



**Bridge Case management and
health records transfer and referral
(Health Network)**



*A force for health justice for
the mobile poor*

MIGRANT CLINICIANS NETWORK



Our mission is to create practical solutions at the intersection of vulnerability, migration, and health.



**Cutting Edge
Programming**



**Resources and
Dissemination**



**Advocacy
and Policy**



**Research and
Knowledge
Mobilization**



**Clinical Support
and Capacity
Building**

MIGRANT CLINICIANS NETWORK



Office Locations



10,000 + constituents

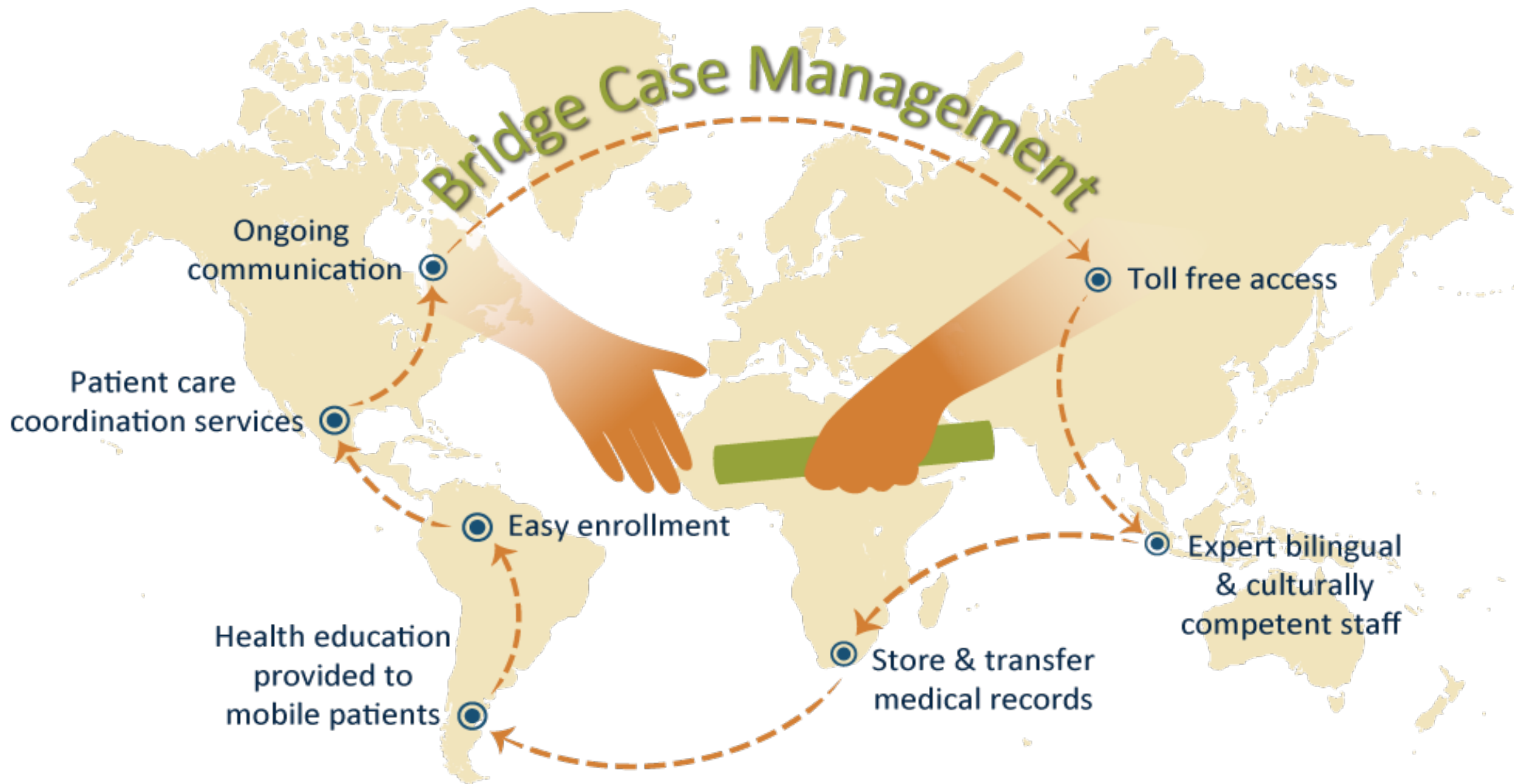
- Health educators
- Nurses
- Primary care providers
- Dentists
- Social workers
- CHWs
- Outreach workers
- Medical assistants
- Others





