# PROVEN SOLUTIONS TO ACCELERATE YOUR MAT PROGRAM

**CUTTING EDGE STRATEGIES IN OPIOID CARE** 

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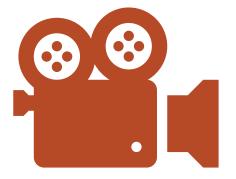
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#### Countdown!

To apply for the Opioid Care Honor Roll submit your Opioid Management Hospital Self-Assessment between

June 22, 2020 - October 9, 2020

In partnership with California Health & Human Services, will recognize honor roll awardees & participants by Dec 2020.



# Opioid Care Honor Roll 2020 Webinar Series Roadmap



### Mapping it back to the Self-Assessment

| Measure  | Level 1 Basic Mgmt. (1 pt) | Level 2 Hospital Standal (2 pts) | al Wide  | Level 3 Integration & Innovation (3 pts) | Level 4 Practice Improvement (4 pts) |
|--|----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|
| Safe & Effective Opioid Use <ul><li>Appropriate opioid discharge prescribing</li></ul> |                            |                                  | Overdose Prevention  • Naloxone education & distribution program |  |                                      |

#### Identification & Treatment

guidelines

Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)

Alternatives to opioids for pain management

Timely follow up care

Cross-cutting Opioid Management Best Practices

- Organizational infrastructure
- Address stigma with physicians & staff
- Patient & family engagement

Source: Opioid Management Hospital Self-Assessment



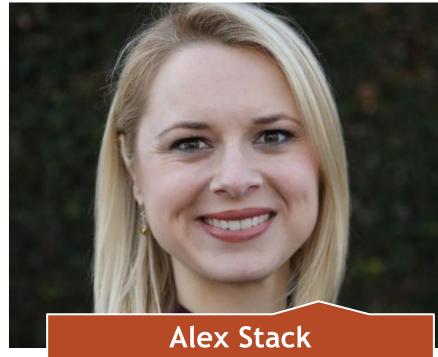
 Download the 2020 Opioid Management Hospital Self-Assessment

2. Schedule 1 to 2 hours on your calendar to review, complete, & submit the Opioid Management Hospital Self-Assessment (consider a team approach)

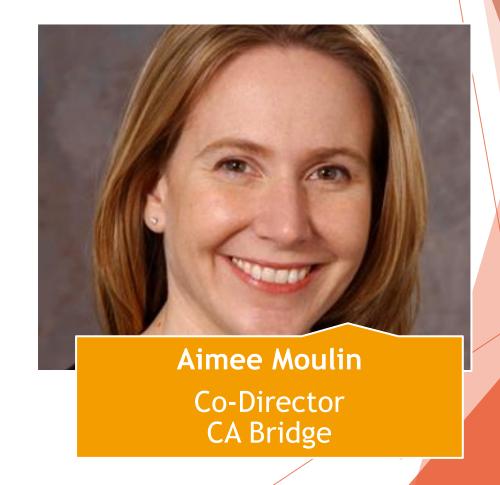


- **Examined** the role of the Substance Use Navigator (or equivalent), how to design this role in a way that makes sense for your hospital, how to measure and communicate the impact of your MAT program for buy-in, and other sustainable solutions.
- **Determined** what strategies to transfer into your own work.
- **Scheduled** time to complete and submit the Opioid Management Hospital Self-Assessment for the 2020 Opioid Care Honor Roll.





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# **Guest Speakers**





#### **Tommie Trevino**

Substance Use Navigator UC Davis Medical Center

#### Rebecca Trotzky-Sirr

Medical Director - LAC+USC Jail Co-Director, CA Bridge



# POLL: What is critical to the success of your opioid stewardship program?



CHAT: What questions do you have?

# **Proven Solutions**

#### What to Do & How to Do It

#### (Re)capturing attention

- Innovate!
- Leverage technology/telehealth
- Communicate impact
- Address the elephant in the room e.g. stigma

#### **Addressing Stigma**

- Words matter
- Engage patient & families
- Education & training
- Feedback loop
- Hire dedicated staff; ideally people with lived experience e.g. Substance Use Navigator, Behavioral Evaluation and Addiction Management Team, etc.

