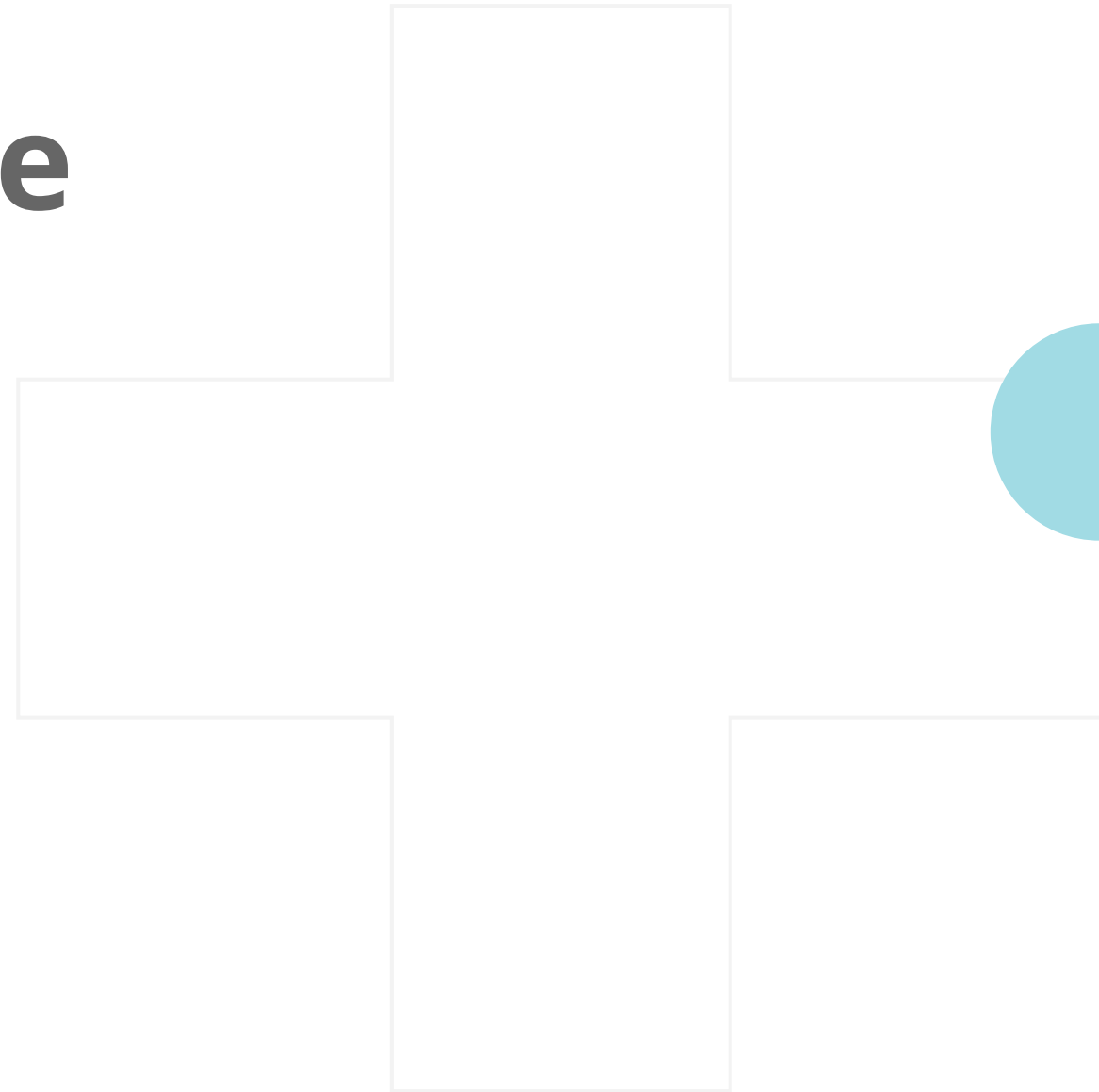




# Value-Based Care Environment

The opportunity for Lab 2.0

David Nace, MD | Chief Medical Officer



# Agenda

## Health

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## NOW...Scientific Evidence on Effects of Smoking!

A MEDICAL SPECIALIST is making regular bi-monthly examinations of a group of people from various walks of life. 45 percent of this group have smoked Chesterfield for an average of over ten years.

After ten months, the medical specialist reports that he observed...

*no adverse effects on the nose, throat and sinuses of the group from smoking Chesterfield.*

**MUCH Milder**  
**CHESTERFIELD**  
**IS BEST FOR YOU**



He's one of the busiest men in town. While his door may say *Office Hours 2 to 4*, he's actually on call 24 hours a day.

The doctor is a scientist, a diplomat, and a friendly sympathetic human being all in one, no matter how long and hard his schedule.

*According to a recent Nationwide survey:*

## MORE DOCTORS SMOKE CAMELS THAN ANY OTHER CIGARETTE

DOCTORS in every branch of medicine—113,997 in all—were queried in this nationwide study of cigarette preferences. Three leading research organizations made the survey. The gist of the query was—What cigarette do you smoke, Doctor?

The brand named most was Camel! The rich, full flavor and cool mildness of Camel's superb blend of choice tobaccos seem to have the same appeal to the smoking tastes of doctors as to millions of other smokers. If you are a Camel smoker, this preference among doctors will hardly surprise you. If you're not—well, try Camels now.



Your "T-Zone" Will Tell You...

**T for Taste . . .**  
**T for Throat . . .**

that's your proving ground for any cigarette. See if Camels don't suit your "T-Zone" to a "T."



**CAMELS** *Castler Tobaccos*

# Change is Slow - The Health Consequences of Smoking

**BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL**  
LONDON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 30 1950

**SMOKING AND CARCINOMA OF THE LUNG**  
PRELIMINARY REPORT  
BY  
**RICHARD DOLL, M.D., M.R.C.P.**  
*Member of the Statistical Research Unit of the Medical Research Council*  
AND  
**A. BRADFORD HILL, Ph.D., D.Sc.**  
*Professor of Medical Statistics, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine; Honorary Director of the Statistical Research Unit of the Medical Research Council*

In England and Wales the phenomenal increase in the number of deaths attributed to cancer of the lung provides one of the most striking changes in the pattern of mortality recorded by the Registrar-General. For example, in the quarter of a century between 1922 and 1947 the annual number of deaths recorded increased from 612 to 9,287, or roughly fifteenfold. This remarkable increase is, of course, out of all proportion to the increase of population—both in total and, particularly, in its older age groups. Stocks (1947), using standardized death rates to allow for these population changes, shows the following trend: rate per 100,000 in 1901-20, males 1.1, females 0.7; rate per 100,000 in 1936-9, males 10.6, females 2.5. The rise seems to have been particularly rapid since the end of the first world war: between 1921-30 and 1940-4 the death rate of men at ages 45 and over increased sixfold and of women of the same ages approximately threefold. This increase is still continuing. It has occurred, too, in Switzerland, Denmark, the U.S.A., Canada, and Australia, and has been reported from Turkey and Japan.

Many writers have studied these changes, considering whether they denote a real increase in the incidence of the disease or are due merely to improved standards of diagnosis. Some believe that the latter factor can be regarded as wholly, or at least mainly, responsible—for example, Willis (1948), Clemmesen and Busk (1947), and Steiner (1944). On the other hand, Kennaway and Kennaway (1947) and Stocks (1947) have given good reasons for believing that the rise is at least partly real. The latter, for instance, has pointed out that "the increase of certified respiratory cancer mortality during the past 20 years has been as rapid in country districts as in the cities with the best diagnostic facilities, a fact which does not support the view that such increase merely reflects improved diagnosis of cases previously certified as bronchitis or other respiratory affections." He also draws attention to differences in mortality between some of the large cities of England and Wales, differences which it is difficult to explain in terms of diagnostic standards.

The large and continued increase in the recorded deaths even within the last five years, both in the national figures and in those from teaching hospitals, also makes it hard to believe that improved diagnosis is entirely responsible. In short, there is sufficient reason to reject that factor as the whole explanation, although no one would deny that it may well have been contributory. As a corollary, it is right and proper to seek for other causes.

**Possible Causes of the Increase**

Two main causes have from time to time been put forward: (1) a general atmospheric pollution from the exhaust fumes of cars, from the surface dust of tarred roads, and from gas-works, industrial plants, and coal fires; and (2) the smoking of tobacco. Some characteristics of the former have certainly become more prevalent in the last 50 years, and there is also no doubt that the smoking of cigarettes has greatly increased. Such associated changes in time can, however, be no more than suggestive, and until recently there has been singularly little more direct evidence. That evidence, based upon clinical experience and records, relates mainly to the use of tobacco. For instance, in Germany, Müller (1939) found that only 3 out of 86 male patients with cancer of the lung were non-smokers, while 56 were heavy smokers, and, in contrast, among 86 "healthy men of the same age groups" there were 14 non-smokers and only 31 heavy smokers. Similarly, in America, Schrek and his co-workers (1950) reported that 14.6% of 82 male patients with cancer of the lung were non-smokers, against 23.9% of 522 male patients admitted with cancer of sites other than the upper respiratory and digestive tracts. In this country, Thelwall Jones (1949—personal communication) found 8 non-smokers in 82 patients with proved carcinoma of the lung, compared with 11 in a corresponding group of patients with diseases other than cancer; this difference is slight, but it is more striking that there were 28 heavy smokers in the cancer group, against 14 in the comparative group.