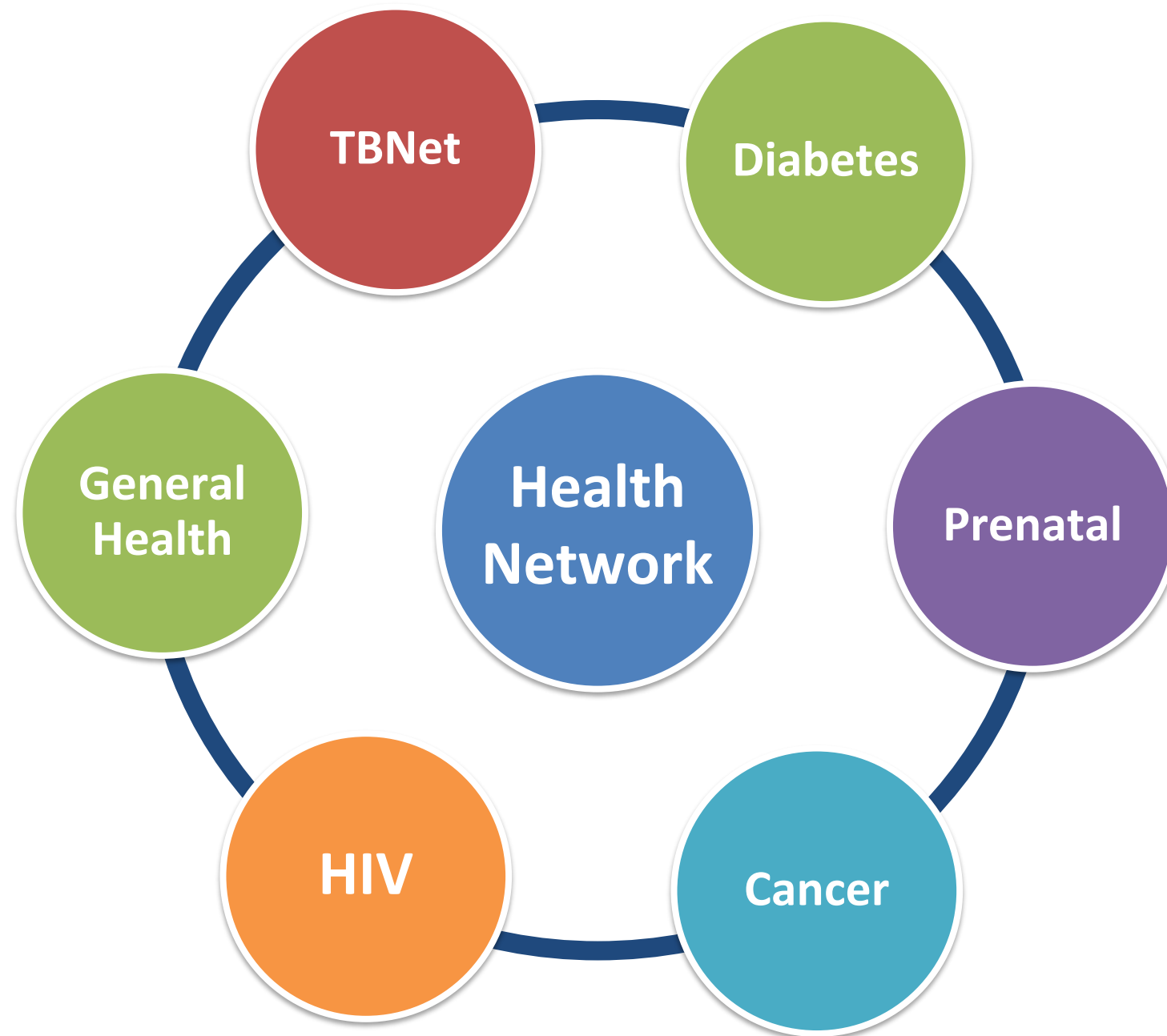


26 YEARS OF
INNOVATION





MCN's Health Network does not discriminate on the basis of immigration status and will not share personal patient information without patient's permission.



A large, dense crowd of people is shown from an elevated perspective, filling the entire frame. The image has a blue color overlay. Overlaid on the center of the crowd is white, hand-drawn style text.

