

Accountable Health Communities Model (AHCM) Western Colorado

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Questions to Consider

- How can AHCM help my practice meet deliverables in SIM?
- How can this benefit patients at my practice?

What are Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)?



SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

KNOW WHAT AFFECTS HEALTH

Why Screen for SDOH?

- We often make wrong assumptions
- It helps us get to the root of the issue
- It's part of comprehensive, whole-person care



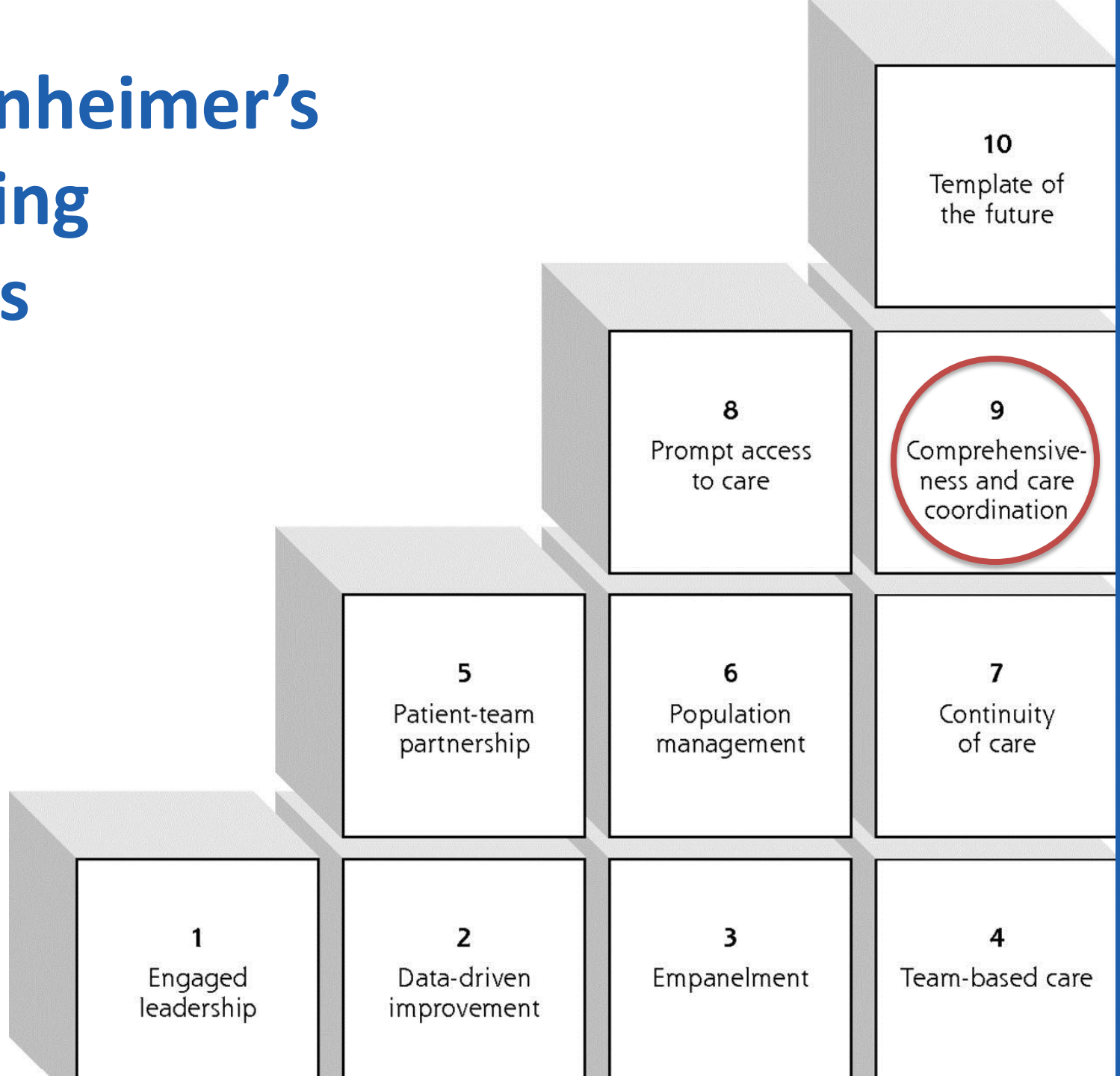
What Do We Know?

