#### Physicians Foundation Update

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Supporting physicians to provide high quality care and to take a leadership role in shaping the future of healthcare

- Collaborations
  - AMA, State, and county medical societies
  - Supporting research and influence through Peer reviewed publications
    - PF WC CPP
    - PFBW CPE2
  - Areas of Focus
    - Wellness
    - Practice
    - SDOH
    - Leadership



# PF Weill Cornell CPPL

Dhruv Khullar and Larry Casalino

- Vertical Integration and the Transformation of American Medicine NEJM
- Accountable Care Organization Leaders' Perspectives on the Medicare Shared Savings Program JAMA
- Large Language Models in Health Care: Charting a Path Toward Accurate, Explainable, and Secure AI JGIM
- Burnout, Professionalism, and the Quality of US Health Care JAMA





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#### PFBW CPE2

Lisa Rotenstein and David Bates

- Proportion Of Preventive Primary Care Visits Nearly Doubled, Especially Among Medicare Beneficiaries, 2001–19 Health Affairs, 11/23
- Association of Clinician Practice Ownership With Ability of Primary Care Practices to Improve Quality Without Increasing Burnout JAMA
- Comparison of Work Patterns Between Physicians and Advanced Practice Practitioners in Primary Care and Specialty Practice Settings JAMA
- The Electronic Inbox—Benefits, Questions, and Solutions for the Road Ahead JAMA



### **Health Affairs**

- Sponsor of the article series The Practice of Medicine
  - Telehealth
  - Private equity and physician practice
  - Mental health care
  - Burnout
- Participating in webinars and podcasts
  - Telemedicine and health care spending
  - Trends in primary care
  - How The Ownership and Structure of Health Care Entities Affect Clinicians & Patients



#### Wellness

- RFP grants underway examining the Impact of Generative AI on Physician Wellbeing
- Safe Haven
- All In, Caring for Caregivers
- Dr Lorna Breen Heroes Foundation
- Lorna Breen Healthcare Provider Protection Act
- Nocturnists



#### **Physician Practice**

- Milbank
  - Primary care scorecard parts I and II; highlighting the diminishing supply and increasing demand for primary care and the dramatic underinvestment by payers, training programs, and research, limiting new information on primary care systems, delivery models, and quality
- Medscape surveys- Each year, we assess physician sentiment surrounding the practice environment and patient care, so we can understand where things stand and drive change to enhance physician practice and improve patient health outcomes



### **Drivers of Health**

- The Foundation is continuing its efforts with The Health Initiative to update CMS measures to help physicians address DOH.
  - It started with including screening for SDOH as a MIPS quality metric
  - This year CMS has created CPT G codes and RVU's to pay for screening using an evidence based screening tool as often as every 6 months.
- Physicians Foundation Fellowship Program
  - A one year program for an early career physician to enhance leadership skills and identify a research project around SDOH.
  - This year's fellow is Dr Deborah Rose, a neurology resident at Duke University
- Grants
  - Supporting the integration of SDOH screening in practice



### Leadership

- Continued support for state medical organization leadership programs
- Development of an intensive National Physician Leadership Program with a diverse curriculum developed and delivered through Brandeis University





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