

# **Checking LDL-C Isn't One and Done**

Learn more about the ACC Driving Urgency Project

## **Aim of Project**

Increase the rate of diagnostic screening of lowdensity lipoprotein cholesterol (LDL-C) in at-risk cardiovascular disease patients to improve awareness and implementation of 2018 Guideline on the Management of Blood Cholesterol, and 2022 ACC Expert Consensus Decision Pathway (ECDP) at a national scale.



**ONGOING** 

Start: January 2024 | Anticipated Completion: Q3 2025

**Anticipated Number of Practice Settings: 6000** 



#### The Importance of Measuring LDL-C

- LDL-C is a key modifiable risk factor for atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease (ASCVD).
- If left unchecked, high levels of LDL-C may lead to serious cardiovascular events—like heart attack or stroke.
- Despite its dangers, there are no symptoms of high LDL-C—testing cholesterol levels is the only way of knowing a patient's LDL-C levels.

#### **Methods for Success**

**Prompts & Reminders** 

**Education** 

Performance Dashboard

Equip cardiology and primary care clinics to deploy GDMT-related awareness communications and practice/patient-level ASCVD dashboards using:



Veradigm Practice Fusion E.H.R. system, a cloud-based EHR platform that provides reliable, secure access to information



Veradigm TouchPoint Media solution, a tool to reach targeted providers at the point-of-care



HealthPals CLINT MAX system, an artificial intelligence engine to analyze patient data and identify actionable care gaps

## **Anticipated Outcomes**



Clinician engagement (message impressions, click through rates, dashboard sign-up, dashboard usage)



Improvements in lipid testing



Lipid treatment in patients with hypercholesterolemia and ASCVD patients

## **Participation Criteria**

#### Practice eligibility for project based on:

- Participation in the network of Veradigm Practice Fusion electronic health record primary care or cardiology practices
- Treating patients eligible for lipid testing and lipid lowering therapy





Introducing the **LATTICE™** Consortium:\*

Leading Awareness To action Through Implementation of Cardiometabolic Efforts



### A network of experts committed to improving the treatment of cardiometabolic disease

LATTICE™ Consortium is a first-of-its-kind community addressing cardiometabolic patient needs through implementation efforts. By sharing collectively-learned tools and methodologies, we can improve the effectiveness of cardiometabolic patient care at scale.

## What you'll find on the LATTICE™ Consortium website:



Learn about us: Get to know our experts, our vision, how implementation science can improve health outcomes, and current projects



Tools and resources: Find tools and resources that can be adopted or adapted to improve the quality of cardiometabolic patient care



**Connect:** Meet implementation science peers at both virtual and live events for education and sharing sessions



Submission portal: We welcome new and novel project proposals on the study of implementation methodologies



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