Clearly none of these small-scale inquiries can be accepted as conclusive, but they all point in the same direction. Their evidence has now been borne out by the results of a large-scale inquiry undertaken in the U.S.A. by Wynder and Graham (1950).

Wynder and Graham found that of 605 men with epidermoid, undifferentiated, or histologically unclassified types of bronchial carcinoma only 1.3% were "non-smokers"—that is, had averaged less than one cigarette a day for the last 20 years—whereas 51.2% of them had smoked more than 20 cigarettes a day over the same

4682


1950

**SMOKING and HEALTH**  
REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
TO THE SURGEON GENERAL  
OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE  
Public Health Service

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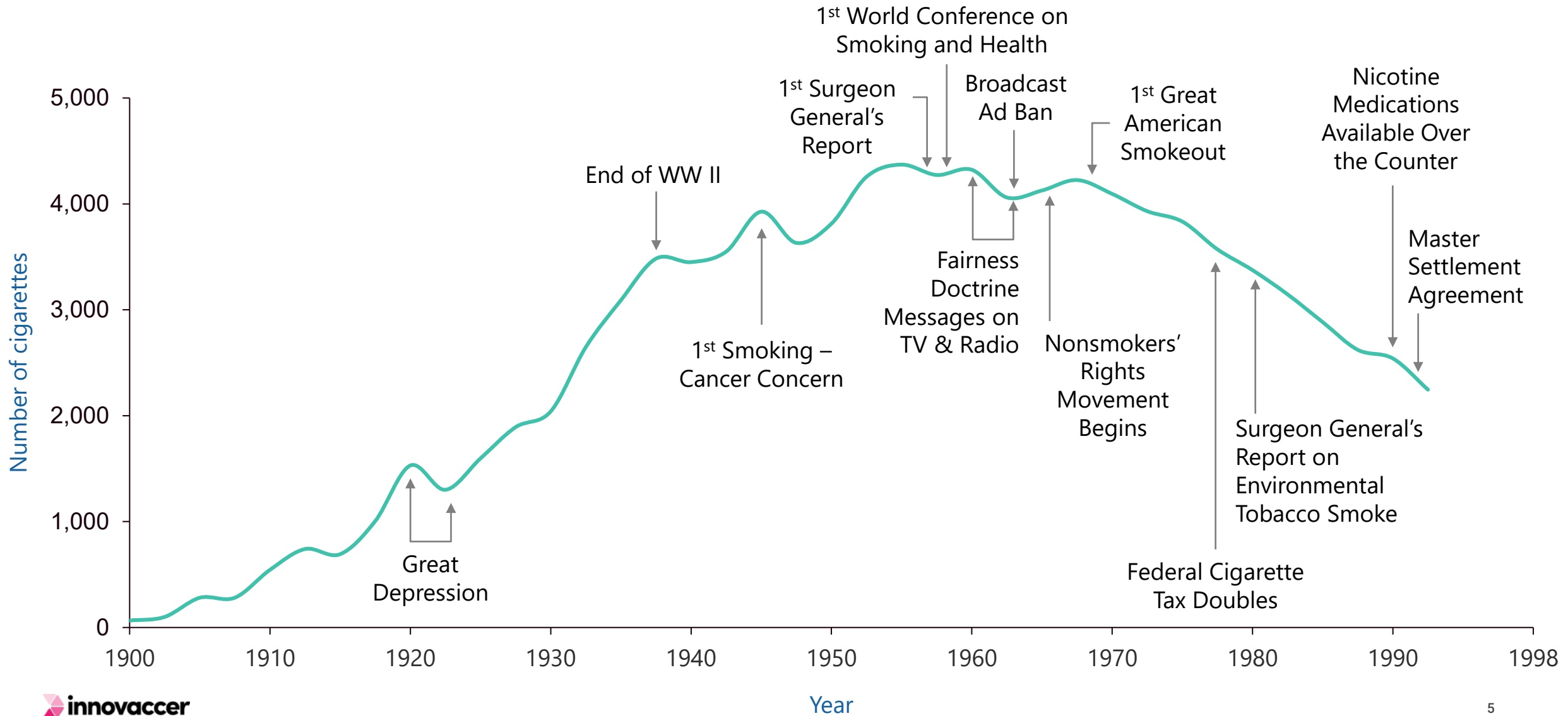
**The Health Consequences  
of Smoking—50 Years of Progress**  
A Report of the Surgeon General



U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

2014

# Cigarette Consumption per Capita



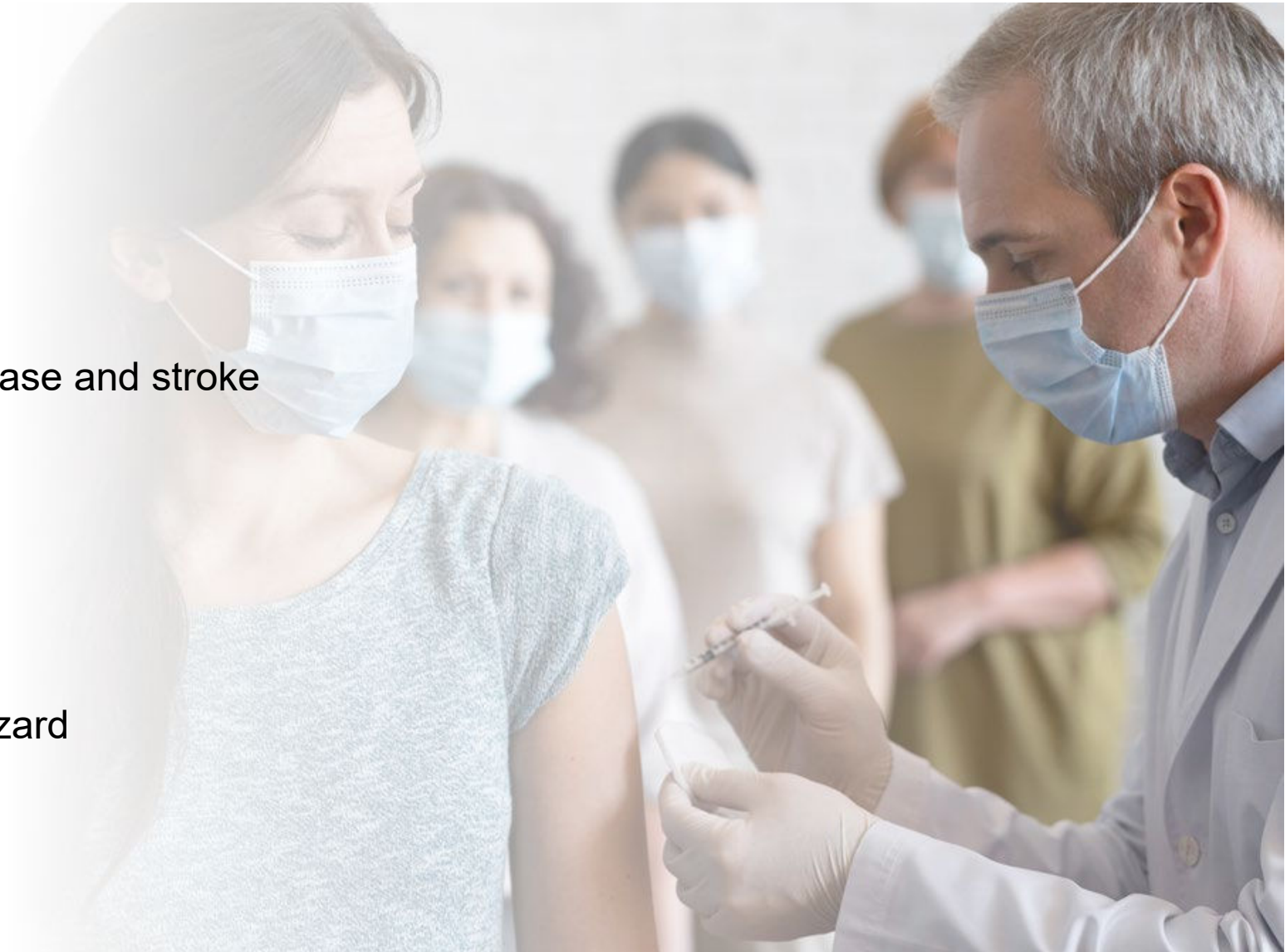
# Clinical Needs Have Changed Over Time

Year	Life Expectancy	Death Rate (per 100,000)	Leading Causes of Death	Clinical Need
1900	47	1,719	Pneumonia Influenza Tuberculosis Diarrhea GI disease	Acute
1950	68	963	Heart Disease Cancer Cerebrovascular	Acute Chronic
2000	77	865	Heart Disease* Cancer* Cerebrovascular	<b>Chronic</b> Acute Prevention
2024	?	?	?	<b>Prevention</b> Chronic Acute