- Women who experience domestic violence
- Coloradans who don't have money to consistently buy adequate food



(CDC, 2000; Colorado Blueprint to End Hunger, 2018)

Bodenheimer's Building Blocks





SIM

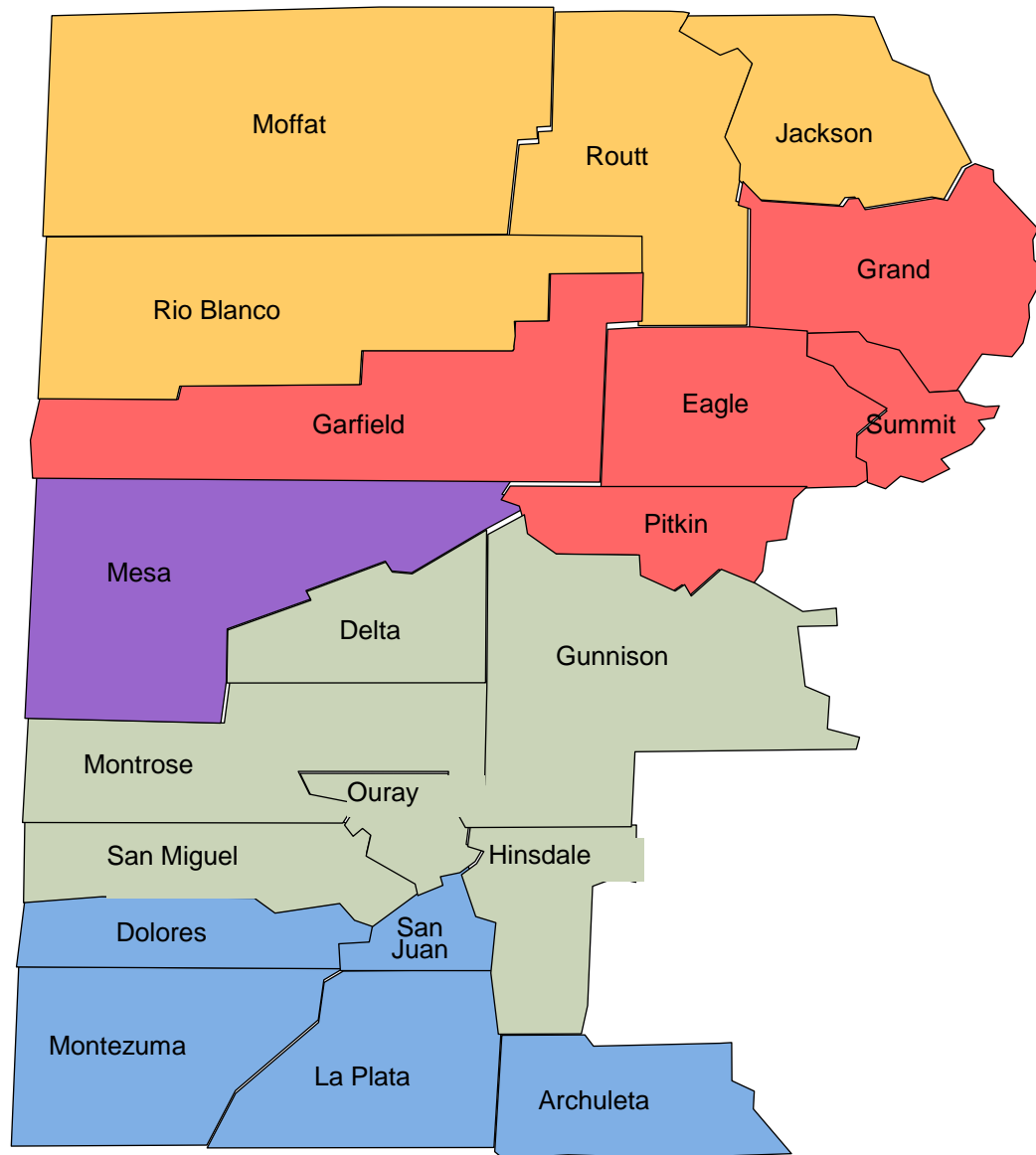
