Health Networks in Saskatchewan

Integrated Home Care and Primary Health Care: What works?

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VISION: HEALTHY PEOPLE, HEALTHY SASKATCHEWAN

Strategic Goal:
Connected Care for the People of Saskatchewan:

Improve team-based care in communities and reduce reliance on acute care services

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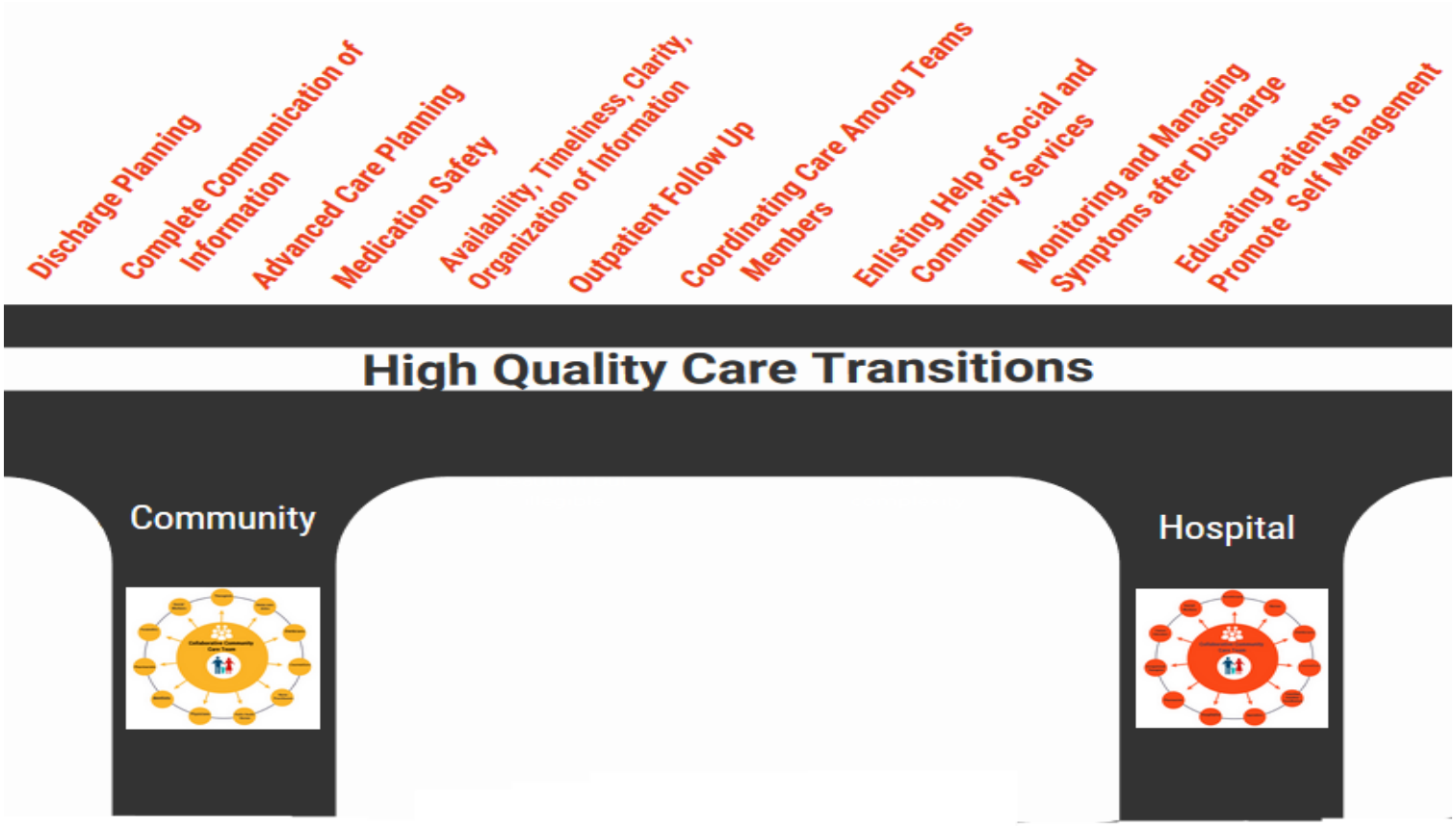
Connected Care Framework



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Health Networks are collaborative teams of health professionals, including professionals, including physicians, and community partners providing fully integrated services to meet the health needs of individuals and communities

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Why Change?