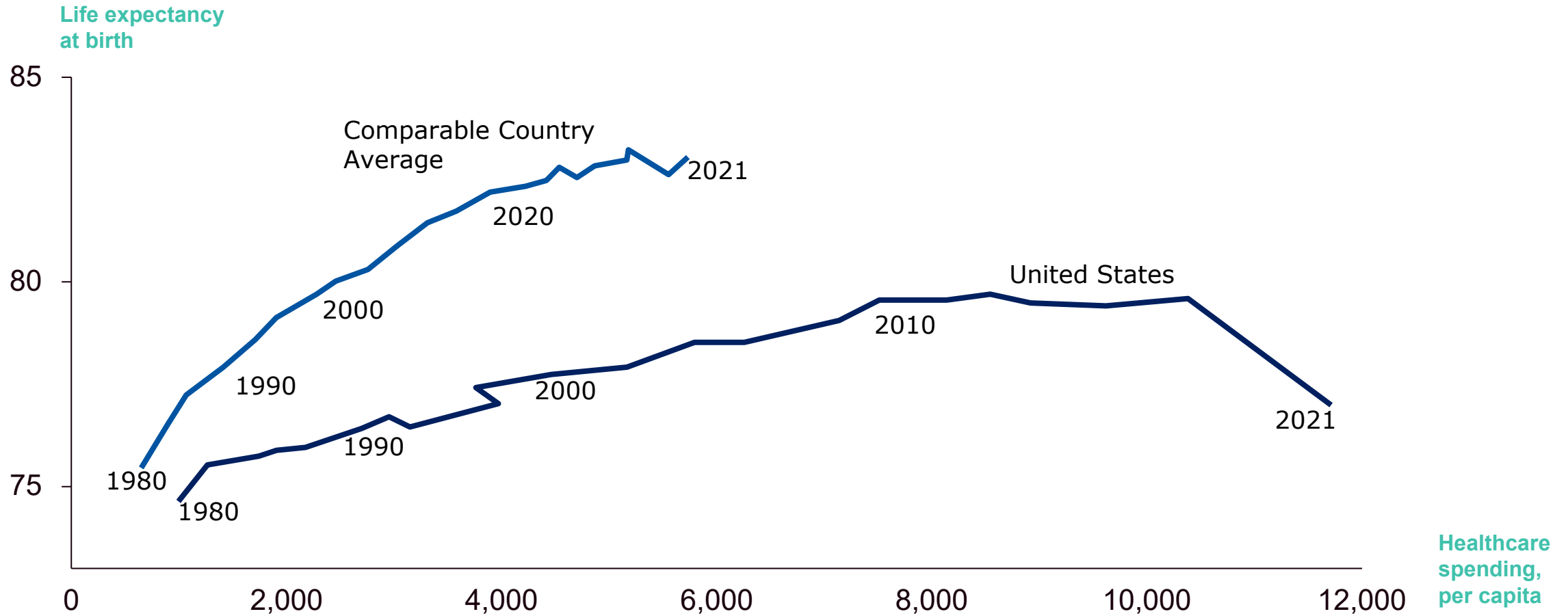
# Improvements In Disease & Illness Have Come From Public Health

## Vaccination

- Motor-vehicle safety
- Safer workplaces
- Control of infectious diseases
- Decline in deaths from coronary heart disease and stroke
- Safer and healthier foods
- Healthier mothers and babies
- Family planning
- Fluoridation of drinking water
- Recognition of tobacco use as a health hazard



# Outcomes Are Concerning And Trending Negative



Source: KFF analysis of CDS, OECD, Japanese Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare, Australian Bureau of Statistics, and UK Office for Health Improvement and Disparities data

