



Newsletter | Volume 4, Issue 2



Highlights

Current Focus

- 1 HAP Medicare Advantage Implementation
- 2 HCC Registry Analytics
- 3 2020 Project Planning

Top Decisions Made

- 1 Affirmant/HAP/ Medicare Advantage contract is signed.
- 2 The Measures Development Subcommittee approved six quality measures and four utilization measures for the 2020 scorecard.
- 3 Chapter strategic action plans reviewed and approved.

Leadership Retreat 2020 | May 21 | East Lansing, MI

Registration is Live!

New this year, we have added an events page to our website dedicated to the Leadership Retreat. Through the events page you can register for the retreat, nominate award recipients and get real-time updates.

LOOK AT WHAT'S NEW AT AFFIRMANT.COM!

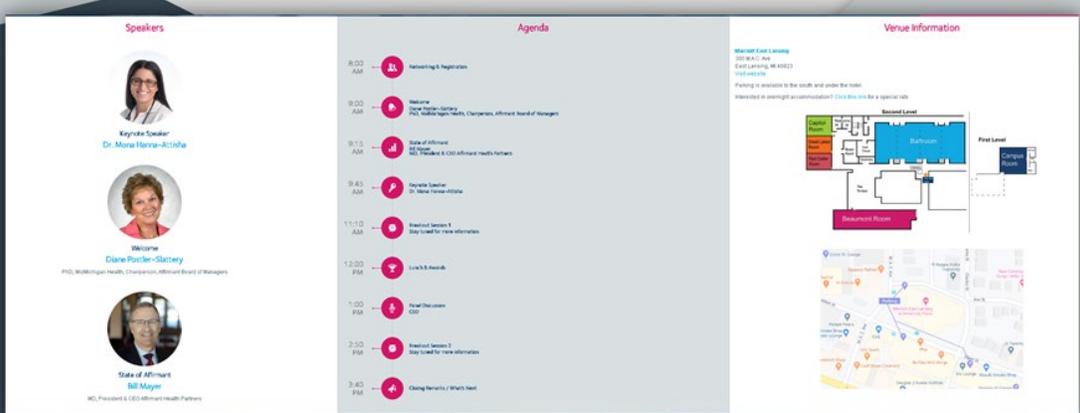
Leadership Retreat
20/20 Vision
May 21 | East Lansing, MI

REGISTER NOW | EVENT DETAILS | AWARD NOMINATIONS

WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH OUR NEW EVENTS PAGE...

- Register for the Leadership Retreat
- Submit award nominations
- Find Real time updates
- View previous updates for this year's retreat and photo galleries from past Leadership Retreats

Registration is now open and will close on April 3. If you have not already registered or received an email directing you to our registration page, go to our website to register today!



The screenshot displays three main sections of an event website:

- Speakers:** Features three speakers with their photos and titles: Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha (Keynote Speaker), Diane Ponder-Slater (Welcome), and Bill Meyer (State of Affirmant).
- Agenda:** Lists a series of events from 8:00 AM to 3:45 PM, including networking, welcome remarks, keynote, state of affirmant, luncheon, and practical sessions.
- Venue Information:** Provides details for the Marriott East Lansing, including the address (200 W.A.C. Ave., East Lansing, MI 48823) and a floor plan diagram showing the Ballroom, Reception Room, and other areas.

WHAT'S NEW FOR MARCH?
Tentative agenda
Travel, hotel and venue information
Keynote speaker lineup
Presenter biographies and presentation summaries

affirmant.com/events - register today!

Recognize outstanding work



With the annual leadership rewards presented at the Leadership Retreat, we want to recognize team members who demonstrate our core values and bring us closer to our vision. Recipients will be narrowed down to five, one for each of our core values. 2019 was another big year for Affirmant and our member Chapters; please celebrate a teammate today!

Recognize a team member today!

Keynote Speaker Announced!

We are very pleased to announce Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha as the keynote speaker at the 2020 Leadership Retreat.



"Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha is the crusading pediatrician who first researched and revealed the lead in the blood of Flint, Michigan's children. Named one of *Time* magazine's "100 Most Influential People in the World," she continues to work to mitigate the impact of the water crisis on Flint's children. In her powerful book, *What the Eyes Don't See*, and her personal and inspiring speeches, she motivates audiences to speak out against injustice."

For more information on Dr. Mona Hanna-Attisha, please click here to visit www.prhspeakers.com

Affirmant and HAP Medicare Advantage contract executed



On January 21, 2020, Affirmant and HAP executed our Board-approved Medicare Advantage (MA) contract, effective January 1, 2020. The Affirmant HAP MA Agreement includes Covenant, MidMichigan and Sparrow for 2020, and provides for Bronson and Lakeland to be included in 2021, following HAP MA licensure in their markets. Affirmant is preparing more information on this agreement for members to share with physicians.

Affirmant's Federation ACO Quality Reporting Primary Extractions

Primary ACO quality reporting extractions has reached 99.19% completion rate for the Federation ACO. We are well ahead of schedule.