Reality Check 2014

- People working in siloes
- Services difficult to acce
- Disconnected teams
- Lack of consistent care
- Uncoordinated care delivery
- Waste
- Over-reliance on acute/ER/specialty services

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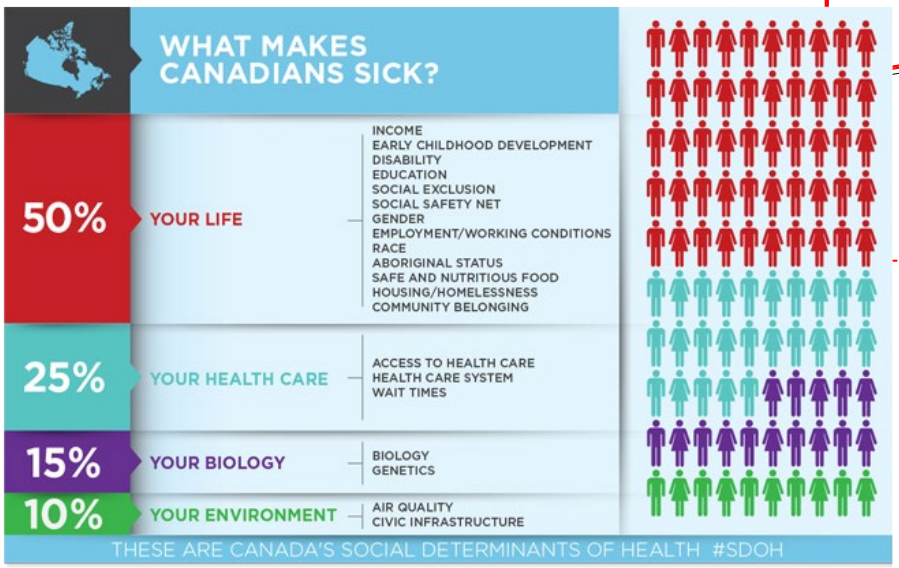
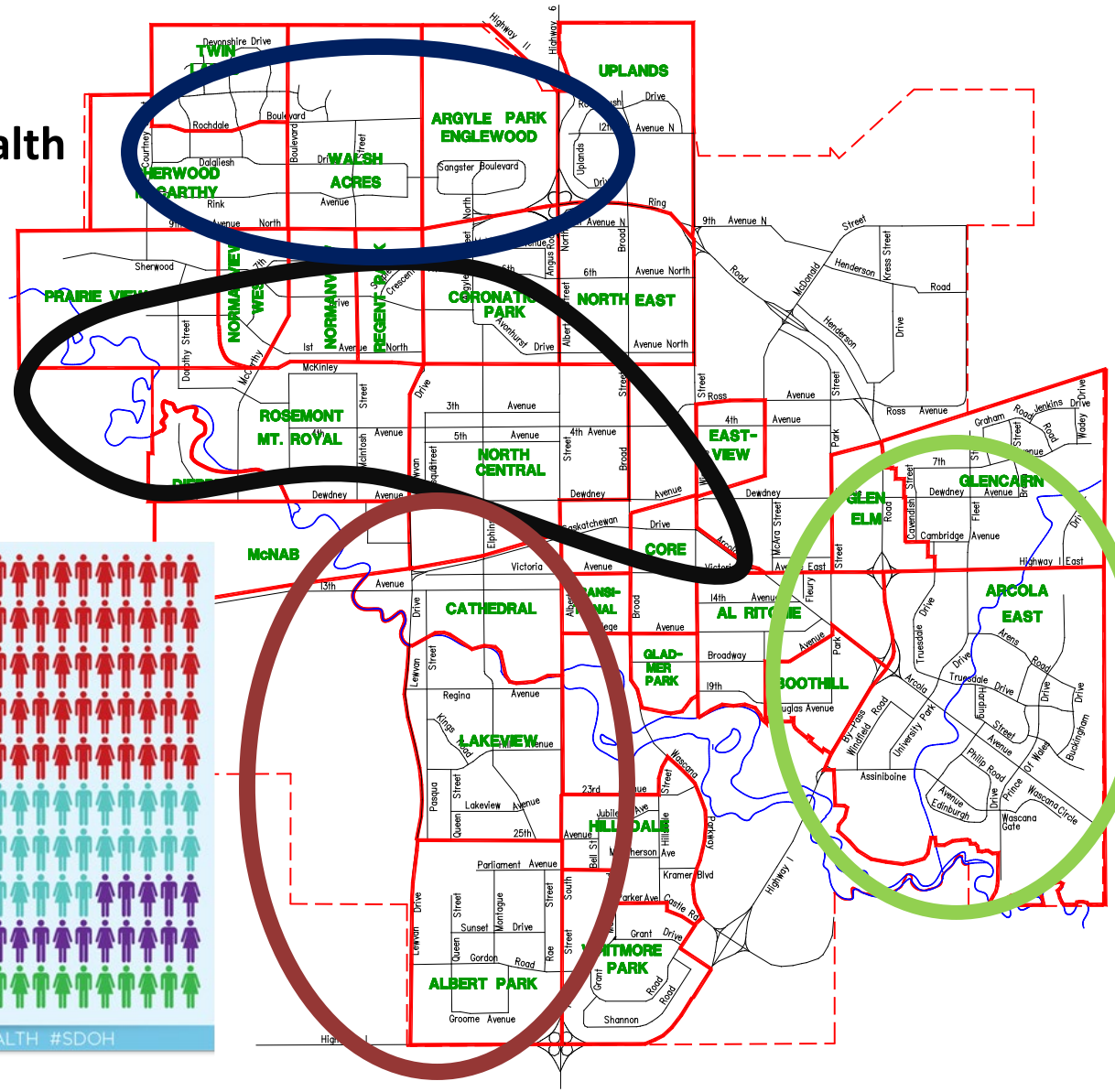
Data informed decision making