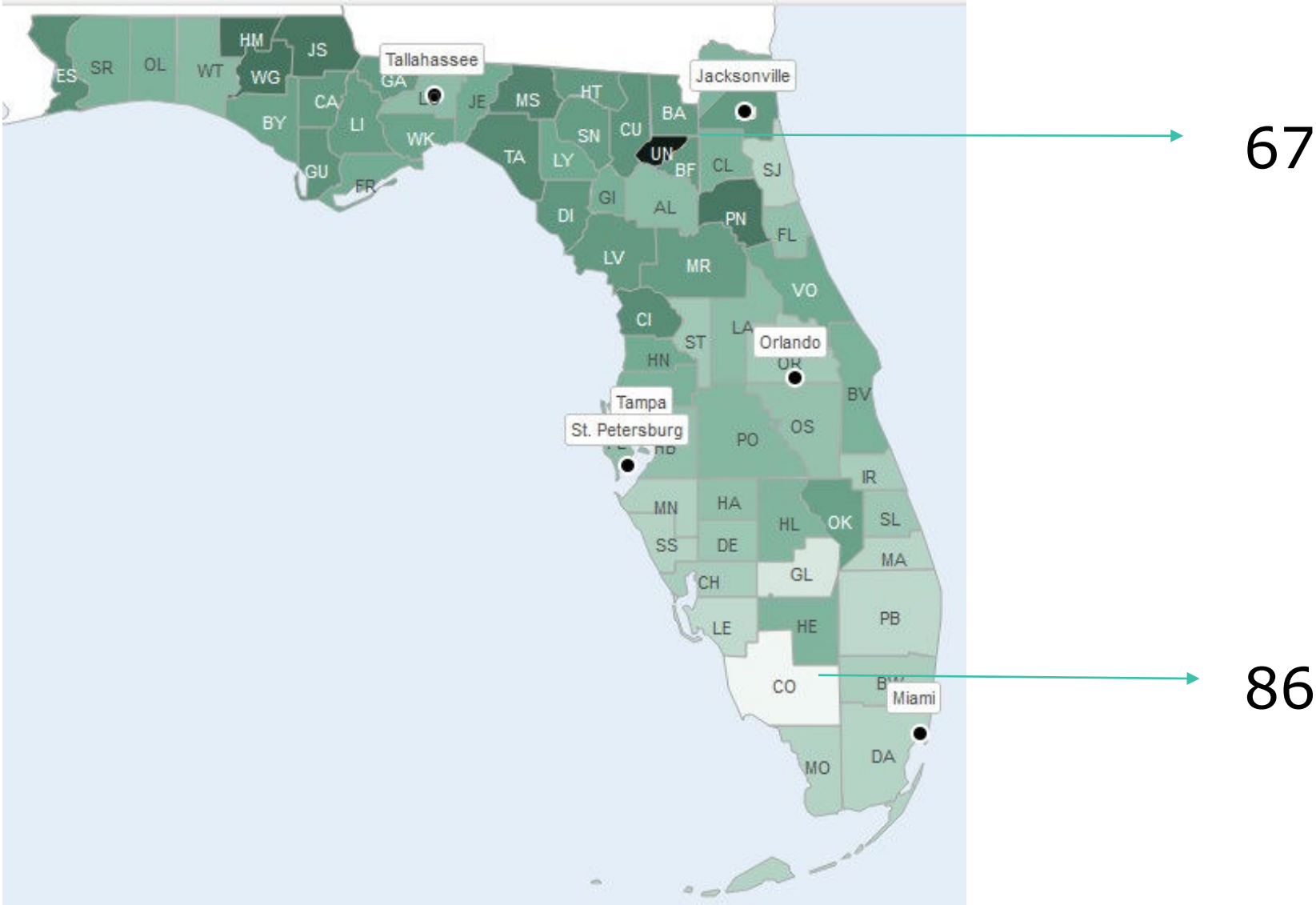


# Improving Health Requires Addressing The Real Issues



# Location Matters

Zip Code – the #1 Predictor of Health Outcomes



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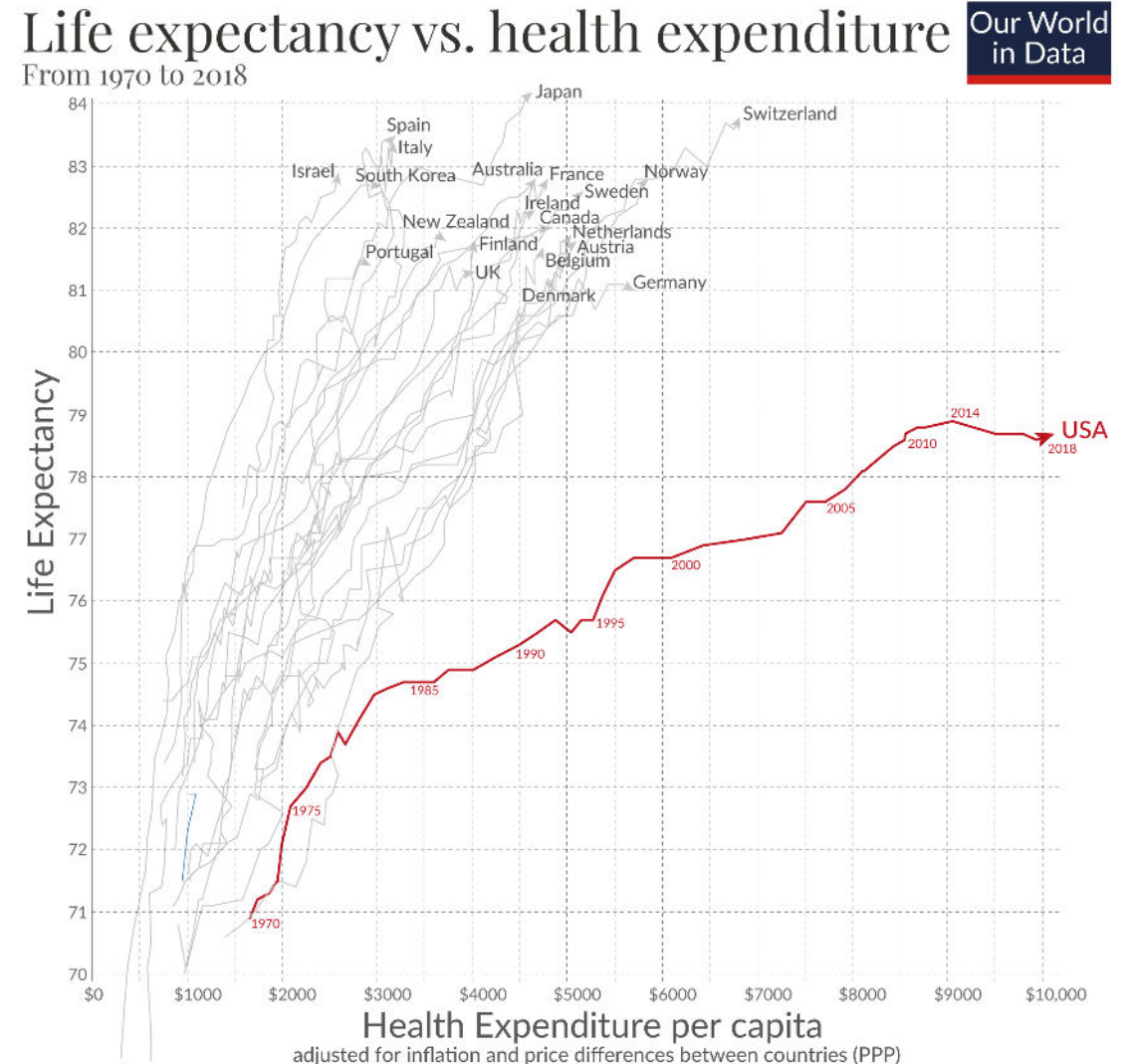
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Smart Governance



# We Have A Systemic Problem

- **The U.S. spends nearly twice as much as the average OECD country — yet has the lowest life expectancy**
- **U.S. has the highest chronic disease burden** and an obesity rate that is two times higher than the OECD average
- Americans have fewer primary care visits than peers in most countries, and use more expensive technologies, such as MRIs, and specialized procedures
- **The U.S. has among the highest number of hospitalizations from preventable causes and the highest rate of avoidable deaths**



# Much of our Healthcare Costs are “Waste”

**Table 2. Cost Estimates by Waste Domain**

Domain	Costs, \$US Billion	
	Annual Estimates	Total Range
<b>Failure of Care Delivery</b>		
Hospital-acquired conditions and adverse events <sup>18-22</sup>	5.7-46.6	<b>102.4-165.7</b>
Clinician-related inefficiency (variability in care, inefficient use of high-cost physicians) <sup>27,28</sup>	8.0	
Lack of adoption of preventive care practices (obesity, vaccines, diabetes, hypertension) <sup>23-26</sup>	88.6-111.1	
<b>Failure of Care Coordination</b>		
Unnecessary admissions and avoidable complications <sup>19,29</sup>	5.9-56.3	<b>27.2-78.2</b>
Readmissions <sup>30,31</sup>	21.25-21.93	
<b>Overtreatment or Low-Value Care</b>		
Low-value medication use <sup>12,32-35</sup>	14.4-29.1	<b>75.7-101.2</b>
Low-value screening, testing, or procedures <sup>14,36,37</sup>	17.2-27.9	
Overuse of end-of-life care <sup>38</sup>	44.1	
<b>Pricing Failure</b>		
Medication pricing failure <sup>8</sup>	169.7	<b>230.7-240.5</b>
Payer-based health services pricing failure <sup>39,40</sup>	31.4-41.2	
Laboratory and ambulatory pricing <sup>41</sup>	29.7	
<b>Fraud and Abuse</b>		
Fraud and abuse in Medicare <sup>42-44</sup>	58.5-83.9	<b>58.5-83.9</b>
<b>Administrative Complexity</b>		
Billing and coding waste <sup>45</sup>	248	<b>265.6</b>
Physician time spent reporting on quality measures <sup>10</sup>	17.6	
<b>Total</b>		<b>760-935</b>



From: Waste in the US Health Care System: Estimated Costs and Potential for Savings

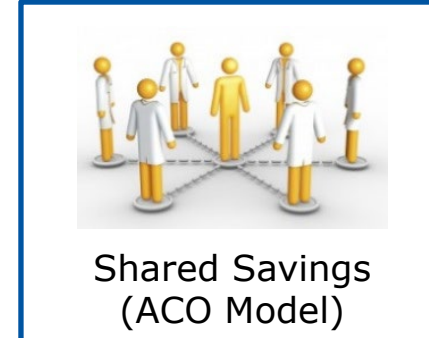
# Payments are Slowly Encouraging the Business Model to Shift

## Volume of Services Provided



↑ Quality  
 ↑ Patient Experience  
 ↓ Cost  
 Pay for Performance

## Value Based Payments

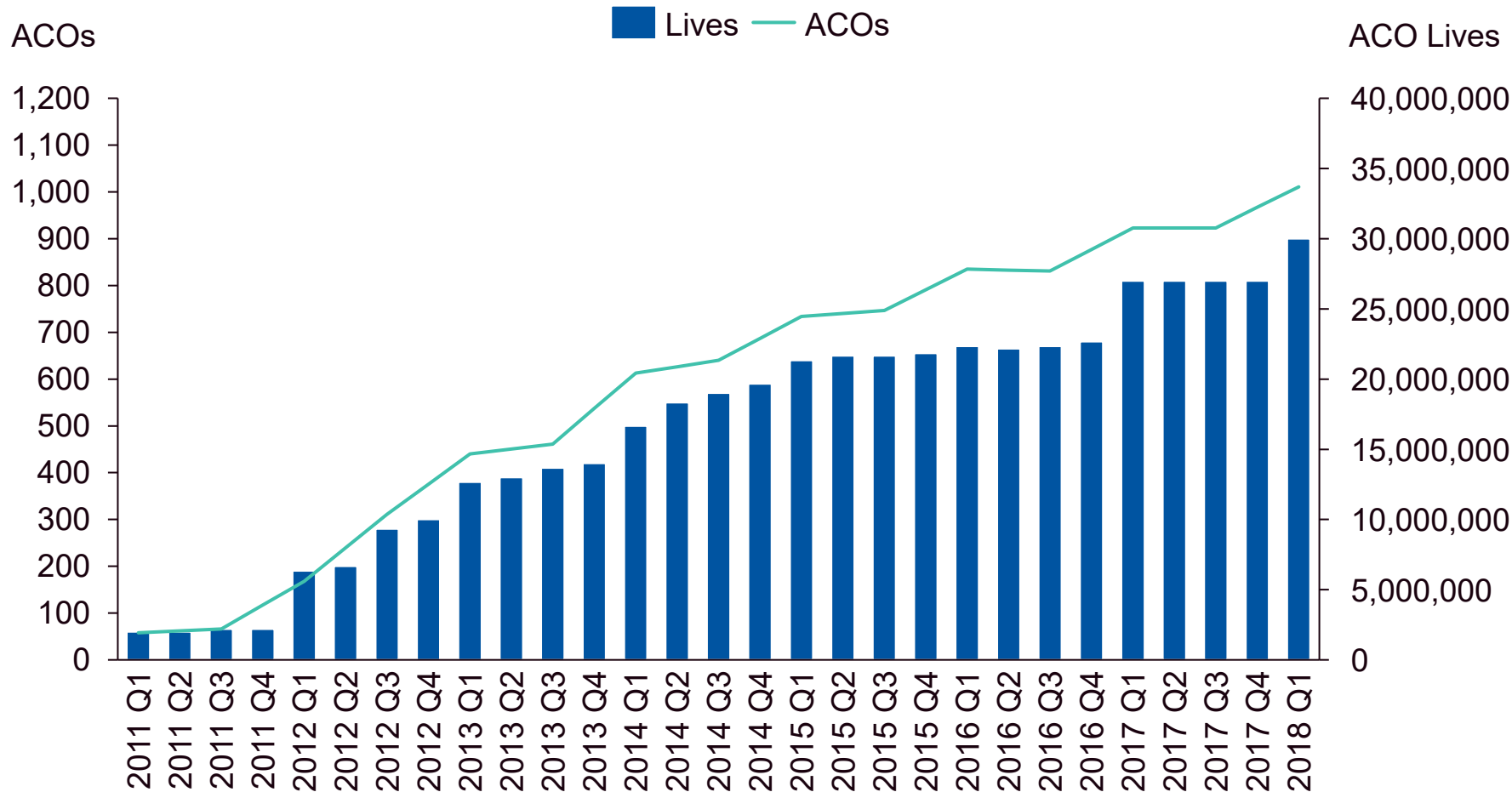


	FFS	Link to quality & Value	APMS built on fee-for-service architecture	Population-based payment
CY 2017	41%	25%	30%	4%
CY 2022	39%	19%	32%	10%