# Engaging Communities of Color

- Honor impact of generational trauma
- Change care at the bedside to promote safety, inclusiveness, etc.
- Celebrate diversity as an organization!
- Provide robust translation services
- Cultural competency training
- Hire a diverse workforce
- Review patient facing materials for cultural relevance

# SUN Solutions

Aimee Moulin, MD, ED Behavioral Health Director, UC Davis Medical Center, Co-Director, CA Bridge

Tommie Trevino, Substance Use Navigator, UC Davis Medical Center

# What is a Substance Use Navigator?

 Counselors specially trained in the assessment of patients with substance use disorders

The SUN role encompasses all aspects of SBIRT

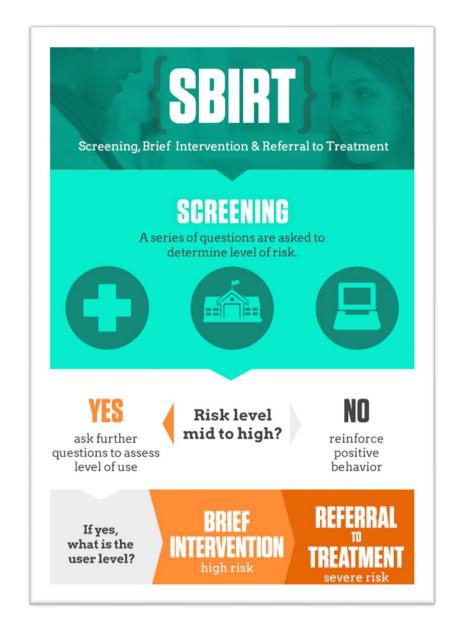
Community outreach allows
 SUNs to connect patients to care



#### **TEACHABLE MOMENT**

 ED Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) is more effective than outpatient settings in reducing problematic use

 ED SBIRT cost effective 21% reduction in healthcare costs in the following year





### **Process of referral**

- Patient seen by MD or Social Worker
- Patient referred to SUN
  - warm hand off or SUN list in EMR
- SUN performs assessment
- Resources given and Educate patient
- Place in treatment program or coordinate plan of action
  - Warm hand off when possible

# Questionnaires

#### **Audit- Alcohol**

- How often do You Drink
- How many drinks
- 5 or more
- Last time used
- Failed to do what was expected
- Need a drink in the morning
- Feeling Guilt
- Unable to remember
- People Injured due to your drinking
- Relative, friend, MD, concerned

#### **DAST-Drugs**

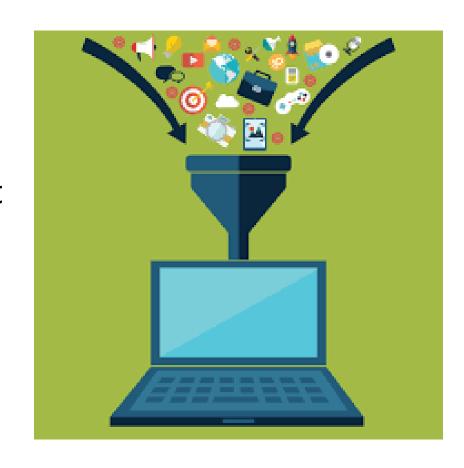
- Have you used drugs other than those required for medical reasons?
- Do you abuse more thane 1 drug at a time?
- Are you always able to stop?
- Have you had blackouts?
- Do you feel bad/Guilty?
- Does Someone complain?
- Neglected family?
- Engaged in illegal activities?
- Have you had withdrawal symptoms?
- Have you had medical problems?

### Clinical documentation

- Need to document complete substance use history
  - Include use history and last use
  - Prior treatment
  - Prior experience with treatment centers/styles
  - Audit/DAST
- Document healthcare utilization
  - ED visits in the last 6 months
  - Hospital admissions
  - Need for surgical procedures
- Demographics
  - Best contact information
  - Preferred time of contact
- Referrals placed
  - Inpatient substance use teams/pain service
  - Outpatient referrals

### Data collection

Age, gender, reason for consult, # ED visits in prior 6m, insurance status, housing status, SSI, Utox, BAL, AUDIT, DAST, status during interview, substance of choice, duration of use, prior h/o treatment, longest duration of recovery duration of SUD, h/o mental illness, past suicide attempt, current SI/HI, 5150, use of psychiatric medications, prior psychiatric hospitalizations, connected to outpatient psychiatric care, referrals made, discharge diagnosis, final disposition



