

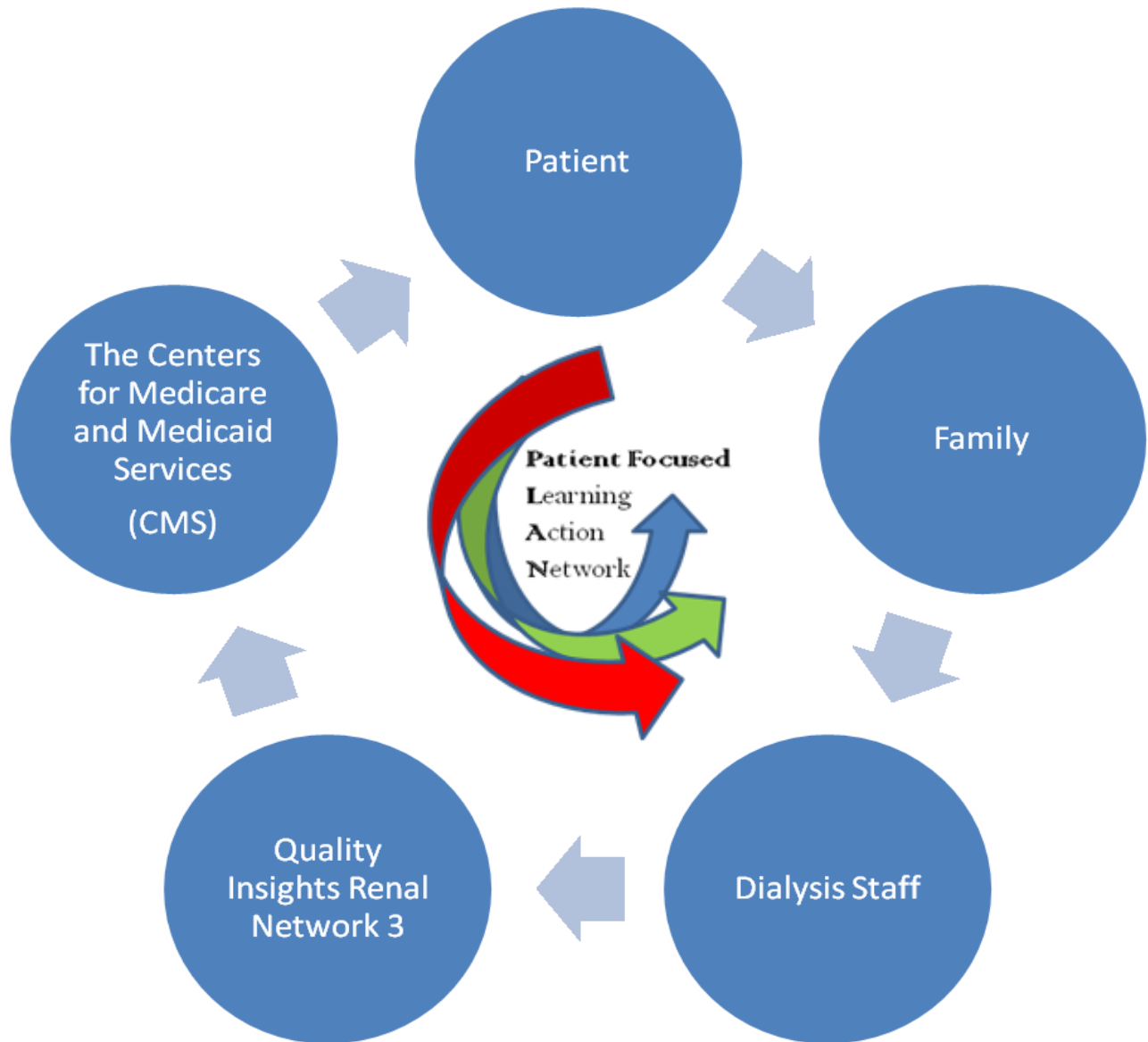


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QUALITY INSIGHTS RENAL NETWORK 3 “PATIENT FOCUSED LEARNING AND ACTION NETWORK”

MISSION STATEMENT

The Patient and Family Focused Learning and Action Network (LAN) will ensure that patients are empowered to advocate for the best quality of care possible in the End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) community. Patients' knowledge and energy will help move the LAN activities forward. Members will be engaged in an action-based agenda to ensure the activities of the LAN will be focused on the needs of the ESRD community of patients.



Subject Matter Expert (SME) Participant Agreement Form

Below is my information for use in Network 3 LAN communications:

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name of Current Dialysis Unit: _____

Modality: Hemodialysis Peritoneal Dialysis Transplant

Dialysis Schedule: M/W/F Time: _____ T/T/S Time: _____

Transplant Listed? Yes No

Computer Access? Yes No

Please read and check statements below:

I agree to participate as a SME for QIRN3. I authorize Network 3 to utilize my name and email address for specific Patient Learning and Action Network (LAN) communications.

I further authorize QIRN3 to use my name where necessary in LAN meeting minutes, and in listing LAN members in reports to The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____



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Member Responsibilities

- The Patient and Family Focused Learning and Action Network (LAN) is a volunteer committee. Dialysis and transplant patients, as well as family members, who volunteer their time as Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) will be asked to attend four telephone meetings per year. There will be one in person meeting every year. This in-person meeting will be centrally located for LAN members to attend.
- The LAN is tasked by Medicare with developing two educational campaigns. These campaigns will be shared throughout QIRN3's regional dialysis facilities and renal communities. The LAN members will decide the topics for these campaigns during the teleconference meetings held quarterly.
- The LAN has also been tasked by Medicare with creating a Quality Improvement Project. This project will be used in QIRN3's service area including Puerto Rico. The SMEs will decide the focus this quality project will take.
- LAN members will be asked to attend the meetings regularly and provide their knowledge to the Network. Members will be given the opportunity to be part of a national LAN, which is made up of members from the United States, Puerto Rico, and the US Virgin Islands. This is an opportunity to work on a national committee that will report directly to Medicare.

You Can Make the Difference!

Join the Patient and Family Focused Learning and Action Network