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Social Determinants of Health Now and Then

How Social Determinants of Health are used, and will be used

Panelists:

Jade Perdue-Puli, Director of Division of Quality Improvement Innovation Models Testing, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), Center for Clinical Standards and Quality (CCSQ)

Jade has spent the past fifteen years serving as a catalyst for healthcare transformation in those areas with the most vulnerable populations. Her government career began in the field of Organ Donation and Transplantation at the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) where she, as part of a dynamic team of dedicated professionals saved 15,000 additional lives by culling and spreading best practices of high performing organ procurement organizations and transplant centers. Using that knowledge, she joined the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Quality Improvement Program where she led the CMS National Patient Safety Initiative, developed the QIO Learning & Action Network Model, and launched the Strategic Innovation Engine (SIE). Jade has received several honors for her results including three Health and Human Services awards for Distinguished Service. She was a Service to America Award Finalist in 2005 and in 2014 received the CMS, Administrators Achievement Award for the National Nursing Home Quality Care Collaborative, an initiative that produced 8% relative improvement across twelve long stay clinical quality indicators. Most recently, Jade joined the Division of Quality Improvement Innovations Model Testing as the Director which leads the Partnership for Patients, an initiative to reduce all cause harm in acute care hospitals nationally by 20%. Jade and her team also lead the American Indian Alaskan Native Healthcare Quality Initiative, an initiative that seeks to build system capacity and improve safety in Indian Health Service hospitals.

Jade holds a Masters in Public Administration from the University of Baltimore and resides in Catonsville, MD with her husband Bala, and six year old twins Benjamin and Indira.

Traci Archibald, Director of Division of ESRD, Population and Community Health, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), Center for Clinical Standards and Quality (CCSQ)

Traci Archibald is the Director of the Division of ESRD, Population and Community Health within the Quality Improvement and Innovation Group, currently leading the Quality Improvement Network – Quality Improvement Organization (QIN-QIO), ESRD Network and Quality Payment Program-Support programs. Ms. Archibald has been with CMS for 10 years, previously leading the care transitions quality improvement efforts for the QIO program which aims to improve the quality of care transitions and to reduce 30-day readmissions for individuals across the country.

Ms. Archibald received her BS in Occupational Therapy from Boston University's, Sargent College of Allied Health Professions and her MBA from the University of Baltimore. Ms. Archibald has 17 years of clinical experience working as an Occupational Therapist in a variety of practice settings, and has also served as the Clinical Specialist for Quality and Accreditation for a rehabilitation department in Baltimore.

Ronald C. Kessler, Ph.D., McNeil Family Professor, Department of Healthcare Policy, Harvard Medical School

Dr. Kessler's research deals broadly with the social determinants of mental health and illness as studied from an epidemiological perspective. He is the author of over 700 publications and the recipient of many awards for his research, including the Senior Scientist and MERIT Awards from the National Institute of Mental Health. He has been rated as the most widely cited researcher in the world in the field of psychiatry for each of the past ten years and is a member of both the National Academy of Medicine and the National Academy of Sciences.

Dr. Kessler is the principal investigator of the US National Comorbidity Survey, the first nationally representative survey of the prevalence and correlates of mental disorders in the U.S., and Co-Director of the World Health Organization's World Mental Health Survey Initiative, a series of comparative community epidemiological surveys of the prevalence and correlates of mental disorders and

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treatment for these disorders in 28 countries around the world. In addition to his epidemiological studies, Kessler is involved in evaluating a number of innovative programs for the prevention and treatment of mental illness in high-risk segments of the population. Finally, Dr. Kessler is the principal investigator of the Harvard Medical School site for Army STARRS, a research program funded by the U.S. Army and the National Institute of Mental Health to study risk and protective factors for suicide among Army personnel.

Dr. Kessler earned his PhD in sociology from New York University in 1975. He completed a postdoctoral fellowship in psychiatric epidemiology at the University of Wisconsin before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1979. He was a professor of sociology and a program director at Michigan's Institute for Social Research at the time he took his current position at Harvard Medical School in 1994

Rob Bossarte, PhD, Director, Department of Veterans Affairs, Center of Excellence for Suicide Prevention and, Injury Control Research Center, West Virginia University

Robert Bossarte, Ph.D., is currently on the leadership team for the Department of Veterans Affairs in Washington, D.C., where he heads the Epidemiology Program for Post-Deployment Health.

He has also served on the faculty of the University of Rochester, and as an administrator and researcher in veteran's suicide prevention, homelessness, and mental health services at the VA and a VA hospital in New York State.

At WVU, Dr. Bossarte heads up an active group of researchers who have been highly engaged with West Virginia health issues. One of just ten such centers across the U.S. funded by the Centers for Disease Control, the WVU ICRC includes faculty members from across the University, including medicine, public health, health services research, sociology, nursing, communications, behavioral science, and biostatistics. The ICRC has a major role in the University's efforts against addiction to prescription and street drugs. The Center's researchers have also focused on motor-vehicle-related injuries, falls among the elderly, occupational injuries and violence, traumatic brain injury, suicide and self-harm, and intimate partner violence, among other topics.