# ACO Contracts And Lives Covered Over Time

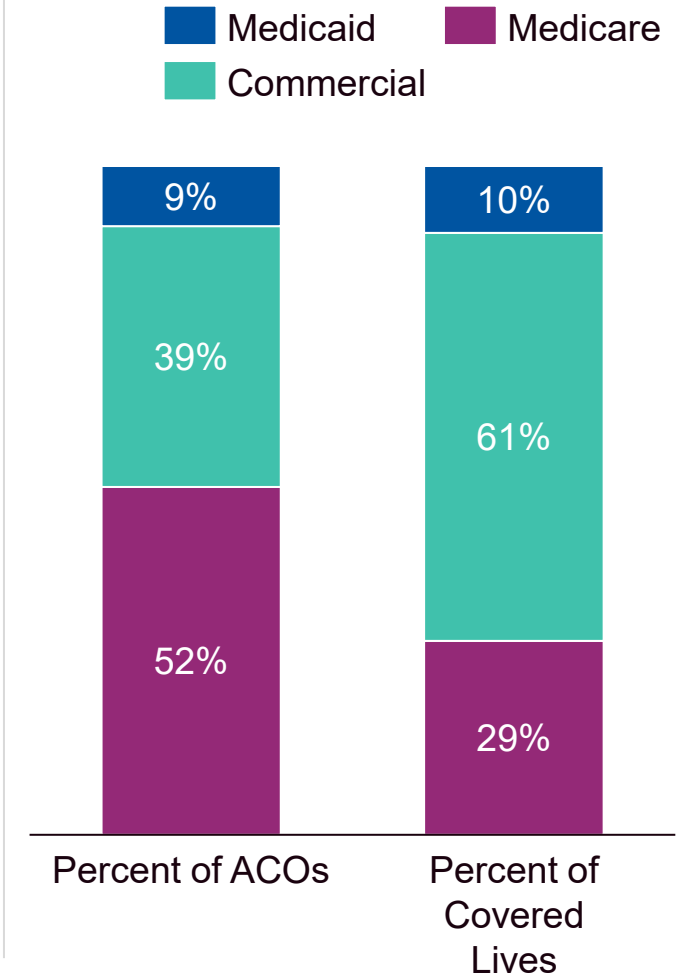
Q1 2011 – Q1 2018

ACO Growth Has Been Significant Both in the Medicare and the Commercial Space



## Estimated ACO Lives, by Payer

Total ACO Lives: 28.4m

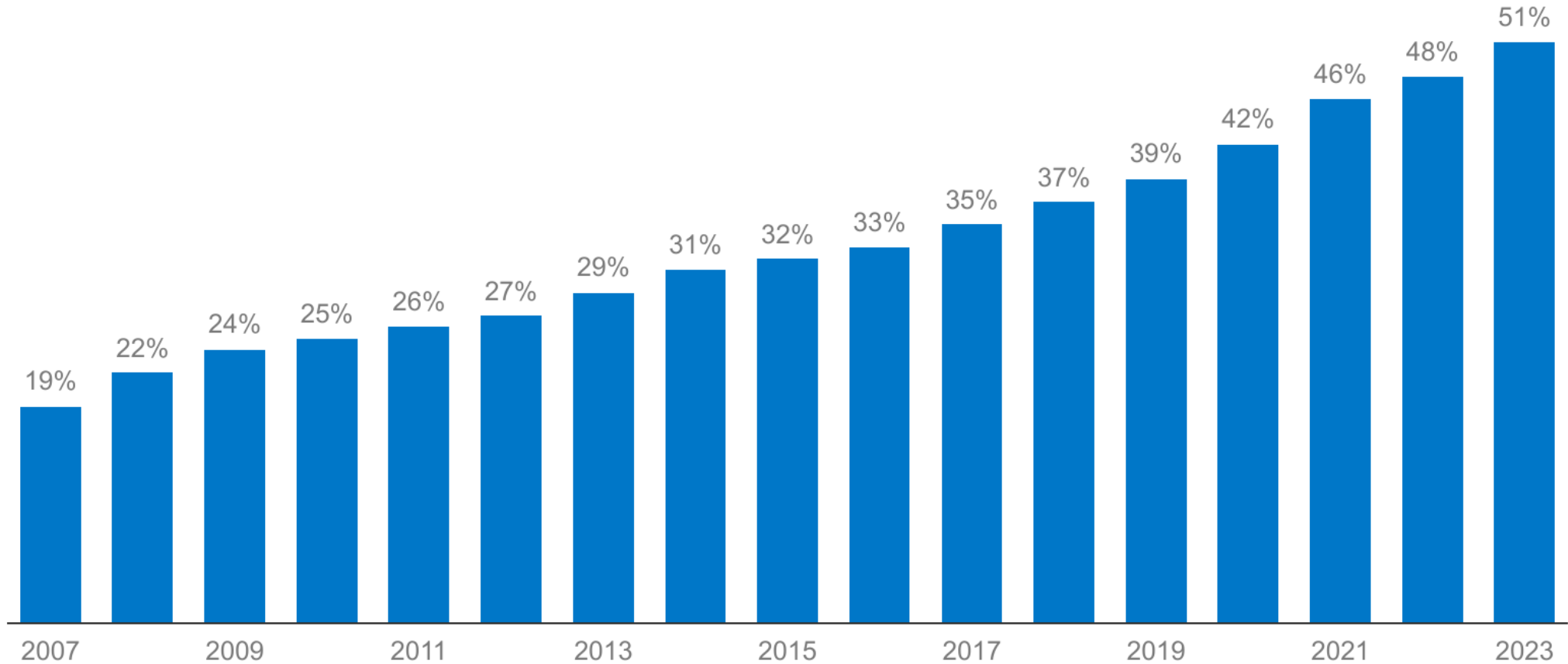


Note: Medicaid ACOs known but number of Medicaid ACOs unknown

Source: [Growth Of ACOs And Value-Based Payment Models In 2018](#), Health Affairs 8/2018. (R) Chartis estimate based on Muhlestein et al plus CMS data. Note that while 54% of ACOs are estimated to participate in a Medicare program, they may also have commercial ACO programs.



# Patients Are Choosing Value - MA Enrollment Increasing



NOTE: Enrollment data are from March of each year. Includes Medicare Advantage plans: HMOs, PPOs (local and regional), PFFS, and MSAs. About 60.0 million people are enrolled in Medicare Parts A and B in 2023.

SOURCE: KFF analysis of CMS Medicare Advantage Enrollment Files, 2010-2023; Medicare Chronic Conditions (CCW) Data Warehouse from 5 percent of beneficiaries, 2010-2016; CCW data from 20 percent of beneficiaries, 2017-2020; and Medicare Enrollment Dashboard 2021-2023.

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# Population Health Is A Different Business

	<b>Fee-for-Service</b>	<b>Population Health</b>
Customer	People who are admitted (or use outpatient services)	Everyone who pays for coverage or is enrolled in a plan/program
Revenue	Paid per unit of service	Monthly fixed amount
Expenses	Primarily labor and facilities	Healthcare services
Data Systems	Foundation EHR Cost accounting and billing	Predictive models and care management Segmentation and workflow
Key to Success	Keep occupancy high and expenses low	Increase management and monitoring to reduce reactive care

# Population Health is a Different Business

## *Requires a Purpose-Built Infrastructure*

### Traditional Care

Complicated healthcare system confuses and frustrate consumers

Consumer experience



Reactive, transactional care delivered in response to an injury or illness

Care delivery



Lack of technology and incentives for physicians to coordinate patient care

Care coordination



Data trapped inside massive repositories; lack of sophisticated analytics

Data and information



Costs climb without corresponding health improvements

Costs



### Value-based Care

**Consumers are at the center of the healthcare system, empowered with more information and support**

Proactive, preventive care, with **an emphasis on keeping people healthy**

**Physicians are empowered by new technology, data and financial incentives to coordinate care**

Data can be mined to identify patient health risks, improve care coordination and enhance efficiency

Insurance companies and care providers are paid based on quality and patient health improvements