OVER 15,000 TOTAL
HN ENROLLMENTS

MCN Health Network (TBNNet)



- An innovative approach for over 25 years (1996-2021)
- Over 15,100 total HN enrollments
- Current % Enrollments
 - 33% General Health
 - 27.8% Prenatal
 - 16.7% Infant Program
 - 12.9% TBNNet
 - 3.7% Diabetes
 - 2.7% Covid Vaccine
 - 2.0% Cancer screening (Breast/colon/cervical)
 - 1.0% HIV



Over 3,000 total clinics in U.S. and over 114 countries

Class 3 Active TB:
TBNet Treatment Success (1/1/2005-12/31/2019)
(91 Total Countries)

- ✓ 2,176 Class 3 Active TB Cases Referred
 - 51 not recommended by country
- ✓ 2,125 Treatment Recommended
 - *37 deceased*
- ✓ 2,088 Followed by TBNet for Active TB
 - *211 lost to follow up*
 - *106 refused treatment*

1,771 Complete Treatment = 84.8%

Class 3 Active TB:
TBNet Treatment Success (1/1/2018 to 12/31/2019)

- ✓ 131 Class 3 Active TB Cases Referred
- ✓ 123 Treatment Recommended
 - *2 deceased*
- ✓ 121 Followed by TBNet for Active TB
 - *22 lost to follow up*
 - *1 refused treatment*

98 Complete Treatment = 81.0%*

** Preliminary Data some cases still actively being case managed*



Health Network Enrollment Criteria

1

Patient is:

- Mobile / Migrant
- Thinking of leaving area of care

2

Patient has:

- Need for clinical follow-up
- Working phone number or family member with phone number
- Signed MCN consent form
- Clinical base or enrolling clinic

CONFIDENTIAL

- Confidentiality is critical to all MCN staff and all Health Network procedures conform to HIPPA standards
- All patients are asked to sign (or have a witness sign) a consent form before enrollment in Health Network



Enrollment Requirements and Forms



ENROLLMENT IN THE MCN HEALTH NETWORK

| | | | |
|--|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Enrolling Clinic | _____ | Clinic phone number(s) | _____ |
| E-mail address | _____ | Clinic fax number(s) | _____ |
| Contact person at Clinic | _____ | | |
| Security Question #1: | Patient's city of birth? | _____ | _____ |
| Security Question #2: | Patient's father's first name? | _____ | _____ |
| Please indicate the health area(s) for which the participant is being enrolled. If the participant's health status changes during enrollment in the Health Network, additional areas may be added with the participant's verbal consent. | | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis | <input type="checkbox"/> HIV |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal Care | <input type="checkbox"/> General Health |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer | |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | |

CONSENT FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

| | | | |
|----------------|-------|---------------------------------|-------|
| First Name | _____ | Last Name(s) | _____ |
| Nicknames, Etc | _____ | Birth Date (Month / Day / Year) | _____ |

I agree to notify my future health care providers of my enrollment in the MCN Health Network to help facilitate the transfer of my medical records. I understand and consent to MCN maintaining records containing sensitive health information (examples: HIV status a information about mental health issues) if my health care provider believes this information is needed for my treatment. I authorize and future health care providers to have access to those medical records that my health care providers feel are necessary for my medical treatment and/or continued screening.

Authorized individuals from MCN may contact me by phone, email, or in person regarding follow up and referral for my treatment for my conditions. These individuals will adhere to federally mandated confidentiality, privacy and security procedures. **This consent remains in effect for two years (24 months) from the date of my participation in the Health Network.** If my participation in the Health Network has ended for another reason, I can submit a written request any time to leave the Health Network. I limit the health issues that MCN is authorized to address. I also understand that I have a right to receive a copy of my medical records on file with MCN upon written request.

I HEREBY RELEASE MCN, ITS EMPLOYEES, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, CONSULTANTS, REPRESENTATIVES, SUCCESSORS, AND ASSOCIATES FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, CAUSES OF ACTIONS, DAMAGES, LOSSES, EXPENSES (INCLUDING ATTORNEYS' FEES), AND LIABILITIES, WHETHER KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, WHATSOEVER ARISING OUT OF MY ENROLLMENT IN THE HEALTH NETWORK AND MY HEALTH CARE TREATMENT RESULTS IN THE HEALTH NETWORK.

| | | | |
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| *PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE (or Signature of Legal Representative) | _____ | Date | _____ |
| Relationship of Legal Representative to Patient | _____ | Witness Signature | _____ |

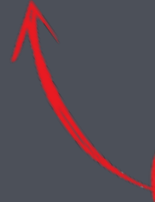
We recommend that, whenever possible, you provide the participant with a copy of this Consent for Release of Medical Information and Network Enrollment form when it is completed.