- Census data
- Social Determinants of Health
- Burdon of disease
- Hospital utilization

Equity does not mean equal





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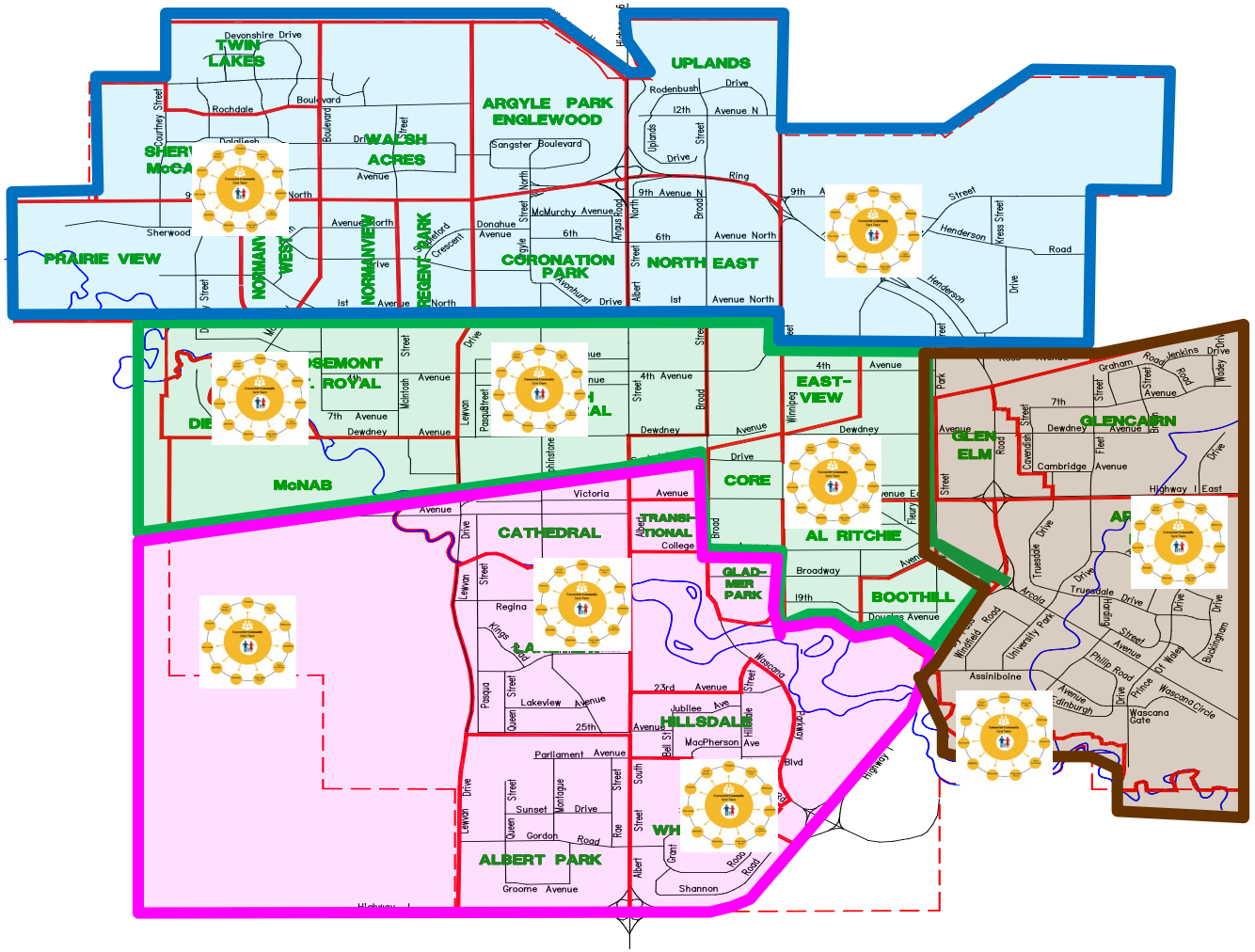