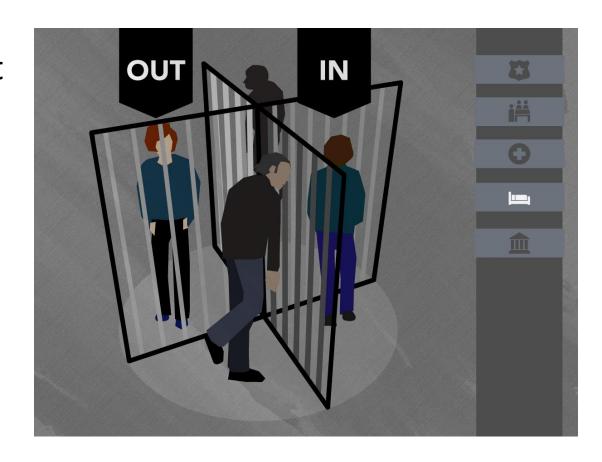
### **UC Davis Metrics**

Pre/Post visits 6months before and follow 6 months after the visit

focus on high utilizers Counting visits

Dual Diagnosis population with 5150 holds

Follow up and connection to care



| # of ED Visits<br>6 months<br>Prior | ED Visits 6 months after | Insurance | Homeless               | Placed in program         | 5150 | Final Disposition |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|------------------------|---------------------------|------|-------------------|
| 3                                   | 1                        | Medi-Cal  | yes                    | yes                       | na   | home              |
| 5                                   |                          | Medi-Cal  | yes                    | yes, clean and sober home | yes  | Mather VA         |
| 0                                   | 0                        | Medi-Cal  | no                     | yes                       | yes  | Sierra Vista      |
| 2                                   | 1                        | Medi-Cal  | no                     | yes, County AOD           | yes  | Sierra Vista      |
| 1                                   | 1                        | Medi-Cal  | no                     | Family TIE AOD            | no   | home              |
| 2                                   |                          | Medi-Cal  | no                     | none                      | no   | bender court      |
| 0                                   |                          | Medi-Cal  | no                     | yes,County Aod            | no   | home              |
| 0                                   |                          | Medi-Cal  | no                     | na                        | na   | walked out        |
| 1                                   |                          | Medicare  | no                     | yes                       | yes  | home              |
| 1                                   |                          | Medicare  | yes                    | AOD county                | yes  | Sierra Vista      |
| 2                                   | 1                        | Medicare  | no                     | yes                       | no   | home              |
| 2                                   | 2                        | Medi-Cal  | yes                    | yes                       | yes  | Bendercourt       |
| 2                                   | 1                        | Medicare  | no                     | na                        | no   | admited           |
| 3                                   | 1                        | Medi-Cal  | no lives with daughter | County AOD                | no   | Bender Court      |
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| 1                                   | 0                        | Medi-Cal  | yes                    | victory outreach          | yes  | bendercourt       |
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# EMR Referral Form

Referral Source: ER

Reason for Referral: Community Resources; Education on Drugs and ETOH;

Motivational support; Educate on treatment compliance with medications

#### **HISTORY OF PRESENTING ILLNESS**

BIB Self Medication Related (withdrawing from opiods)

Identified Drug of Choice: Heroin

Last Alcohol and Other Drug Use: 2/15/19 Length of time using drugs/ETOH: Na

Longest time being clean/sober: Na

History of Mental Illness: no

Intravenous drug use current and past: Na

BAC

No results found for: ETOH

POC Alcohol, Breath: (not recorded)

