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PROJECT ACCELERATE ACCELERATE GROWTH TO DO MORE AND BE MORE FOR KENTUCKY

Work Group 3: More Partnerships



Agenda

- Work Group Overview
- Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS) Partnership
- Academic Medical Center (AMC) Partnership Research and St. Claire Partnership
- Barriers to Housing: Update and Next Steps
- OneUK Launch



WORK GROUP OVERVIEW



OVERVIEW OF CHAIRMAN'S RECOMMENDATION I

ACCELERATE GROWTH TO DO MORE AND BE MORE FOR KENTUCKY







OUR CHARGE

Expanding the university's impact through partnerships, acquisitions, new initiatives with schools, governments, non-profits, industry and corporations that enhance UK's ability to meet the state's needs through its mission of education, research, service and care.



WORK GROUP DELIVERABLES AND MILESTONES

Focus on developing deeper relationships with partners to drive impact

DELIVERABLES

I. UK HealthCare **Partnership Strategy**

II. Increase Health Care **Workforce Pipeline**

III. Addressing Local

Outline status of current **UK HealthCare** acquisitions and partnerships and enumerate strategic imperatives for future such acquisitions and partnerships

Assess potential for partnerships with local universities/community colleges to create larger pipeline and expansion of student population in key areas to help meet health care workforce needs

Work with public/private sector partners to assess how university can collaborate in addressing local challenges to growth (e.g., employment, housing, childcare)

Challenges

IV. Urban to Rural **Partnerships**

Identify potential urban, suburban and rural partnership opportunities that will leverage relationships with public and private sectors to advance Kentucky's workforce needs



KCTCS UPDATE



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING SIGNED WITH KCTCS ON JUNE 10, 2024





AMC PARTNERSHIP RESEARCH AND ST. CLAIRE PARTNERSHIP



HEALTH CARE BENCHMARKS: MEASURING THE BENEFITS OF PARTNERING WITH UNIVERSITIES WITH ACADEMIC HEALTH SYSTEMS



1. Publicly available metrics from the following sources: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Hospital Compare, Healthgrades, US News & World Reports, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Council of Teaching Hospitals.

Kentucky.

RESEARCH APPROACH

We used publicly available data, interviews and other reports to identify the pre-partnership baseline for each of the following metrics and measure against the post-partnership results.



Publicly available data for key health and economic metrics

Example Data Sources





Qualitative Analysis



Interviews, Community Benefit Report, NRC Reports and Press Releases to supplement key metrics



DATA COLLECTION SUMMARY

We found nine relevant clinical and economic measures that were analyzed for initial benchmarking and can be updated annually as additional historical data is published.

Initial Benchmarking Group		Benchmarks	Future Benchmarking (Baseline Captured)	
WVAHealth NENOVANT HEALTH 2016	King's Daughters 2022	Screening for Metabolic Disorders (SMD)	MUSC Health Medical University of South Carolina	USC Arcadia Hospital Keck Medicine of USC
		Breast Cancer Screening Recall Rates	2021	2022
		Health Care Workers – Flu Vaccination		
		Readmission Rate After Discharge	UC San Diego Health	
		Hospital Star Rating		
ST. JOSEPH MERCY CHELSEA 2018	URC HEALTH Blue Ridge 2021	Average ED Visit Time	WVU Medicine Thomas Health	Health Care CAPITAL REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
		Cardiac Imaging Stress Tests	2023	2024
		Annual Average Employment	Keck School of Medicine of USC	
		Annual Average Pay	To Be Announced	



EXTERNAL INTERVIEW FEEDBACK

into community hospital

Interviews were conducted with external stakeholders with questions focused on the value of community partnerships, based on their experience with partnerships between University Health Systems and Community Hospitals.





ANTICIPATED BENEFITS OF ST. CLAIRE HEALTHCARE ACQUISITION



CLINICAL QUALITY

Capital Investment

UK has committed to invest \$300M into a new master facility plan and other technology systems to improve care delivery and outcomes.



LOCAL WORKFORCE

New and Expanded Health Education

UK and St. Claire will be expanding existing and launching new health education programs in Morehead.

ACCESS TO CARE

Clinical Service Line Growth

UK has committed to maintaining key existing service lines and will collaborate with St. Claire to expand and introduce new services.



BARRIERS TO HOUSING: UPDATE AND NEXT STEPS



BARRIERS TO HOUSING: HOUSING ENGAGEMENT & RESEARCH INITIATIVE



Housing Engagement & Research Initiative

- Convening regional stakeholders to better understand the housing needs for the entire region
- Conducting empirical research on housing affordability, housing market dynamics, demographic trends, and neighborhood development
- Organizing workshops, forums and public lectures to facilitate dialogue and knowledge on housing related topics



OneUK LAUNCH



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UK Launches OneUK

On January 17, 2024, OneUK was launched to deepen relationships with strategic industry partners.



Key Objectives

- Conduct research that benefits our partners
- Receive early notification and exclusive access to new industryuniversity shared spaces, labs and events
- Maximize talent pipelines for UK students and alumni with OneUK partners
- Boost investments in student projects and collaborative research from
 OneUK partners
- Enhance internal communication, coordination and collaboration among multiple colleges and units working with OneUK partners

Key Progress:

- Conducted OneUK rollout meeting with every college
- Received OneUK college liaison(s) assignments from nearly every college
- Held two OneUK College Liaison training sessions (in-person May 22 and May 28)
- Actively working to recruit OneUK Cohort 2 with the goal of announcing new OneUK partners by Fall 2024
- Continuing to work with Cohort 1 on executing prioritized engagement projects



QUESTIONS