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Anatomy of a Network

HIGH QUALITY TRANSITIONS

ER
Acute
Speciality

Connecting to Care
Senior House Calls
Community IV Therapy

Community Paramedicine
Home Care
Chronic Disease Support
Treatment Centre

Primary Health Care Clinics
Family Physicians
Pharmacy Services
Public Health
Health Promotion

Acute Services

Complex Services

Intermediate Services

Community Services

Prevention • Treatment • Rehabilitation • Navigation

CAPABILITIES IN PRIMARY HEALTH CARE NETWORK

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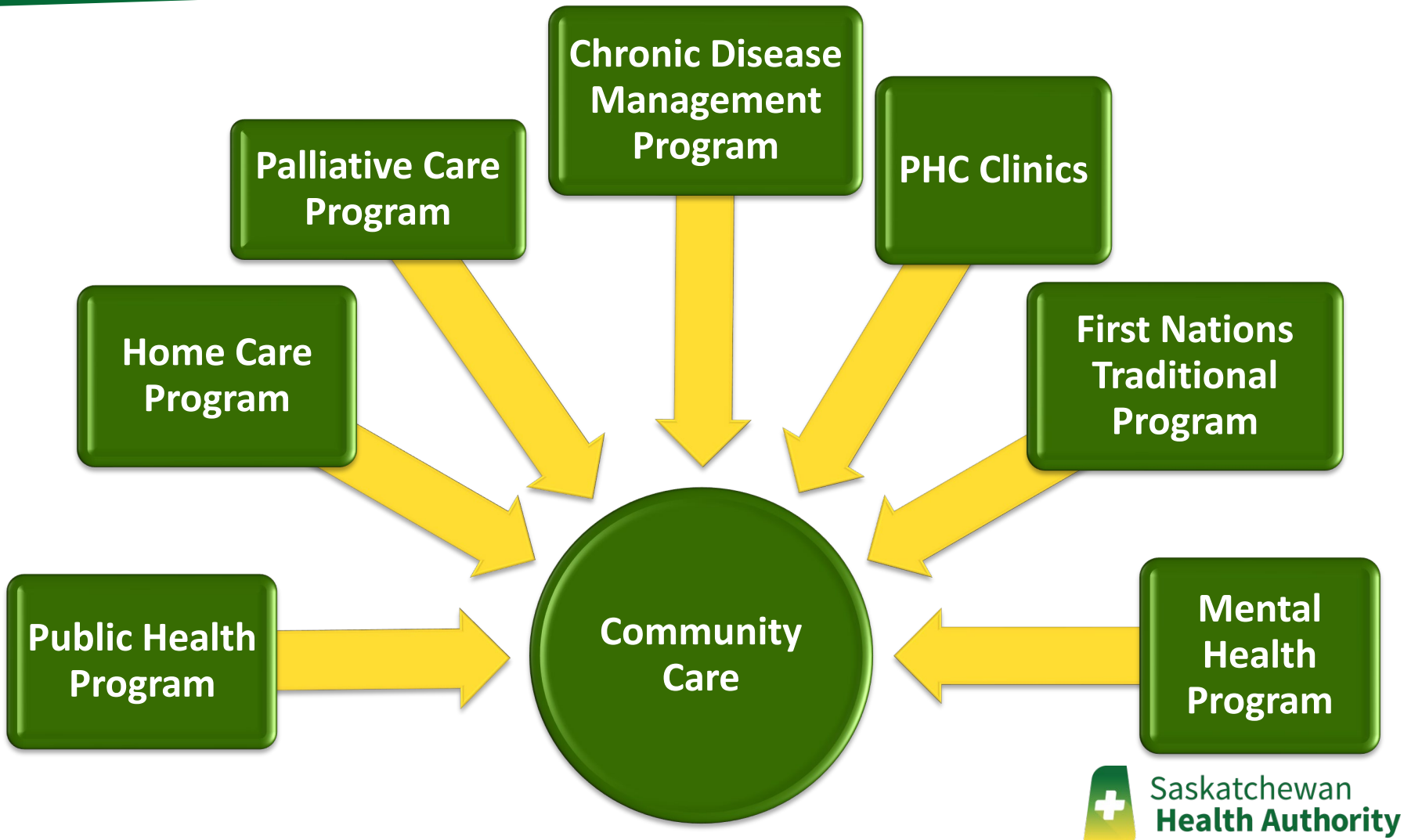
Traditional Service Model



