



Northeast/New England Regional Meeting Location: Virtual Date: August 22, 2025		
Time	Content	Speaker(s)
9:45 am - 10:00 am	Event Login	
10:00 am - 10:15 am	Welcome and Introduction	Emily Brower, CEO, NAACOS
10:15 am - 11:00 am	Policy Implications topic: Advocacy and Impact of National Legislation on Local Regions One Big Beautiful Bill (OB BB), physician and hospital payment updates, and new CMMI models have been making headlines across healthcare media. But what do these changes actually mean for your patients, clinicians, and communities? This session will provide an overview of the current legislative and regulatory landscape, followed by a discussion of how providers are preparing for these upcoming shifts.	Rob Daley, Senior Director, Legislative Affairs, NAACOS
11:00 am – 11:10 am	Break	
11:10 am - 12:15 pm	Medicaid: Overview and Strategic use state 1115 Waivers Utilizing a Payer-provider partnership approach to enable successful engagement and implementation of the PC Sub-capitation program.	Limor Nevel, Senior Director ACO Partnerships & Chief of Staff, BMC WellSense, Christine Ouellette, Director of Government Payer Programs, Beth Israel Lahey Health

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12:15 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch – Free time	
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<p>Enhancing Transitions of Care through Clinical Integration via SNF oversight and Optimization for Improved CKD Outcomes.</p> <p>This session will provide examples from UMass Memorial on their combined efforts via the Post Acute Network and Care Navigation Teams, the Population Health Data Management team and the Performance and Impact Analysis team, a new streamlined workflow and tool was developed to improve engagement with the SNFs and to better manage our ACO patients at SNF including monitoring length of stay, assessing delays and successes in transitions of care to home or into long-term care.</p> <p>Brown Physicians, Inc. will explain how they leveraged their analytics platform to develop a tool and workflows that enhance care coordination for their CKD population. Their tool enables the care team to efficiently identify patients at risk of kidney failure early, allowing for proactive care management, timely education and shared decision making on kidney replacement therapy.</p>	<p>Cali Miller, MPH, Manager, Post-Acute Networks, Office of Clinical Integration UMass Memorial</p> <p>Tien Keeley, MS, Data Scientist, Performance and Impact Analysis, Office of Clinical Integration, UMass Memorial</p> <p>Kelley Sanzen, PharmD, PAHM, CDOE, Director of Quality Programs, Division of Kidney Disease & Hypertension, Brown Physicians, Inc.</p> <p>Brad Crough, MBA, Senior Director of Analytics, Brown Physicians, Inc.</p>
2:15 pm- 2:35 pm	<p>WellSky presentation</p> <p>Join WellSky for a dynamic session exploring how Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs) can drive better outcomes and reduce rehospitalizations through smarter, connected care. This presentation will showcase WellSky’s expansive network—serving over 54 million referrals annually—and demonstrate how your organization access case management and influence discharge planning workflows to proactively manage patients across the continuum.</p> <p>The session will include a live demo, interactive polling, and practical strategies for leveraging WellSky’s next-</p>	<p>Tommy Gotreaux RN, BSN, MBA, Director, Clinical and Solution Architecture, WellSky</p>

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	generation solutions to enhance care coordination and operational efficiency.	
2:35 pm – 2:45 pm	Break	
2:45pm – 3:45 pm	EMR Shared Lessons and Tool Development – Includes Breakout Sessions This presentation explores the integral role of Electronic Medical Records (EMRs) in value-based care, examining their function across various Accountable Care Organization (ACO) structures. The session concludes with breakout discussions focused on identifying successful EMR tools and strategies in different ACO structures.	Jennifer Rabiner, Chief Product Officer, Pearl Health
3:45 pm – 3:55 pm	Break	
3:55 pm – 4:45 pm	Leveraging AI to Enhance Care Coordination and Predictive Analytics AI is marching into the clinical world. What does it mean for your ACO? Find out how to build lightweight benchmarks that help you understand whether AI is ready for your specific workflows	Matt Solnit, Chief Technology Officer, Pearl Health
4:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing Remarks	Melody Danko- Holsomback, Vice President of Education, NAACOS