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Robust Primary Care is a Must

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PCC Process for Developing Report

- Advising Workgroup
- Expert Opinion
- Literature
### The Strategies

1. **Report and increase the share of Medicaid spending going to primary care**
2. **Increase payment to primary care clinicians**
3. **Support behavioral health and primary care integration**
4. **Pursue population-based payment models**
5. **Stratify data and incorporate health equity quality incentives into payment models**
6. **Increase federal funding for community health centers and create new access points**
7. **Pay for community health workers**
8. **Encourage Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) attributes, including care coordination**
Some strategies have strong evidence of success; others show promise, but need time to demonstrate impact.

What’s needed is not “silver bullet” innovation, but vocal and focused support for an agreed upon set of policies.

Requires sustained, sufficient investment and ways to track progress overtime within an accountability framework.

Commitment to alignment across payers to enhance effectiveness, meet equity goals.

*Plus*, intentionality: equitable outcomes must be actively prioritized and accounted for across all strategies.
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