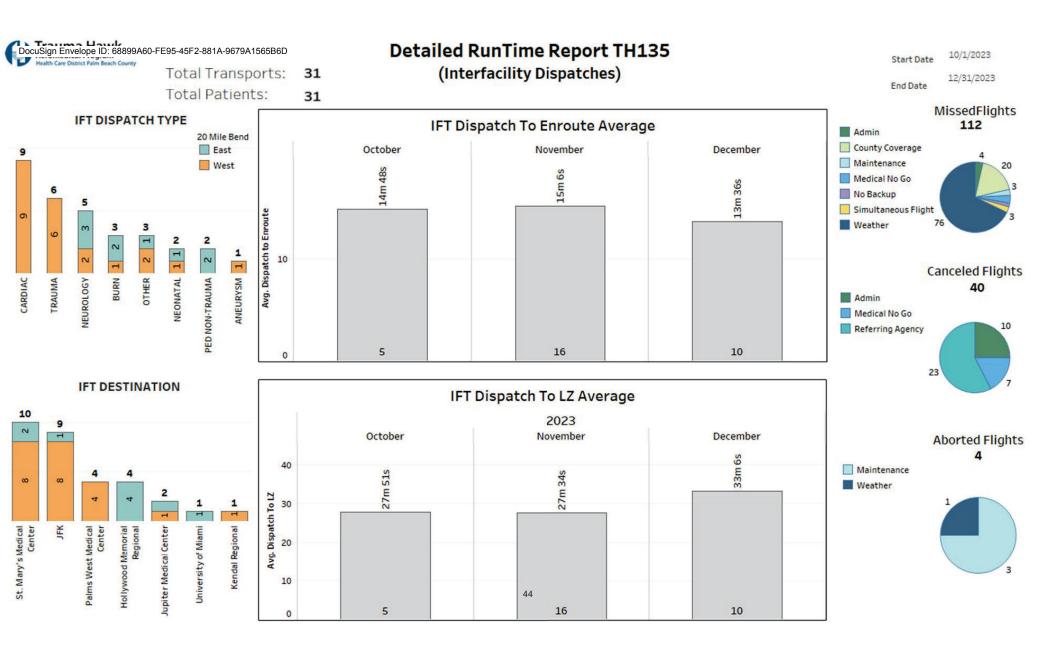


#### Florida Mandated Student Screening Summary

Goal 45% of Students to Have Completed Vision and Hearing Screenings by December 2023 Goal of 45% of Students to Have Completed BMI and Scoliosis Screenings by March 2024 # Abnormal (Cumulative) # Screened (Cumulative)