**GIVES MCN STAFF
LEGAL PERMISSION
TO TRANSFER
PARTICIPANTS'
MEDICAL RECORDS
AND CONTACT
PARTICIPANTS**

**VALID IF SENT
WITHIN 5 BUSINESS
DAYS OF BEING
SIGNED BY PATIENT,
REMAINS VALID FOR
24 MONTHS FROM
THE DATE SIGNED**

**PARTICIPANTS MAY
RENEW THEIR
CONSENT AFTER IT
EXPIRES IF THEY
STILL NEED
ASSISTANCE**

**MUST HAVE THE
PARTICIPANT'S
SIGNATURE OR
THE SIGNATURE
OF A WITNESS TO
CONSENT**



PARTICIPANT INFORMATION SHEET | MCN HEALTH NETWORK

*REQUIRED

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| First Name | | | Last Name(s) | | | |
| Mother's Maiden Name | | | Birth Date (Month / Day / Year) | | | |
| Place of birth: | City | Gender: | | <input type="checkbox"/> Female | <input type="checkbox"/> Male | |
| | State | Marital Status: | | <input type="checkbox"/> Single | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
| | Country | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Married | <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed | |
| Race/Ethnicity: | <input type="checkbox"/> White – Non-Hispanic/Latino | | <input type="checkbox"/> Black – Non-Hispanic/Latino | | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian – Non-Hispanic/Latino | | <input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | |
| Language(s) Spoken: | <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Creole | Language you prefer to be contacted in: | | | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | | | |
| Occupation(s) (from past two years): | <input type="checkbox"/> Farmworker | | <input type="checkbox"/> Construction | | <input type="checkbox"/> Retired | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Homemaker | | <input type="checkbox"/> Factory | | <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployed | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Student | | <input type="checkbox"/> Child care | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | |
| Current Residence: | <input type="checkbox"/> Farmworker Camp Housing | | <input type="checkbox"/> Jail | | <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Home | | <input type="checkbox"/> ICE Detention Center | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | |

MUST HAVE THE WORKING PHONE NUMBERS OR E-MAIL

CURRENT CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANT:

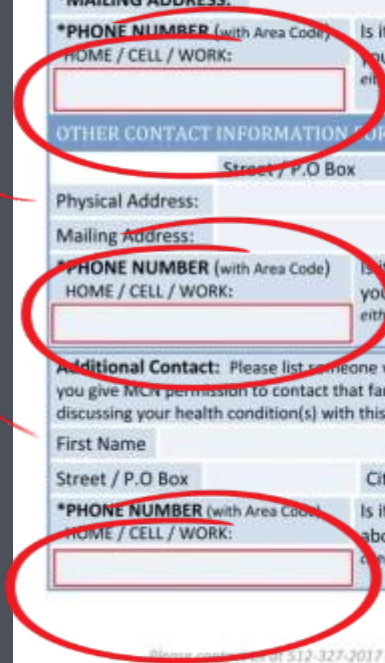
| | | | |
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| Street / P.O. Box | City | State | Zip/Country |
| *PHYSICAL ADDRESS: | | | |
| *MAILING ADDRESS: | | | |
| *PHONE NUMBER (with Area Code) HOME / CELL / WORK: | Is it ok if we talk to people that answer this phone about your personal health information? (if you do not check off either box, or you do not initial, your answer will be "No") | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | *INITIALS: |

OTHER CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANT (Place you normally move to):

| | | | |
|--|--|---|-------------|
| Street / P.O. Box | City | State | Zip/Country |
| Physical Address: | | | |
| Mailing Address: | | | |
| *PHONE NUMBER (with Area Code) HOME / CELL / WORK: | Is it ok if we talk to people that answer this phone about your personal health information? (if you do not check off either box, or you do not initial, your answer will be "No") | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | *INITIALS: |

Additional Contact: Please list someone we can contact if we cannot reach you at either of the locations you provided. In doing this you give MCN permission to contact that family member or friend to assist you in receiving continued health care, which may require discussing your health condition(s) with this individual. You do not have to provide this additional contact information.

| | | | |
|--|--|---|-------------|
| First Name | Last Name | Relationship to Participant | |
| Street / P.O. Box | City | State | Zip/Country |
| *PHONE NUMBER (with Area Code) HOME / CELL / WORK: | Is it ok if we talk to people that answer this phone about your personal health information? (if you do not check off either box, or you do not initial, your answer will be "No") | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | *INITIALS: |





2 Ways to Enroll



Option 1

We Interview:

1. Simply have us interview the patient, we explain the program, fill out the forms
2. We will then fax the forms to you to have the patient sign them*
3. Then fax us the signed forms along with the patient's medical records

**Please be ready to have the patient sign the faxed consent form immediately after an interview.*



Option 2

You Interview:

1. Fill out the information about the patient
2. Have the patient sign the consent form and provide all the contact information (must include phone numbers)
3. Fax the signed forms and medical records to Health Network staff

Regardless of which option you pick, we will need...