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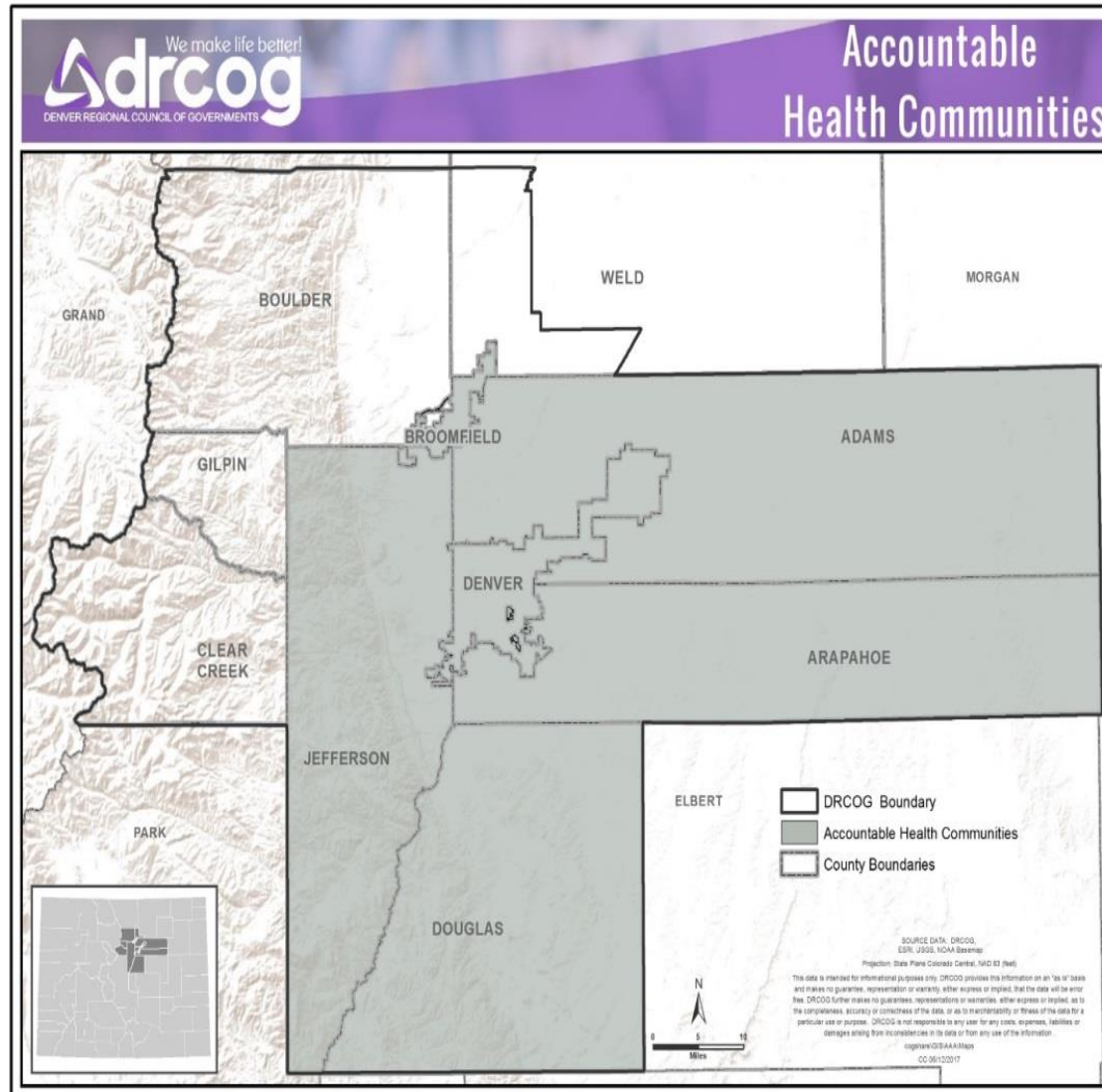
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Practice performs an assessment of community resources, with RHC support when possible, to assist patients with social needs such as food, housing, and transportation.