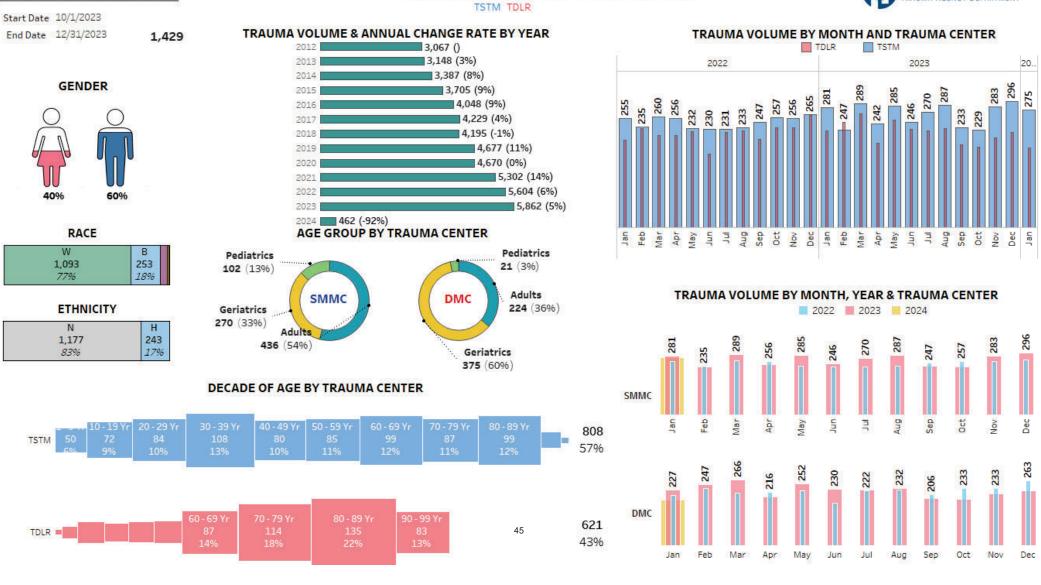


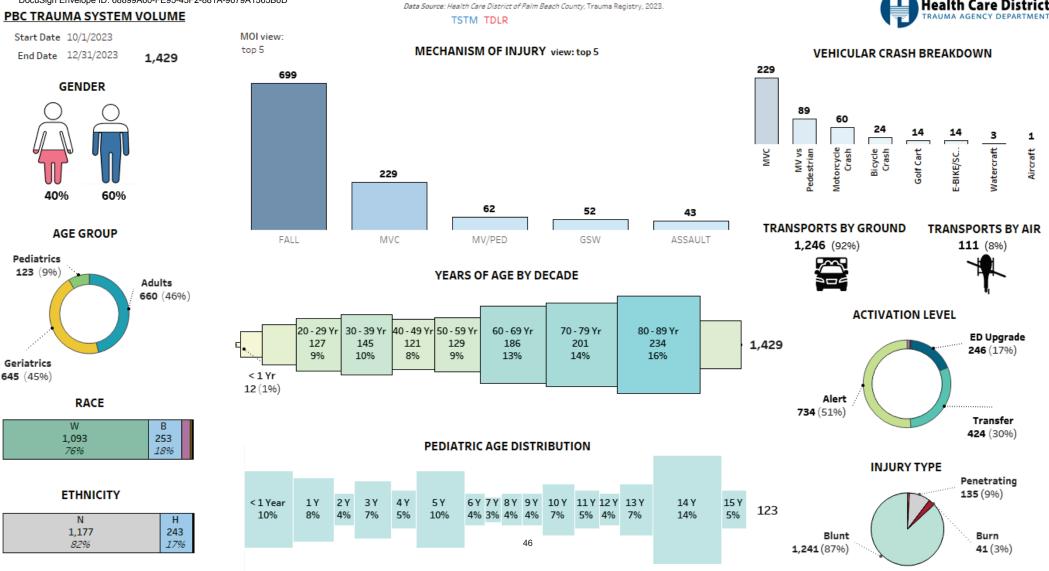


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# TRAUMA SYSTEM UTILIZATION







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PBC TRAUMA SYSTEM VOLUME



Geriatrics

PALM BEACH COUNTY TRAUMA INJURY ANALYSIS

Data Source: Health Care District of Palm Beach County, Trauma Registry, 2023.





# UDS PROVIDER LEVEL QUALITY MEASURES 2023 NATIONAL QUALITY LEADER METRICS

Load Date 1/8/2024





#### DIABETES

Adult Weight Screening and Follow Up	24,341	90%		X	7	90%
Diabetes: (HbA1c < 9%)	3,781	73%	679	%		
Diabetes: (HbA1c < 9%) Migrant	365	75%	679	%		

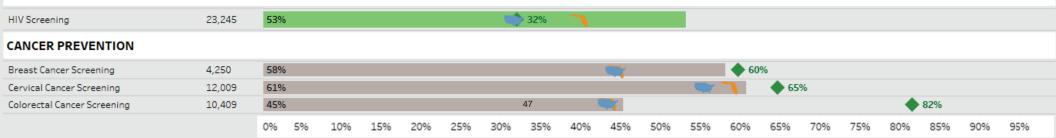
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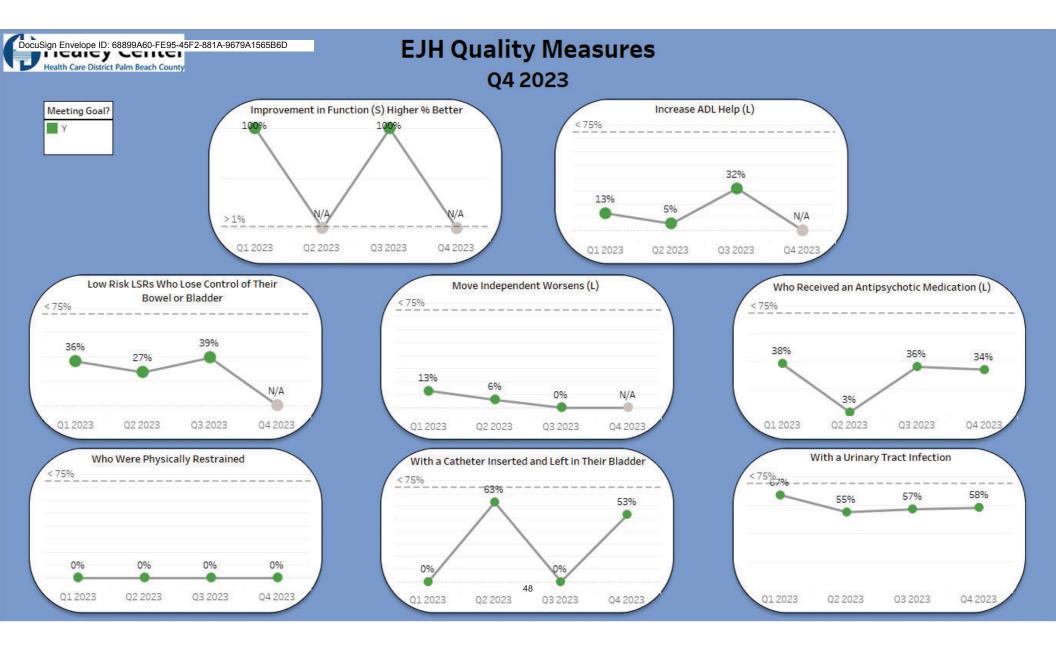
Depression Remission	721	41%		
Patients Screened for Depression and Follo.	. 16,282	95%	💷 🔭 🦄 🍫 83%	
Pts Screened for Depression and F/U (Hom	5,081	92%	Sector 2010 - 20	