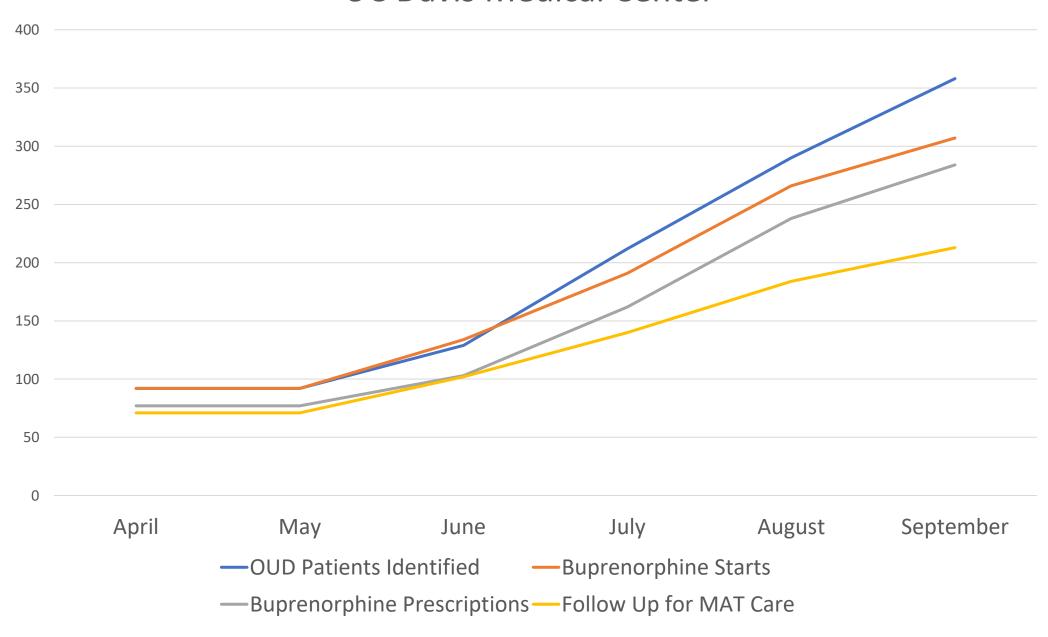
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Lab Results

Component Value Date

BARBSSCRNU NEGATIVE 02/18/2019
BENZOSSCRNU POSITIVE (Abnl) 02/18/2019
COCAINESCRNU NEGATIVE 02/18/2019

#### **UC Davis Medical Center**



#### Where are we now...

Expanded to three SUNS
Covering inpatient services
Hospital dashboard
Empathy training



#### Resources

- SUN Job Description Template
- Guide: Hiring a Substance Use Navigator
- SUN FAQs (PDF)
- <u>SUN & Clinician Champion Collaboration</u> Strong collaboration between a clinical champion and a substance use navigator (SUN) is essential to the development and sustainability of a successful and effective MAT program.
- SUN Outreach Kit Download a folder of community outreach materials
- <u>Listen to this episode</u> of the ED Pulse podcast describing a how a SUN supports buprenorphine intervention. Produced by UC Davis Health featuring Bridge Program Assistant Director of ED Services Dr. Aimee Moulin.



CHAT: What questions do you have?

# Spreading & Scaling Solutions Hospital Based MAT

Rebecca Trotzky-Sirr

Assistant Professor of Clinical Emergency Medicine

Medical Director - LAC+USC Jail

# Agenda

- ► Making the case
- ► Creating the infrastructure
- ► Structuring the Substance Use Navigator role
- ► Spreading & scaling solutions

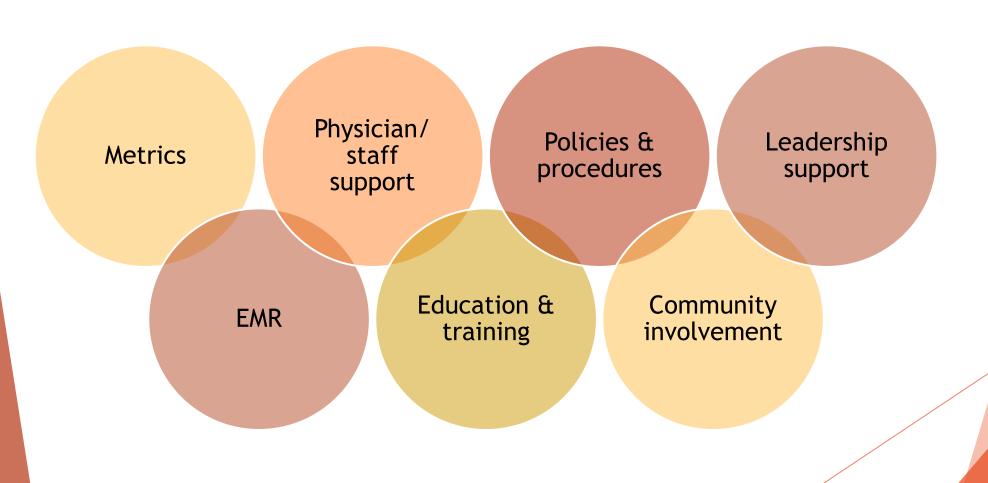
# Making the case Accelerating your MAT program