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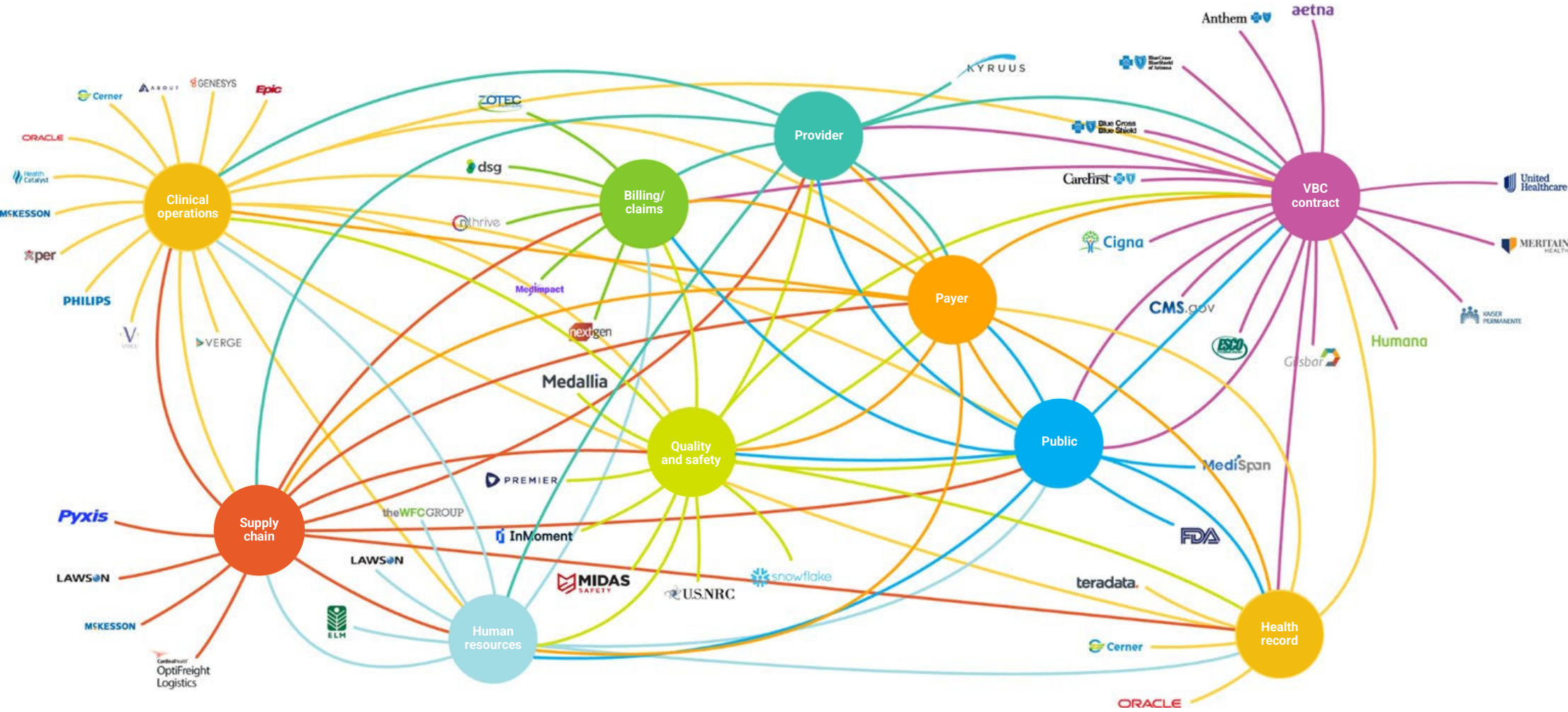
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# Current Infrastructure Is Optimized For Transactions



# EHR Consequences

## *The Impact of Clinician Burnout*



### Clinician Burnout

- Loss of joy, passion, motivation for career and “calling”
- Disengagement in daily patient care activities and practice operations
- Increase in apathy and erosion of professionalism
- Risk to physician’s own care and safety (suicide rates)
- Depression and other mental health concerns



### Patient

- Reduction in time and attention to patients
- Significant negative impact on quality of care and patient outcomes
- Significant rise in patient dis-satisfaction



### Hospital / Health System

- Erosion of physician community, and clinician collaboration
- Permeating sense of negativity and dissatisfaction within the health system
- Increase in clinician turnover and staffing challenges
- Drop in patient loyalty, and loss of patient volumes
- Brand damage



**Forbes**

“We have converted paper records to digital ones, but a lack of interoperability means the data itself remains trapped in silos.”

—Seth Joseph

*The EHR Is Dead. Long Live The EHR Platform, Aug 10, 2021*

**The EHR Is Dead. Long Live The Health Platform**

# Focused Clinics Built Their Technology NOT Around the EHR



# Focusing on the Right Goals





# Digital Health Requires Significant Data and Analytic Capabilities



### Layer of engagement

Systems of consumer and patient engagement (e.g., search, wearables, e-commerce, behavioral health apps, IoT)



### Layer of intelligence

Systems to convert data elements into insights and intelligence to inform or drive actions



### Layer of infrastructure

Systems of data capture, curation management, and interoperability



### Supports payment and financing

- Payment structuring and financing
- Digital and automatic payments
- Savings accounts
- Benefits/insurance coverage



### Leverages support services

- Transportation service
- Faith institutions
- Community
- Family
- State assistance

Advanced Analytics

HEALTH platform

Financial data

Social structure data

Provider-generated data

Patient-generated clinical data



### Connects consumers with traditional modalities of care

- Pharmacy
- Hospital
- Ambulatory clinic
- PCP/specialist
- Care team coordination
- Diagnostic tools & support
- Scheduling
- Quality

Health and wellness data



### Integrates home, near-home, and virtual care services

- Self-service solutions
- Monitoring tools
- Compliance & adherence tools
- Home health
- Virtual care
- Retail clinics



### Tracks daily life activities

- Nutrition
- Fitness
- PT & Rehab

Source: McKinsey, The Next Wave of Healthcare Innovation, June 2021

# Digital Health Transformation

## *Purpose-Built Infrastructure is Key*



### *Data aggregation*

Ingest, clean, and curate high quality data from multiple clinical and non-clinical sources.



### *Analytics*

Generate insight for effective risk management, quality, and performance of end-to-end value-based delivery chain.

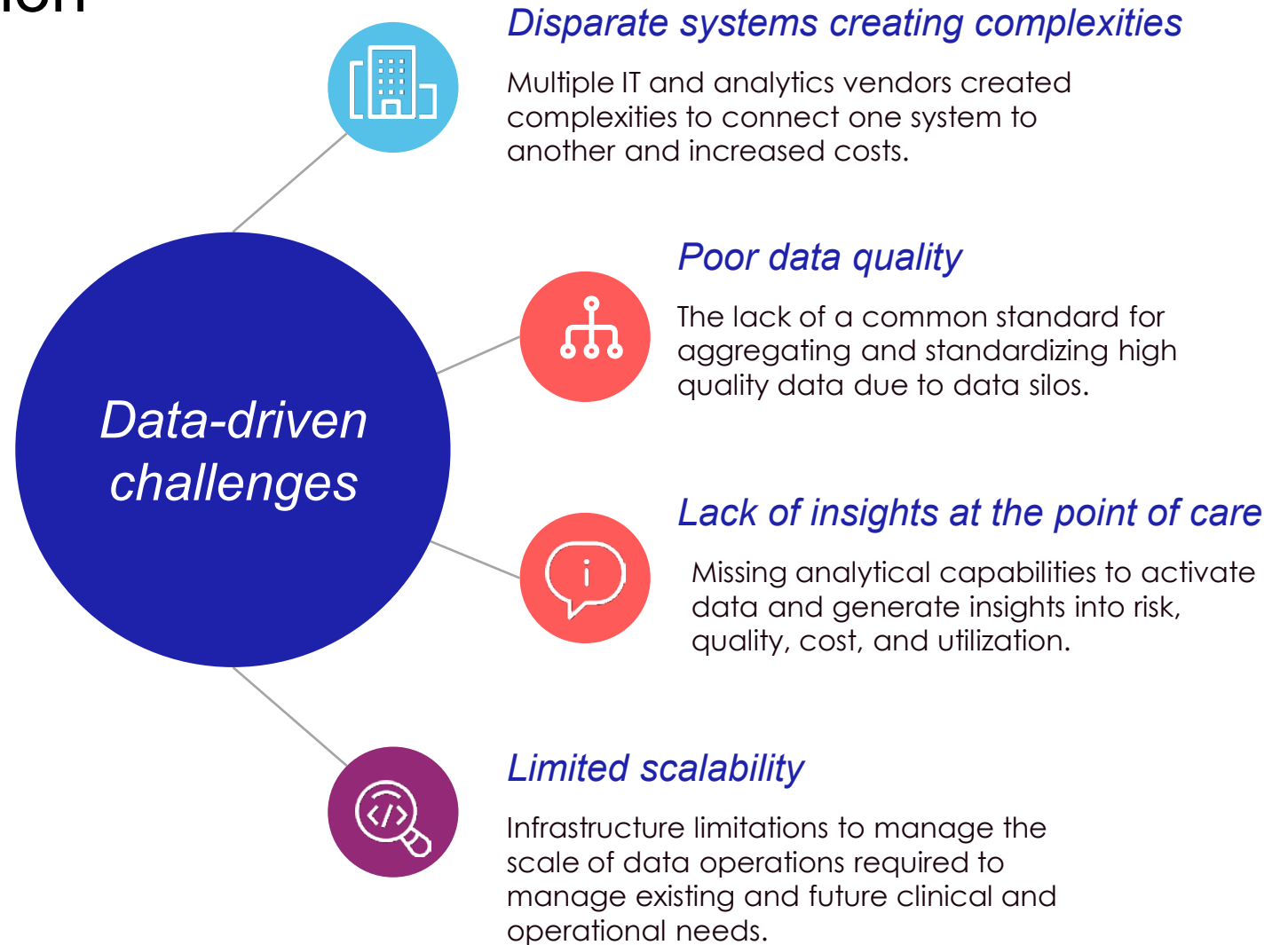


### *Scalable infrastructure*

Deploy infrastructure that scales as per business needs and generate insights at speed of now.

