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# Care Coordination

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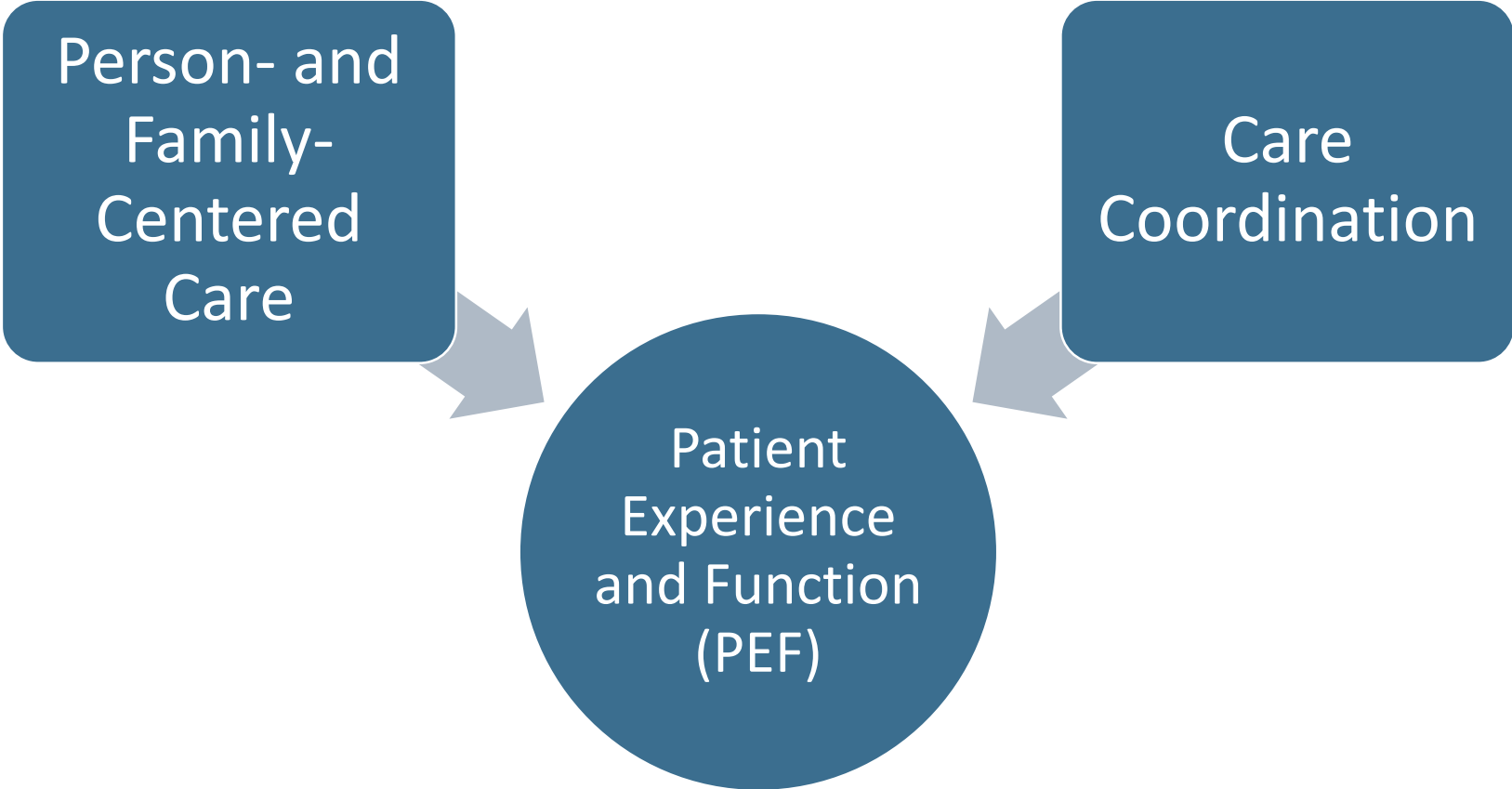
# Agenda

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- Charge
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# Background

- According to the *New England Journal of Medicine*, only 7% of providers report their patients' care is fully coordinated.
- The Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services prioritized Care Coordination (CC) within its Meaningful Measures framework.
- NQF Prioritization Initiative includes scoring criteria to prioritize measures that are meaningful to patients and caregivers and reflect care that spans settings, providers, and time.

# Background



# Recommended Care Coordination TAP Charge

- NQF engaged with 5 PEF Committee members (including co-chairs) who agreed the CC TAP is the best way to enhance Care Coordination measures.
- The CC TAP would be tasked with providing input to NQF on effective strategies to address CC through the Consensus Development Process.
- TAP would convene every other month to discuss and evaluate NQF's progression of CC activities and advise NQF staff on key issues related to CC in the field.
- TAP will likely be formed in fall 2019 cycle, pending funding

# Recommended Care Coordination TAP Scope

1. Form a CC Technical Advisory Panel (TAP)

*Select 7 PEF SC members to form a TAP*

2. Assess NQF measure eval criteria & guidance of CC and patient experience

*CC TAP assesses NQF measure evaluation criteria to determine additional considerations for inclusion*

# Recommended Care Coordination TAP Scope

3. Integrate efforts across NQF specific to CC

*Integrate key members of Patient Experience and Function Standing Committee with National Quality Partnership's Action Team*

4. Identify priority care coordination measurement domains

*Engage PEF Committee in strategic discussions to review and update CC measurement domains and organize the measure portfolio*

5. Develop education- and outreach-focused care coordination series for the measure developer community

*TAP and NQF staff will develop a series of presentations focused on critical issues in CC measurement*



# Questions?

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