



Healthcare Update for the Future

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Background

- **My Experience**
- **Dallas-Fort Worth Hospital Council**
- **Driving Health Equity**
- **Economic Engines (\$38.4 billion)**
- **Rural Providers**

Healthcare Law and Business

- **Government Contractor**
- **Rules, Regulations and Guidelines**
- **Privacy Regulations**
- **Patients and Rights**

Topics For Today

- **Social Drivers of Health – Diverse Communities**
- **Post COVID-19 Objectives and Goals**
- **Goals – Endemic Ramifications**
- **Business and Healthcare of the Future**

Social Drivers of Health & Policy

- **Housing**
- **Income**
- **Transportation**
- **Education**

Texas

- **Behavioral Health**
- **Substance Misuse**
- **Uninsured – Coverage for Texans**
- **Poverty**
- **Obesity**
- **Maternal Mortality**

Some Definitions to begin Discussion

- **Epidemic**
- **Pandemic**
- **Endemic**

Medicare Telehealth Visits

- **Telehealth Visit**
- **Virtual Check-ins**
- **E-Visits**
- **HCPCS/CPT Codes**
- **OIG Report – March 2022**



Public Health

Lessons Learned - Pandemic

- **Single Source Decision Making**
- **Nimble**
- **Laser Focused – More Efficient**
- **Commitment**

Pandemic Current Obstacles

- **Public Health Trust**
- **Political Influence**
- **Workplace Violence**
- **Understanding Future Outcomes**

Future Considerations

- **Price Transparency/Cost of Care**
- **Virtual Health**
- **Customer Service**
- **Workforce**
- **State Legislative Session Bills**
- **Federal Priorities and Focus**

Federal Priorities

- **Avoid a Shutdown (shutdown = disruptive)**
- **Transparency/Pricing**
- **Site Neutral Payments**
- **Timely Claims Processing**
- **Workforce Issues/Safety**

State Priorities

- **Coverage – Expand Medicaid**
- **Postpartum Coverage**
- **Reimbursement - Fair/Equitable**
- **Public Health Emergency –What now?**
- **Broadband and Telehealth**
- **Workforce Staffing and Safety**

Social Determinants Future

- **Healthcare Policy**
- **Federal and State Implications**
- **Right or a Privilege**
- **Balance Fairness in Health Equity**
- **Public Health Policy Should Not Be Political**

Future Issues

- **Pricing**
- **Medical Debt**
- **Outcomes**
- **Think Tank Papers**
- **Private Equity**
- **Mergers/Acquisitions**

Transformation

- **Consumer Centric**
- **On Demand Service**
- **Pace of Change**
- **Advanced Technology**
- **Seamless and Convenient**



QUESTIONS



Thank you!

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