Western Colorado



Front Range



Community Leads and RHCs

- 5 regions with organizations jointly serving as:
 - RHC host organizations
 - AHCM community leads
- Key roles in:
 - Developing and rolling out Community Resource Network (CRN)
 - Serving on AHCM Advisory Committee

Screening

Clinical Sites:

Primary Care



Hospital



Behavioral Health



Screen For:

Housing

Food

Utilities

Inter-
personal
Violence

Transpor-
tation

Medicaid

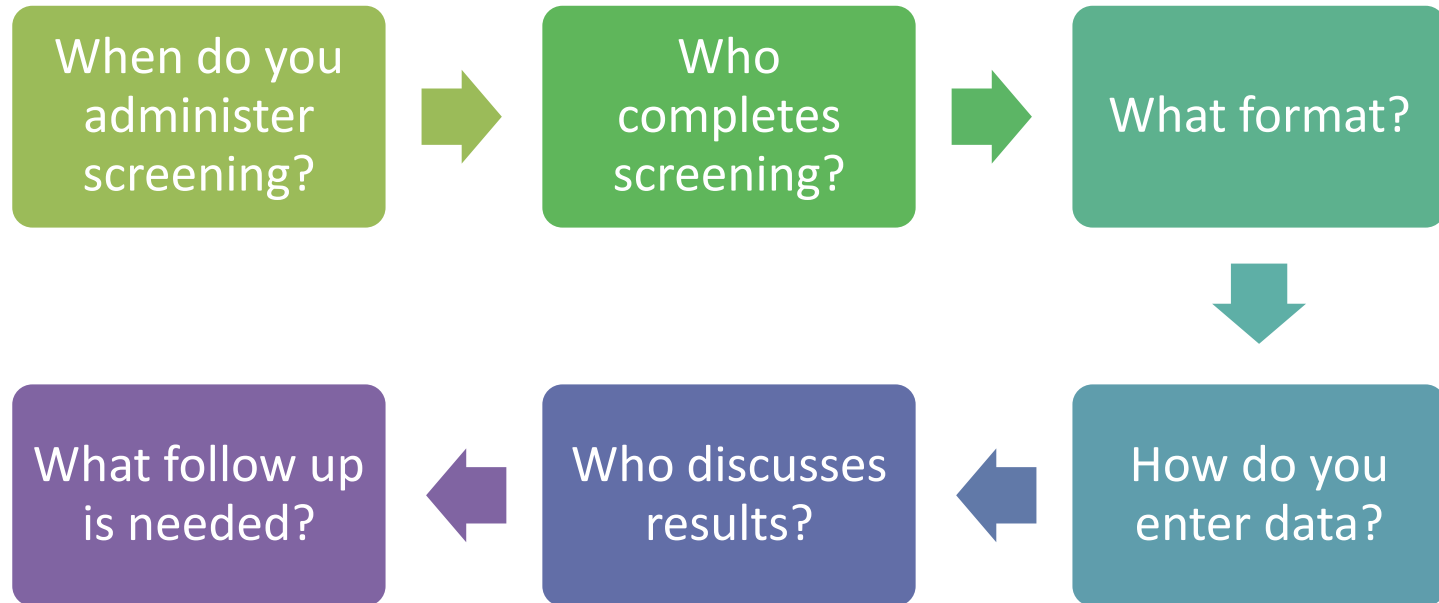
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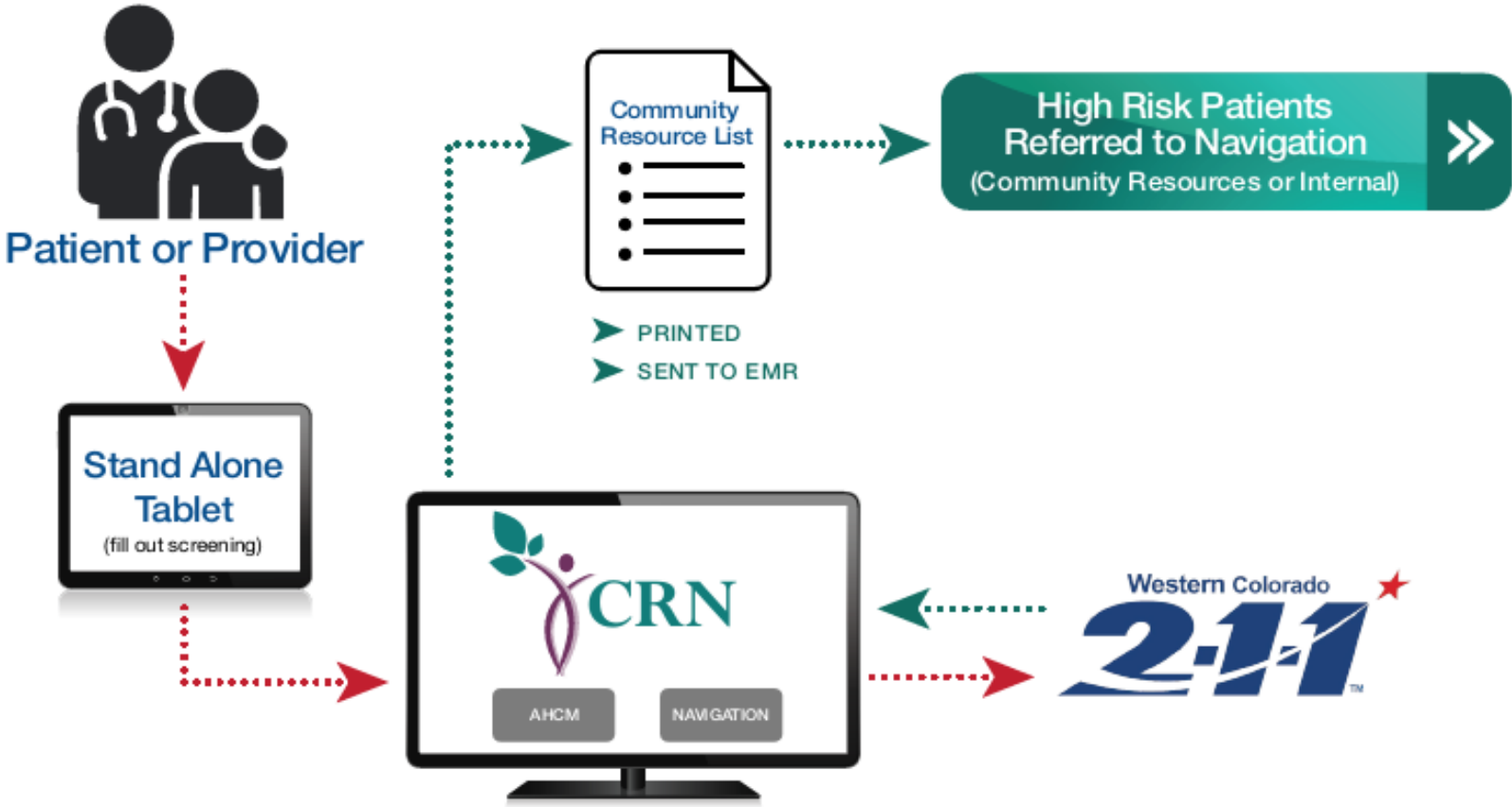
Screening

- Demographic questions
- ER visits in last 12 months
- Living situation
- Food
- Transportation
- Utilities
- Safety
- Family and community support

Process Mapping



Screening



Additional Information

Learn more about Western Colorado AHCM:

<https://www.rmhpcommunity.org/ahcm/accountable-health-communities-model>

Access the AHCM screening tool:

[https://www.rmhpcommunity.org/sites/default/files/resource/Simple%20AHCM%20Screeener 2.1918.pdf](https://www.rmhpcommunity.org/sites/default/files/resource/Simple%20AHCM%20Screeener%202.1918.pdf)

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