

Rural Health Transformation Program Stakeholder Survey

Transformation of Healthcare Delivery in Rural Mississippi

Provide feedback to help develop the State's plan to address challenges in rural healthcare delivery and build a sustainable model for the future. Respondents are not required to provide a response to every component of the survey.

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About the Respondent

Thank you for your participation in developing the State's Rural Health Transformation Plan!

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7. How did you come to know about this survey? *

Component 1: Improve access to healthcare for rural Mississippians.

Improve access to hospitals, other health care providers, and health care items and services.

8. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

9. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

10. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

11. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 2: Improve healthcare outcomes for rural residents.

12. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

13. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

14. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

15. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 3: Prioritize new technology emphasizing prevention & chronic disease management.

16. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

17. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

18. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

19. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 4: Build strategic, regional partnerships among providers in rural communities.

Collaborate to promote measurable quality improvement, increase financial stability, maximize economies of scale, and share best practices in care delivery.

20. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

21. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

22. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

23. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 5: Enhanced recruitment and training of healthcare practitioners for rural MS.

Improve the supply of healthcare clinicians and enhance their economic opportunity.

24. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

25. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

26. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

27. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 6: Prioritize data and technology driven solutions.

Help rural hospitals and other providers furnish high-quality health care services as close to a patient's home as possible.

28. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

29. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

30. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

31. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Component 7: Manage long term financial solvency and operating models of rural hospitals.

32. Describe the current challenges associated with this component.

33. Describe any immediate solutions which may alleviate some challenges associated with this component.

34. Describe long-term strategies to address the challenges associated with this component.

35. What are the key performance indicators to measure the success of the suggested immediate solutions and/or long-term strategies?

Rural Health Transformation Activities

36. List specific causes driving the accelerating rate of stand-alone rural hospitals becoming at risk of closure, conversion, or service reduction.

37. List solutions which would promote evidence-based, measurable interventions to improve prevention and chronic disease management.

38. List solutions which would promote consumer-facing, technology-driven solutions for the prevention and management of chronic diseases.

39. List solutions which would provide training and technical assistance for the development and adoption of technology-enabled solutions that improve care delivery in rural hospitals, including remote monitoring, robotics, artificial intelligence, and other advanced technologies.

40. List solutions to support access to opioid use disorder treatment services, other substance use disorder treatment services, and mental health services.

41. List solutions to recruit and retain clinical workforce talent to rural areas, with commitments to serve rural communities for a minimum of 5 years.

42. List solutions to provide technical assistance, software, and hardware for significant information technology advances designed to improve efficiency, enhance cybersecurity capability development, and improve patient health outcomes.

43. How can rural communities right size their health care delivery systems by identifying needed preventative, ambulatory, pre-hospital, emergency, acute inpatient care, outpatient care, and post-acute care service lines?

44. List solutions to align the supply of healthcare services with the demand/need for healthcare services in rural Mississippi.

45. Are there value-based care arrangements, alternative payment models, or other innovative models of care which could assist in the transformation of rural health in Mississippi?

46. What performance measures and benchmarks will be used to determine the success of rural health transformation efforts?

47. What are the long-term funding strategies to sustain rural health transformation efforts beyond grants, pilot programs, temporary programs, etc.?

48. Do you have any other ideas designed to promote sustainable access to high quality rural health care services in Mississippi?

49. Any other comments or ideas:

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