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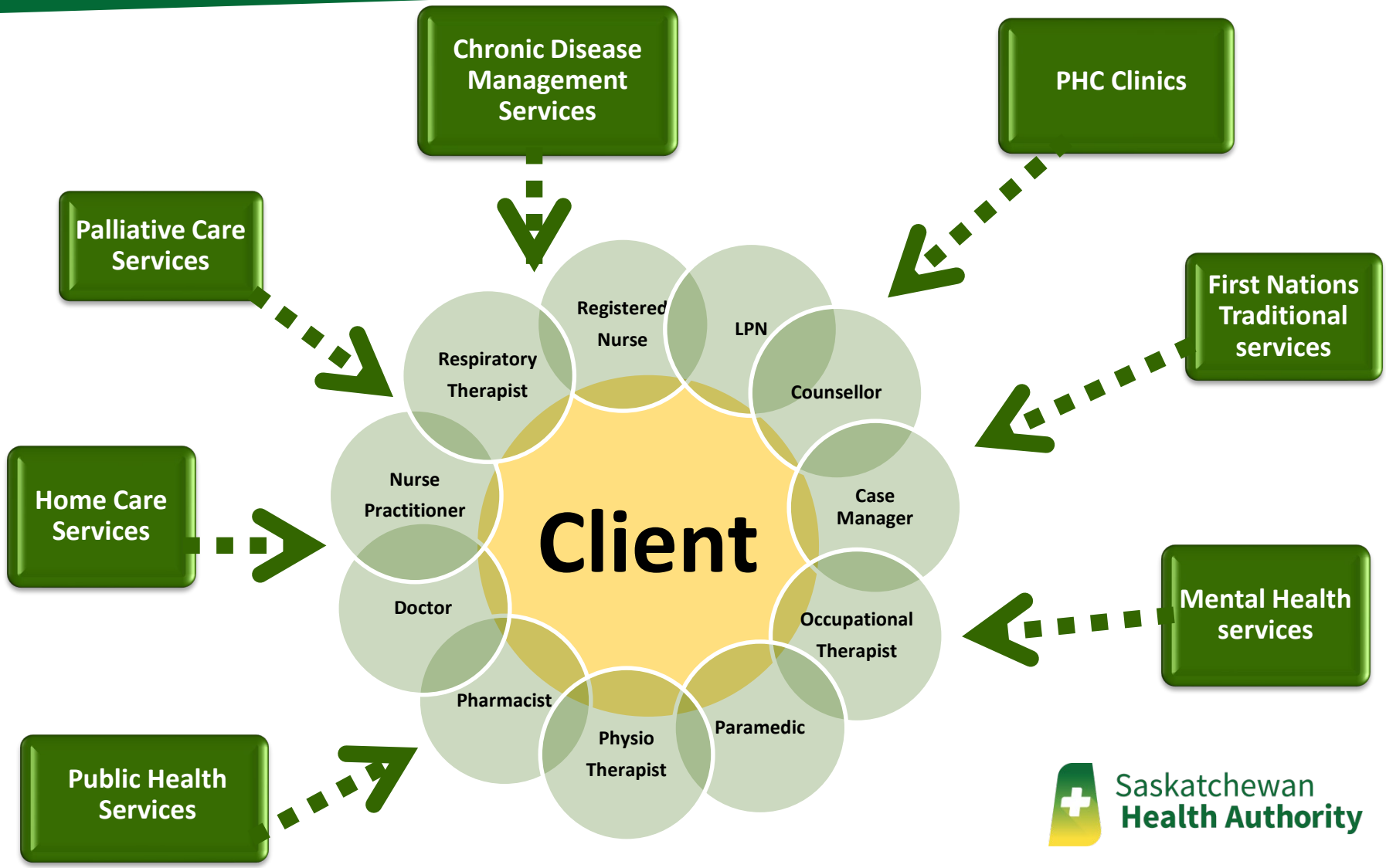
Integrated Service Model