- ► Key questions for consideration:
  - ▶ What do we do well? What are our operational challenges?
    - ▶ Pro tip: Focus on what you do well!!
  - ▶ What do we need to accelerate our MAT program?
    - ▶ Dedicated resource, provider support, leadership buy in, etc.
- The pitch
  - Data
    - ▶ # of patients with SUD, county overdose rate, impact of SUD related care on patient flow & provider/staff time, patient satisfaction, etc.
  - ► Storytelling for change
    - ► Highly compelling

# Creating the infrastructure: Tale of two hospitals



# Creating the infrastructure: A practical approach



# Structuring the Substance Use Navigator Role (or alternative)



### Spreading & Scaling Solutions

- ► An "insurmountable" challenge will always present itself in the early stages
- ▶ What works for one site may not work for another
- ► Multiple ways to structure a successful MAT program based on the unique needs of your hospitals; even within the same system
- ► A dedicated resource &/or some other kind of support for providers & staff to initiate MAT is key to program success
- ► Champions are helpful!
- ▶ Plan for sustainability up front



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# Key points





# POLL: What do you want to learn more about in 2021?

# Honor Roll Questions? Need Help? Join our Drop-In Office Hours!

Sept 22 10-10:30am

- Zoom meeting link
- Meeting ID: 865 1797 1631

Oct 6 10-10:30am

 Zoom meeting link

Meeting ID:890 8282 3056

No registration required - see zoom details.



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### Resources & Follow Up Materials

Learn more about the Opioid Care Honor Roll



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#### **Programs**

Maternity Care Honor Roll

Opioid Care Honor Roll

Opioid Resource Library

Patient Safety Honor Roll

#### Opioid Care Honor Roll

Register for the 2020 Opioid Care Honor Roll Webinar Series!

In 2019, Cal Hospital Compare (CHC) launched the Opioid Care Honor Roll Program to help address the ongoing crisis. According to state data, nearly 2,200 Californians died of an opioid-related overdose in 2017. Patients with opioid use disorder are frequently hospitalized or visit the emergency department due to complications of the condition without also receiving treatment for the underlying disease of opioid addiction. This is a missed opportunity and leaves patients untreated and at high risk of future overdose. In this pilot year of the program, 60 hospitals voluntarily reported their progress on addressing the opioid crisis. While results show that all participating hospitals are making progress, it's

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#### Opioid Resource Library

As part of our work to address California's opioid epidemic and accelerate hospital progress to reduce opioid related deaths we've amassed a collection of practical, evidence-based resources. Many of these resources have been developed by California hospitals and opioid coalitions. In the spirit of peer learning these resources are publicly available here. Embedded within this resource library you will also find tools to actively engage patients, families, and friends in appropriate opioid use. If you have any questions and/or would like to share a resource that has helped your hospital in addressing the opioid crisis please contact Alex Stack, Director at astack@cynosurehealth.org.

#### 1. Foundational resources

Our short list of must-read resources for all hospitals, at any state in their journey, aiming to change the way they provide opioid care in service of reducing opioid use disorder (OUD) related deaths and increasing access to treatment for all.

#### Webinar Series Resources

- a. Access slides, recordings, and other related resources here for the 2019 & 2020 Opioid Care Honor Roll Webinar Series
- Addressing California's Opioid Epidemic Introducing the Opioid Care Honor Roll (May 9, 2019)

#### ▼ Show Resources

 Beyond adopting prescribing guidelines: monitoring and strengthening the prescribing patterns of clinicians (Jun 6, 2019)

#### ▼ Show Resources

 Initiating MAT in the hospital: Unique aspects from the ED and inpatient settings (Jul 10, 2019)

#### ▼ Show Resources

. The nuts and bolts of dispensing naloxone to high-risk patients and their support systems (Aug 27, 2019)

**Source:** Cal Hospital Compare Website > Programs

Let us know what you want to learn more about as part of this webinar series?

# Thank you!

Please give us the gift of feedback and complete the event evaluation