#### CHILDHOOD MEASURES

Childhood Immunization	505	41%	N 🐨 🛛	<b>60</b> %		
Dental Sealants	651	96%			75%	
Weight Screening and Counseling for childr.	. 4,768	93%			-	<b>90%</b>

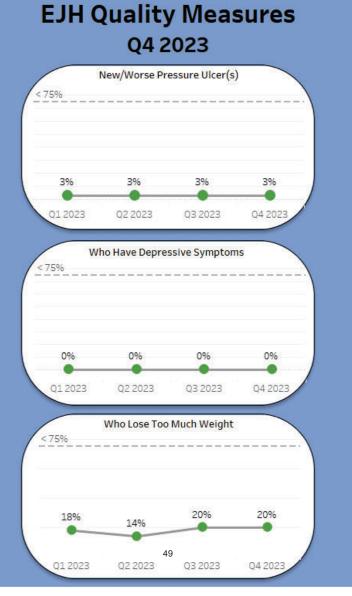
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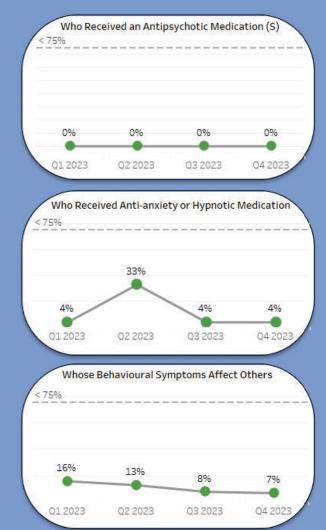


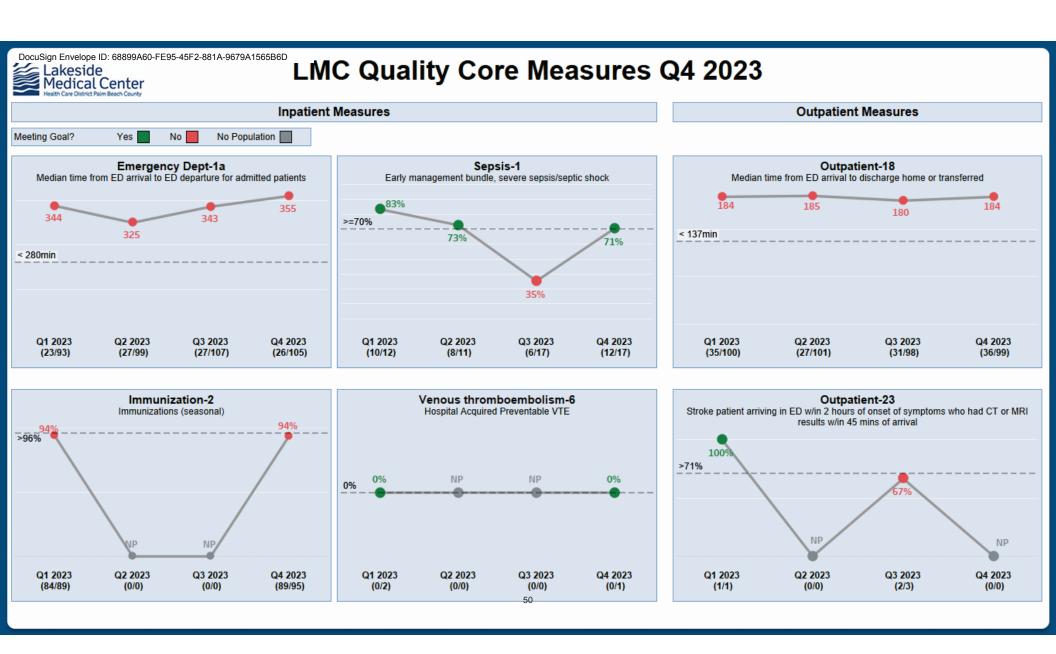


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