

# R95 Workgroup Meeting Service Design

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### Payment Reform: Value-Driven Capacity Building Service Design Portfolio (2-G, 2-H, 2-I)

#### Purpose:

To support providers in adapting and applying organizational processes (i.e. service design) that align with efforts to better engage and offer services to a wider range of individuals who want to access, participate and complete treatment by lowering organizational barriers to care.

| The What  | The Why and How   | Start-Up/Deliverable  |
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| 2-G<br>Process<br>Improvement<br>Implementation<br>Plan Follow-Up | Operationalize FY 23-24 Service Design Implementation goals<br>through use of evidence-based process improvement strategies<br>and application of Plan, Do, Study, Act (PDSA).<br>Deliverable: Completed Service Design<br>Implementation/Investment Plan template by March 31, 2025.   | One per <b>treatment agency</b> .<br>Tier 1 - \$15,000<br>Tier 2 - \$20,000<br>Tier 3 - \$25,000.<br>*Invoice required for<br>deliverable based<br>submissions. |
| 2-H<br>Customer Walk-<br>Through                                  | Obtain an understanding of how individuals accessing or<br>receiving services experience your agency to help generate<br>strategies for lowering the barrier to SUD treatment in each site<br>and facilitate improved access to care for clients.<br>Deliverable: Conduct the walk-through and submit the completed<br>approved summary template by January 31, 2025. | One per identified agency<br>Site<br>Tier 1 - \$1,000<br>Tier 2 - \$1,000<br>Tier 3- \$1,000<br>*Invoice required for<br>deliverable based<br>submissions.      |



### **SUMMARY DESCRIPTION**

The Service Design Implementation/Investment Plan (2-I) is designed to allow providers to outline the investments and service design changes your agency commits to implementing.

These service design changes are a result of the customer walkthrough and/or improvements you identified, through patient and staff input, improvements that will lower barriers to substance use disorder (SUD) care.



### **DELIVERABLE REQUIREMENTS**

To meet the deliverable for participation in the Payment Reform Value-Driven Capacity Building

- Complete the Service Design
  Implementation/Investment Plan (2-I)
- ✓ Submit the results **by March 31, 2025**.



### **DISCOVERING AND PRIORITIZING FOCUS AREAS**

- ✓ Customer Walk-through or
- ✓ Other patient feedback methodology

If you did not complete a walk-through, provide a detailed description of how your agency identified improvement areas based on the perspectives of your customers/patients.

Patient Advisory Group Focus Group Feedback forms Surveys Patient interviews

### Resource

Customer Walk-Through (2-H) Guide, Summary Deliverable (pages 17-22)



**FOCUS -- Increase Access And Engagement by:** 

- Lowering barriers to SUD care
- Attracting and better serving the R95 population
- Improving existing services



### **UNDERSTANDING THE CUSTOMER/PATIENT EXPERIENCE**

Customer Experience in healthcare is how a patient perceives their interactions with a provider, it encompasses every step from first contact to discharge and referrals throughout the continuum.



### WHO ARE YOU SERVING?

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#### Human Being

Lives in the context of family, and community.

4 dimensions for experiencing care: physical, psychological, social, spiritual

### PATIENT

- Ill health and it's assoc. suffering.
- Remains the same person they have always been
- Triggers fear/anxiety
- Experience of disease

## CONSUMER

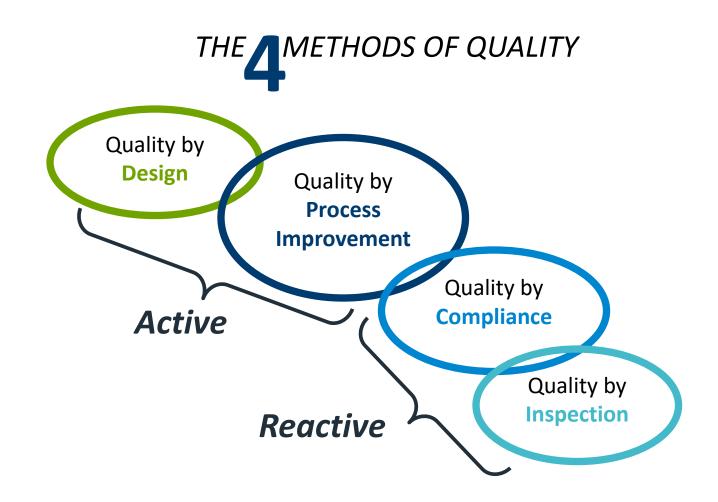
- Patient contacts & inter- acts w/ agency
- Patient takes on role of a consumer of services
- Remains the same person they have always been
- Experiences healthcare services



### **BENEFITS OF A POSITIVE EXPERIENCE**

Improving access Improving retention Optimizes the agency workflows Improves staff satisfaction Enhances the agency reputation Reduces waste and saves money

Serving more people! Patients are thriving!





### **STEPS FOR COMPLETING THE TEMPLATE**

Start with a **TEAM review** of your customer walk-through or patient feedback.

Engage your Exec. leadership and staff to identify priorities and brainstorm ideas.





### **STEPS FOR COMPLETING THE TEMPLATE**

**Review the Packet:** Read pages 1–9 thoroughly before starting. *Example on page 7-9* 

Submit: Complete and submit the form (*pages 2-5*) to SAPC by March 31, 2025.



### **FILLABLE AREAS**

b. What was the staff's overall impression of the walkthrough or client feedback?

c. What key problems do executive leadership want to address? Please describe it in detail. (see the example scenario above for reference)

d. Describe how the patient and staff feedback informed your proposed design changes.



- A. Provide a clear summary of what the project aims to achieve.
- B. Describe why this focus area was selected.
- C. Identify key participants:
  - Internal stakeholders: Project sponsor, service staff, operations staff.
  - External stakeholders: Customers, referral sources, community partners
- D. Provide information on action steps, the person (or role) responsible, and completion date.
- (E. Key Performance Indicators: Define how success will be measured:
  - Quantitative Metrics: Customer satisfaction scores, service response time, wait time, admissions...
  - Qualitative Metrics: Customer feedback themes, staff feedback.
- F. Risks and Constraints: List potential risks or constraints that might impact goals, explain how your agency will address them.
- G. Provide a detailed description of how you will sustain the improvement.



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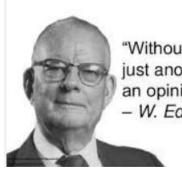
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| D. Action Steps              | Person<br>Responsible | Completion<br>Date |
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| How much detail is required? |                       |                    |
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"Without data you're just another person with an opinion." – W. Edwards Deming



From **Data to Diagnosis to Delivery:** AI in Precision Medicine by Atul Butte, MD, PhD



## Before we review the form does anyone have questions, observations, or insights?