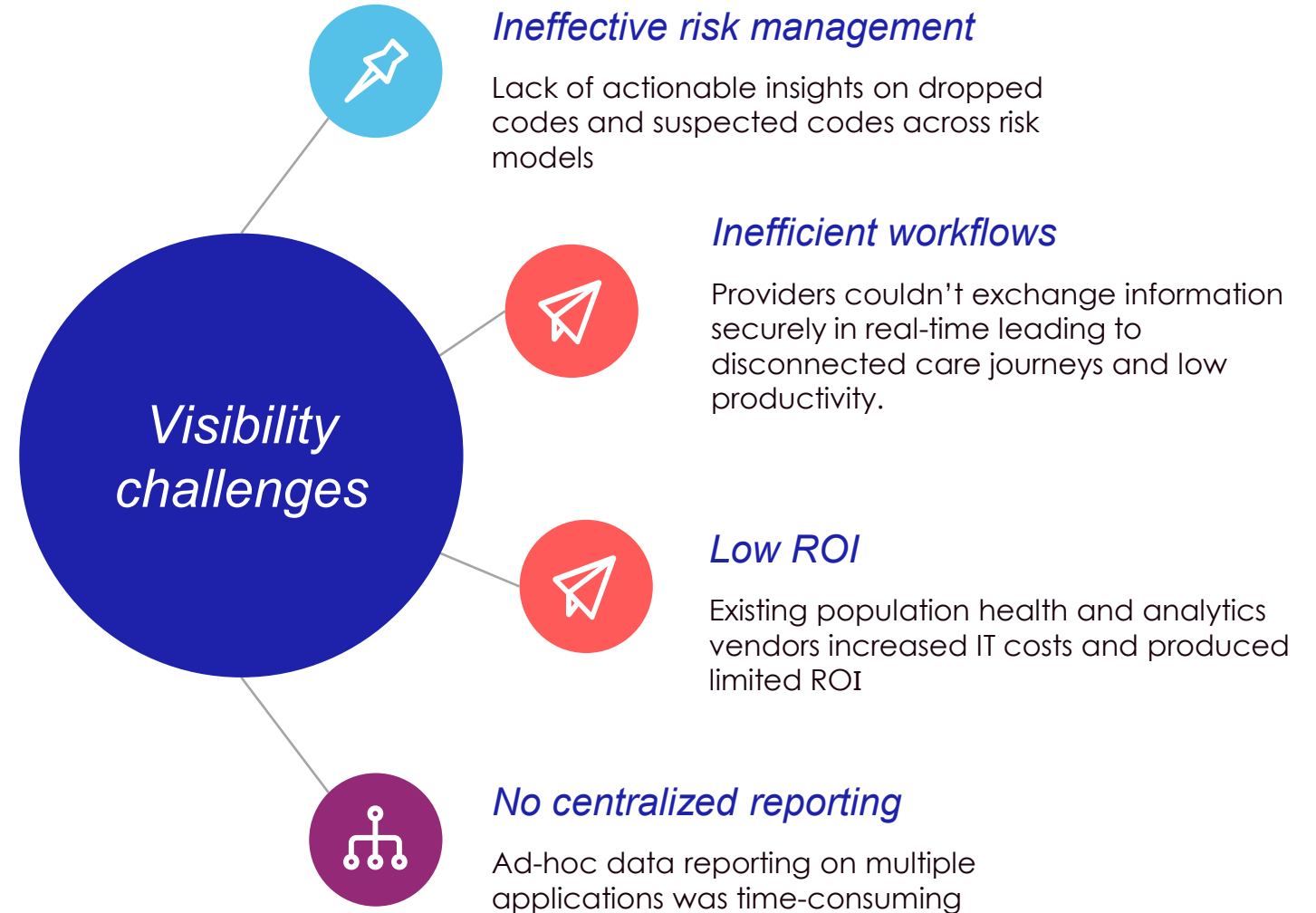
# Digital Health Transformation Challenges Today

A chronic lack of data-readiness impedes digital transformation efforts



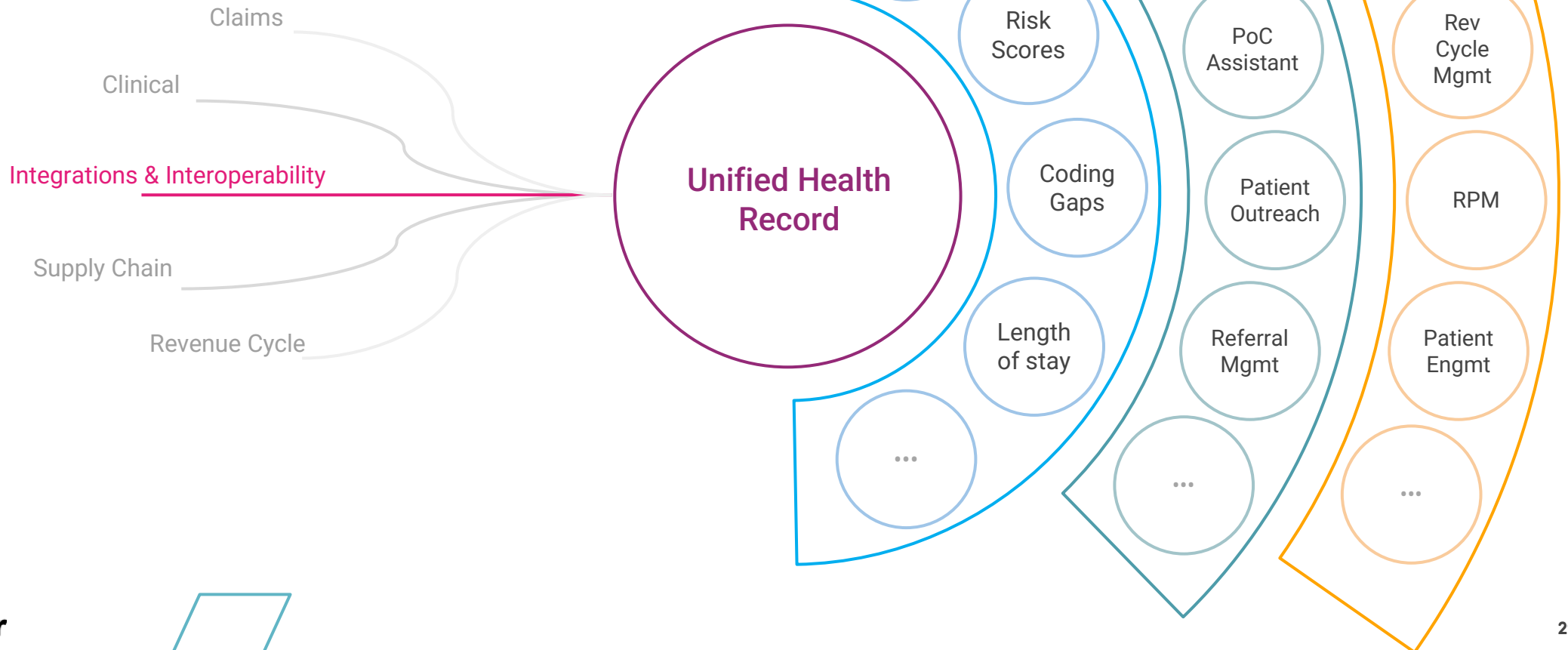
# Digital Health Transformation Challenges Today

