State Innovations Model

Learning from Each Other: 
The Roles of States in Transforming their Health Systems

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Thank You

• For your commitment to health care reform, innovation and transformation
What is SIM?

• CMS is testing the ability of state governments to utilize policy and regulatory levers to accelerate health transformation to improve health, improve health care delivery and decrease cost.
Expectations

• Governor-led transformation initiative
• Broad-based State Healthcare Innovation Plan
• Multi-payer commitment to value based payment
• Provider engagement in health care transformation
• Plan to reach the preponderance of care
• Leverage federal resources and technical assistance
• Ability to produce quantifiable results
  – ROI
  – Quality, cost and health outcomes
SIM ACTIVITIES

• CMS currently supports 6 Model Test states (implementing statewide transformation; working on innovative approaches to Medicaid payment and service delivery) and 19 Model Design states (planning for transformation)

• Over 70 individuals from CMS and HHS Operating Divisions actively engaged
  – CDC leading population health initiatives
  – ONC supporting HIE/HIT integration
  – HRSA developing workforce development plans
  – SAMHSA working with states on behavioral health initiatives
  – ACL providing feedback on LTSS

• National experts and organizations engaged

• CMS Leadership Group formed with senior leaders from across CMS to guide work and break down barriers
Model Testing States

- Arkansas
- Maine
- Massachusetts
- Minnesota
- Oregon
- Vermont
Model Design/Pretesting States

- California
- Colorado
- Connecticut
- Delaware
- Hawaii
- Idaho
- Illinois
- Iowa
- Maryland
- Michigan
- New Hampshire
- New York
- Ohio
- Pennsylvania
- Rhode Island
- Tennessee
- Texas
- Utah
- Washington
SIM Focus Areas

- Improve Population Health
- Transform Healthcare Delivery
- Expand Value Based Payment Models
Core Lessons

• Vision
  – SIM is part of a broad transformation

• Senior Leadership
  – Cabinet level

• Dedication of resources
  – Challenge to innovate and operate

• Stakeholder engagement
  – Providers, payers, consumers

• Flexibility
Challenges

• Developing and implementing multipayer models
  – Engaging all payers
  – Broad provider participation covering state population
• Dedicating appropriate resources
  – Difficult to innovate and operate
• Plans that will reach meaningful health care delivery system transformation
Plans for 2014

• Efforts to support states in focus areas
• Develop an effective state-to-state learning system to disseminate best practices
• Broadening engagement of existing innovations in the state
• Round 2
Take away messages

• SIM engaged 25 states in transformation efforts in 2013
• States have the ability to develop and execute transformation plans
• Transformation is a heavy lift
• Long journey is just beginning
Thank you

- Questions?