Philosophy of Integration

- Accountable
- Support from birth to death
- Responsive
- Coordinated
- Longitudinal vs episodic

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Examples of Integration

- Network Team
- Home Care and Chronic Disease
- Clients and Families
- Family Physicians
- Community
- Acute Care and LTC

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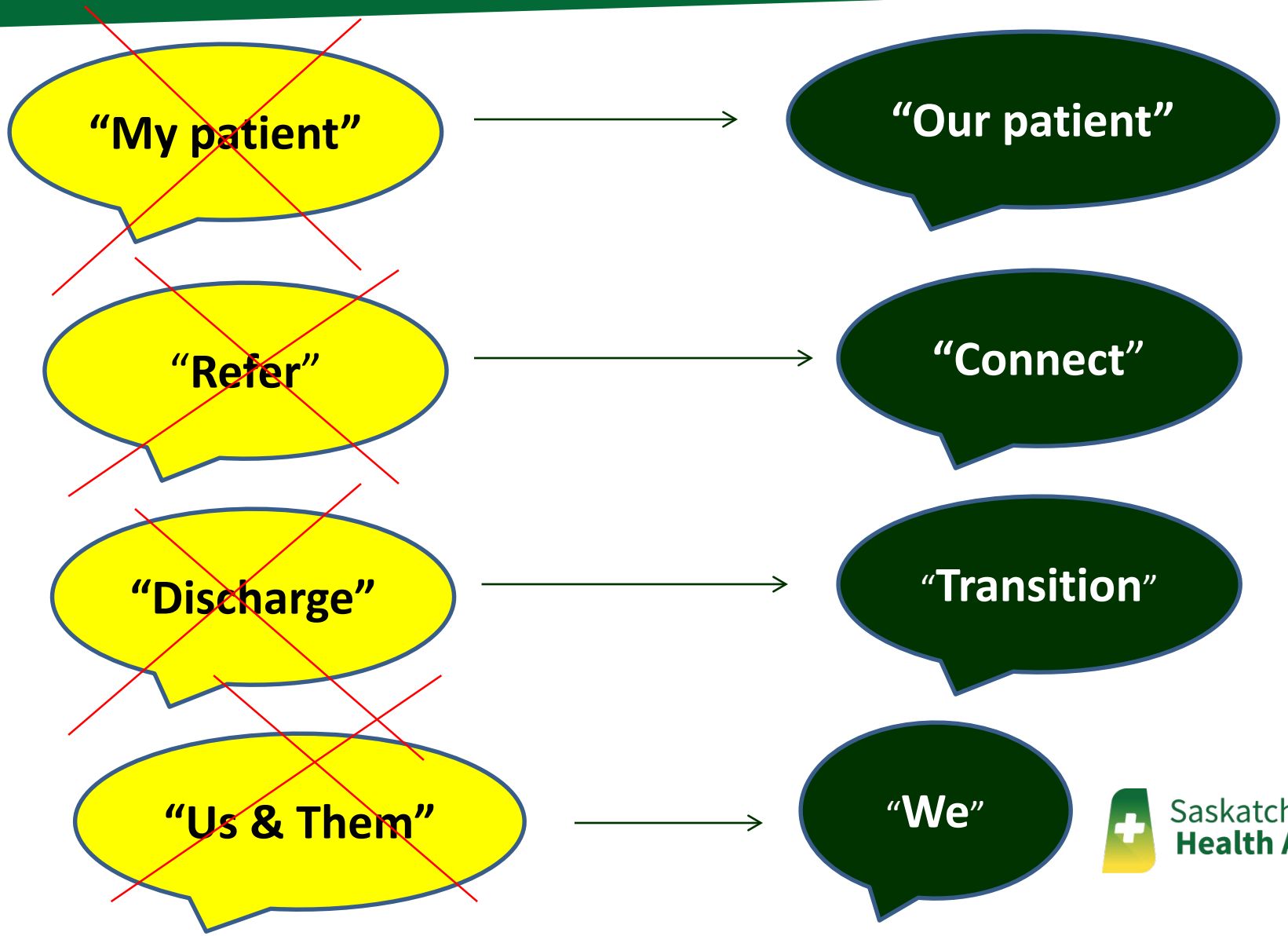
Change your language, change your culture!