Resulting in a limited scope  
to track, assess, and  
improve outcomes



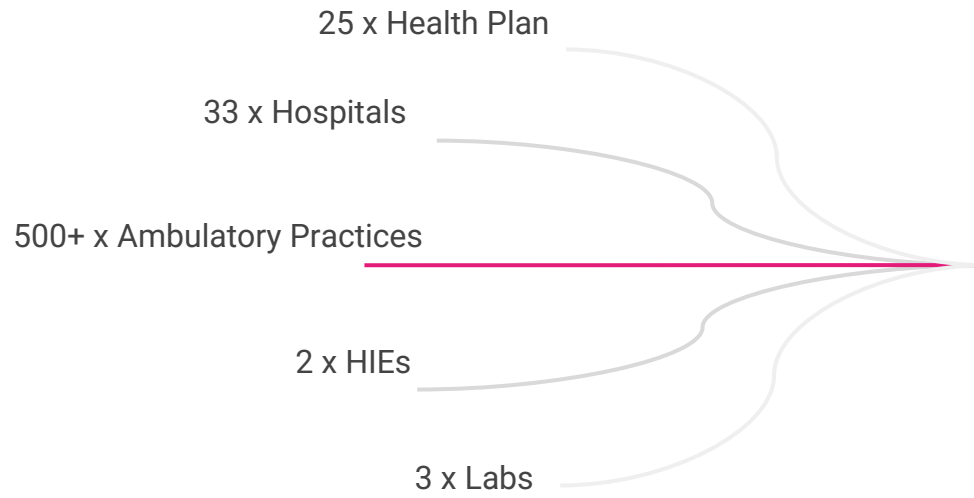
# Digital Health Transformation

*It Begins with a Modern Health Stack*



# Population Health Tech Stack

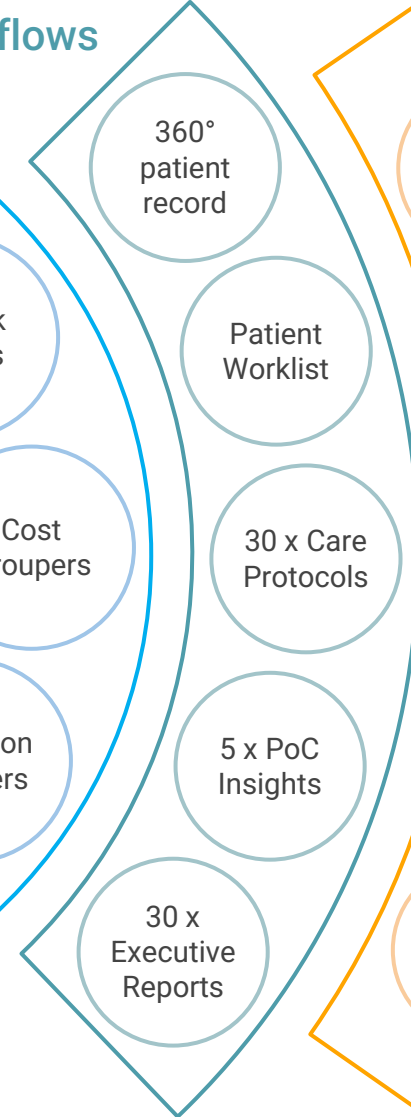
*1M at-risk lives across  
25 Value Based Contracts (VBC)  
800+ active users*



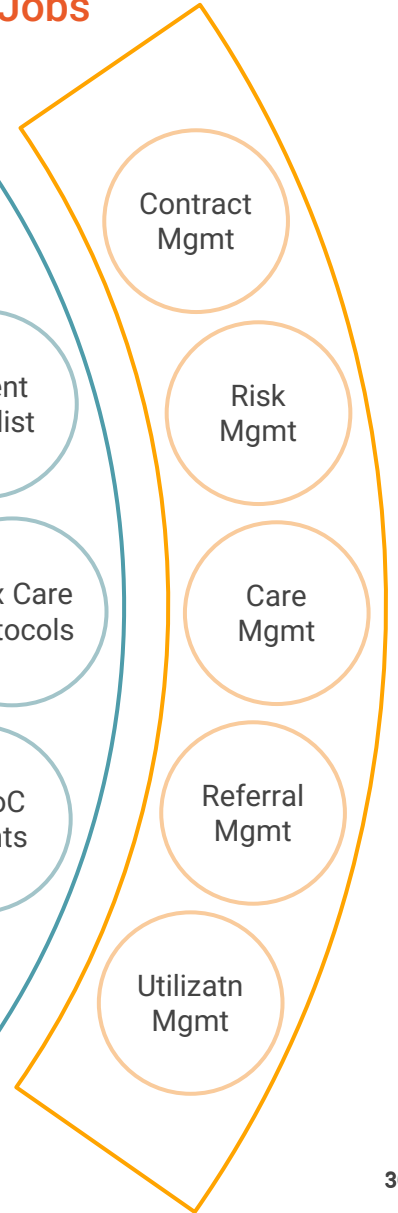
## UHR Based Insights



## Data-driven Workflows



## AI-enabled Jobs



# The 3 big aspects of this transformation

## Value

AWAY FROM

↙ Fee for service

TOWARDS

↗ Value-based care

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100% of Medicare \$2 Trillion  
is going to become value  
based by 2030

## Experience

AWAY FROM

↙ Encounter based care

TOWARDS

↗ Experience driven

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Amazon, Walgreens, CVS,  
Best Buy, Costco, Kroger are  
all entering healthcare

## Productivity

AWAY FROM

↙ Burn out

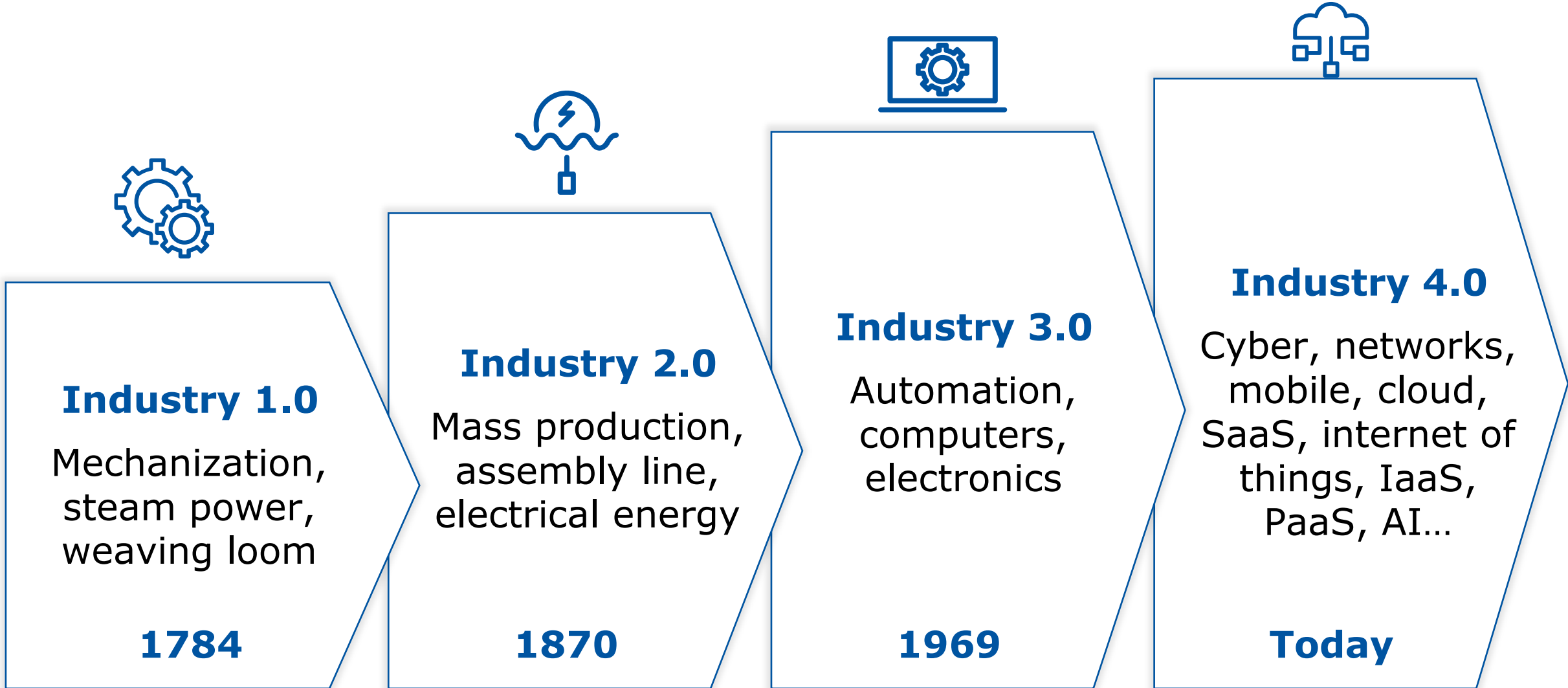
TOWARDS

↗ AI-driven productivity

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We just saw the largest  
strike in the history of  
American healthcare

# We Are In The Midst of A Digital Industrial Revolution





# Trends Play Out Over Decades, but then .....



The Blockbuster store in Bend, Ore., has 4,000 account holders and adds a few new ones every day.  
 Ryan Brennecke/The Bulletin, via Associated Press

## The World's Last Blockbuster Has No Plans to Close

With the closing of a Blockbuster store in Australia, the one in Bend, Ore, will be the last to survive changes in technology and shopping that reshaped the way people watch movies at home

The first Blockbuster store opened October 19, 1985, in Dallas, Texas, with an inventory of 8,000 VHS and 2,000 Beta tapes

	2004	2010	2020
# Of Stores	9,094	6,500	1
# Of Employees	84,300	25,000	3+

# Agenda

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# Key Questions

We are 10 years into a transition cycle that could be 20+ years:

- What is the future role of the clinical lab in population health?
- How can the clinical lab optimize diagnostic accuracy? Timeliness?
- What partnerships can be forged to redesign workflows and responsibilities in the evolving environment?
- How can the clinical lab provide and measure value? Manage performance risk?
- How can laboratory professionals step up to lead?



# THANK YOU



# Population Health Tech Stack at a Glance

## Data Infrastructure

- 1Mn at-risk lives across all 25 owned / VBC contract
- 10+ EMR data including Cerner & HIE
- 90+ Supplemental data feeds

## Analytical Infrastructure

- 450 quality measures
- 3 risk models (CMS-HHS, CHS-HCC, CDPS)
- Cost & utilization groupers
- 30 executive and operational dashboards

## Workflow Applications

- **Patient360:** Longitudinal patient view for care team to look at one place
- **InCare:** Care management with 30 care protocols, 20 assessments, and 11 automated assignment strategies with 100+ active users
- **InNote:** Point of care assistant for employed and affiliated providers with 700+ active users
- **InConnect:** Patient outreach & engagement workflows
- **InRef:** Referral management workflows with provider