1. The signed consent form
2. First name and Last name
3. Date of birth
4. Reliable communication link

before we can provide the navigation for the patient.

Team-Based Approach



Health Network Summary of Services



Contacts patients on a scheduled basis



Contacts clinics on a scheduled basis



Assists patients in locating clinics for services and resources.
Transportation/Scheduling



Report outcome back to enrolling clinic

Tools for Maintaining a Patient in Care



Medical Records and Care Coordination Card
Tarjeta de Expedientes Médicos y Coordinación de Salud

1-800-825-8205

For calls and text: **(443) 305-9383**
WhatsApp: **512-632-4130**
www.migrantclinician.org

THIS IS **NOT** A MEDICAL INSURANCE CARD
ESTO NO ES UNA TARJETA DE SEGURO MÉDICO

ATTENTION PROVIDERS: This client is a user of the MCN Health Network. MCN can help access:
ATENCIÓN PROVEEDORES: Este paciente es usuario de la Red de Salud MCN. MCN les puede ayudar a encontrar:

This patient's medical record *El expediente médico de este paciente*
This patient's lab results *Los resultados de laboratorio de este paciente*
Resources for financial assistance *Recursos para ayuda económica*

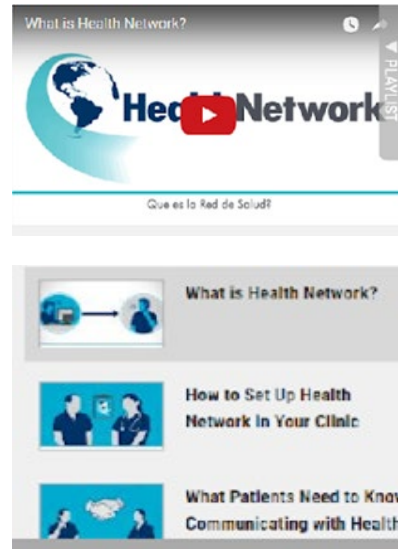
This is a free service *El servicio es gratis*
1-800-825-8205

For calls and text messages: **(443) 305-9383**
(Google Voice):
WhatsApp: **512-632-4130**

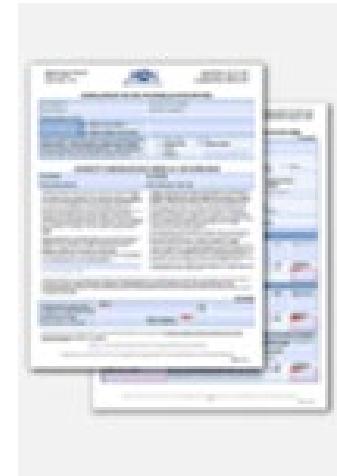
Make sure patients have the HN toll free number:

800-825-8205

Enrollment resources at your fingertips:
www.migrantclinician.org/services/network



**Informational
Videos about
Health Network**



**Download Enrollment
Packets in English,
Kreyol, Portuguese
and Spanish**

Business Associates Agreements

HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT

THIS HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is entered into effective [Date] (the "Effective Date"), by and between Migrant Clinicians Network ("MCN", "Business Associate", or "Party") and [Organization] (the "Covered Entity" or "Party") (collectively referred to as the "Parties").

Business associate and covered entity have a business relationship (the "Relationship" or the "Agreement") in which business associate may perform functions or activities on behalf of covered entity involving the use and/or disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by, business associate on behalf of covered entity. Therefore, if business associate is functioning as a business associate to covered entity, business associate agrees to the following terms and conditions set forth in this HIPAA Business Associate Agreement.

Definitions

General definition:

The following terms used in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as those terms in the HIPAA Rules: Breach, Data Aggregation, Designated Record Set, Disclosure, Health Care Operations, Individual, Minimum Necessary, Notice of Privacy Practices, Protected Health Information, Required by Law, Secretary, Security Incident, Subcontractor, Unsecured Protected Health Information, and Use.

Specific definitions:

(a) **Business Associate.** "Business Associate" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "business associate" at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean ANZ.

(b) **Covered Entity.** "Covered Entity" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "covered entity" at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean [Insert Name of Covered Entity].

(c) **HIPAA Rules.** "HIPAA Rules" shall mean the Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules at 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

Obligations and Activities of Business Associate

Business Associate agrees to:

(a) Not use or disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by the Agreement or as required by law.

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Required to be compliant with HIPAA



Contact Us

- Health Network telephone:
800-825-8205 (U.S.)
01-800-681-9508 (from Mexico)
- Health Network fax: **512-327-6140**
- MCN website: <http://www.migrantclinician.org/>

If you have additional questions about the program, you may also contact:

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