

MAKING CHOICES MICHIGAN

Discuss. Decide. Document.

Health Empowerment through Advance Care Planning

Helping Individuals Discuss, Decide, and Document
their Preferences for Healthcare to Increase Patient-
Centered Care and Optimize Healthcare Costs

DID YOU KNOW?

90%

of people say that
talking with their
loved ones about
their preferences
for healthcare is
important.

27%

have actually
had the
conversation

Advance Care Planning Timeline

AWARENESS

LEARN ABOUT ADVANCE
CARE PLANNING VIA
PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS,
EMPLOYER EDUCATION,
AND THROUGH
HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

DISCUSS

DISCUSS
PREFERENCES FOR
FUTURE HEALTHCARE,
INCLUDING END OF LIFE,
WITH A CERTIFIED
FACILITATOR

DECIDE

DECIDE PREFERENCES
AND DESIGNATE A
PATIENT ADVOCATE TO
SPEAK FOR YOU SHOULD
YOU LOSE THE ABILITY
TO SPEAK FOR YOURSELF

DOCUMENT

DOCUMENT PREFERENCES
AND PATIENT ADVOCATE
IN AN ADVANCE DIRECTIVE.
REGISTER DOCUMENT VIA
GREAT LAKES HEALTH
CONNECT

THE IMPACT OF ADVANCE CARE PLANNING

Community

- Peace of Mind
- People Live and End Well Within Context of Faith and Values
- Unwanted and Unnecessary Procedures are Reduced
- Family Disputes are Minimized

Healthcare Providers

- Better Patient Service & Satisfaction by Honoring Wishes
- Optimize Healthcare Costs in Value-Based Payment Models
- Reduction in Ethics Interventions

Employers

- Enhanced Well-Being of Workforce
- Optimize Healthcare Costs for Self-Insured Employers
- Only Required and Desired Services are Delivered

Healthcare Payers

- Better Member Service & Satisfaction by Honoring Wishes
- Optimize Healthcare Costs for Payers
- Only Required and Desired Services are Delivered

OUR IMPACT

30

Partner Sites in
Michigan

6,000

Residents and
Healthcare
professionals
educated

33,000

Advance Directives
Registered in
Great Lakes
Health Connect