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Daily Visual Management

Accountability

40% decrease in OT

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Purposeful Huddles

Connected Care

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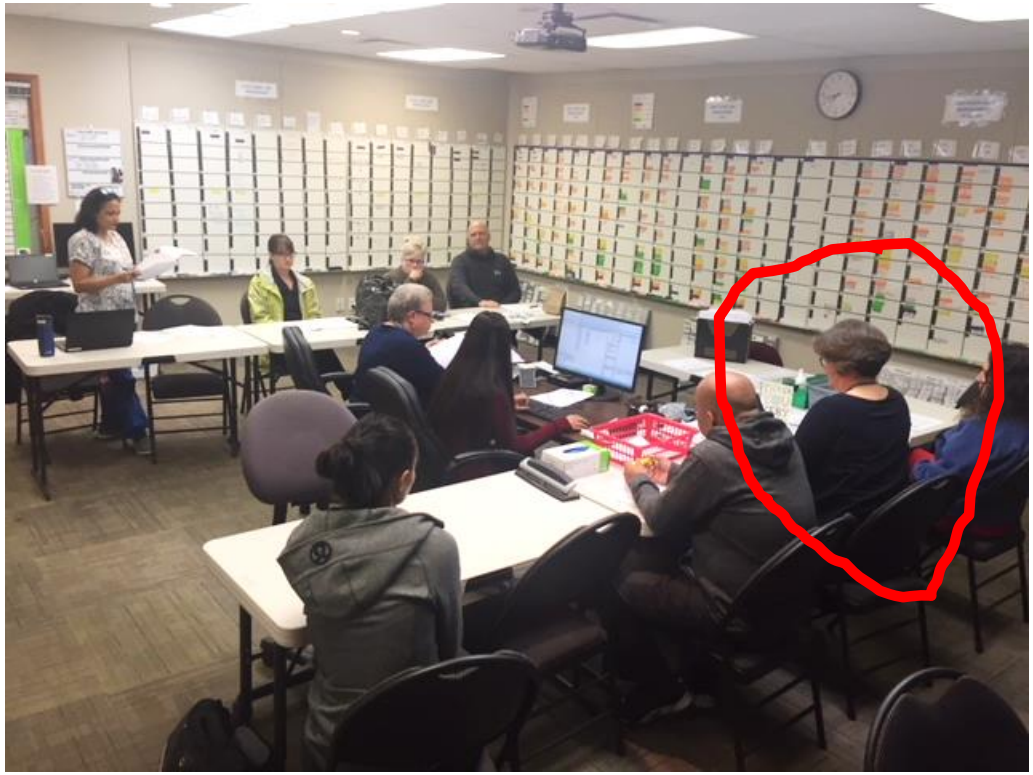
Leadership Presence

“Leaders don’t force people to follow them, they invite them on a journey”



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Key Success Factors

- Change Management
- Trust
- Inclusion/Engagement
- Presence
- Challenge

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Challenges/Barriers

- Multiple communication systems
- Co-location
- Technology/billing codes
- Organization/System (size)

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