Primaris ACO Extractions

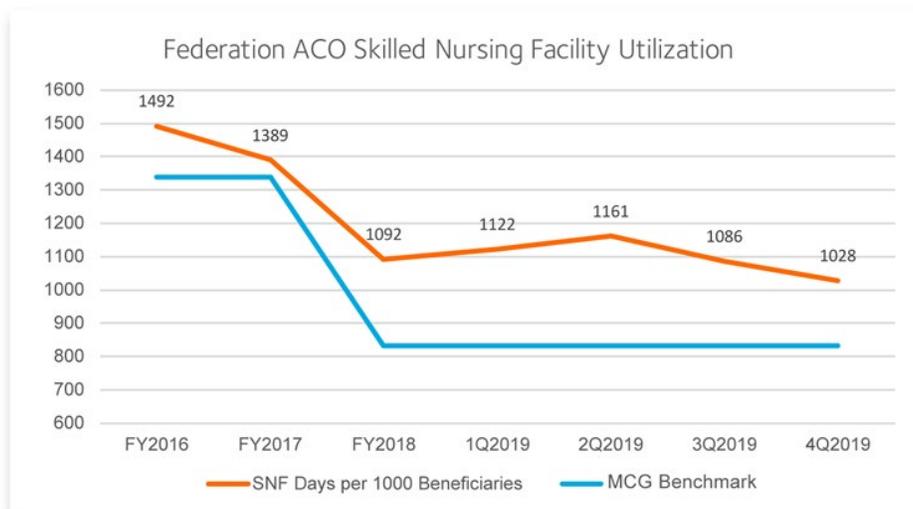
Completion Rate	99.19%
Extractions left to date	25
Days ahead of schedule	12

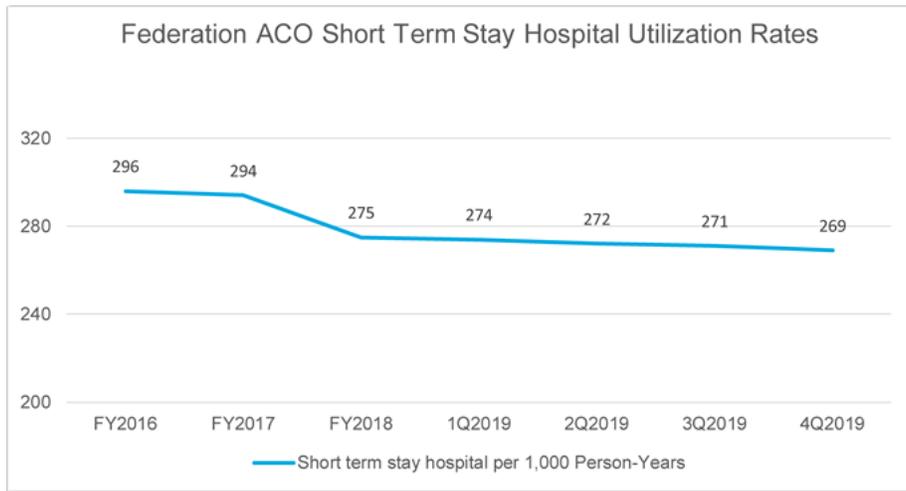
*As of March 2, 2020

MSSP Fourth Quarter results are in!

How did the Federation ACO do?

The Federation ACO has three years of data from the agreement period beginning January 1, 2016 through the fourth quarter of performance year 2019. We've made significant progress in the areas of Skilled Nursing Facility Utilization (down 31%) and Short Term Stay Hospitalization Rates (down 9.1%).





Affirmant is Hiring!

Wanted: Clinical Analyst and Clinical Transformation Consultant!

Do you know someone who may be perfect for these roles?

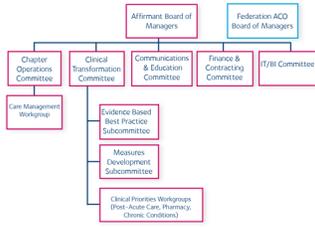


We are looking for a Clinical Analyst for the Information Technology Business Intelligence team and a Clinical Transformation Consultant for the clinical transformation team. Both roles are posted on Bronson's Careers site. If you know someone who may be interested in this opportunity, please share our job posting.

[Bronson Workday | Clinical Analyst](#)

[Bronson Workday | Clinical Transformation Consultant](#)

Committee Structure and Updates



Our Organization is physician-led and professionally managed. The Board of Managers consists of two representatives from each member system and a few advisors.

[Read More: Committee Structure and Updates](#)

2019 Value Report coming soon!



Affirmant is excited to announce the 2019 Value Report will be available soon! Keep an eye open for updates in the next newsletter.

Construction update

We are expanding

In the January newsletter, we announced construction beginning at the Affirmant Headquarters.

Construction is expected to be completed by the end of March.

Our address will remain the same but we will be expanding to the office space directly next door of our current location. Meetings will occur as scheduled but please know that you may hear noise in the background.



Connect with us on Social Media



Affirmant is on [LinkedIn](#), [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#) to connect with current and potential stakeholders. This is also a great way for us to highlight the important work our member systems are doing as well. If you are active on any of these platforms, please find us and comment or tweet at us @Affirmant.



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Thank you for being a valued member of Affirmant!