

# *Exemplary Model of Care Delivery for Learners*

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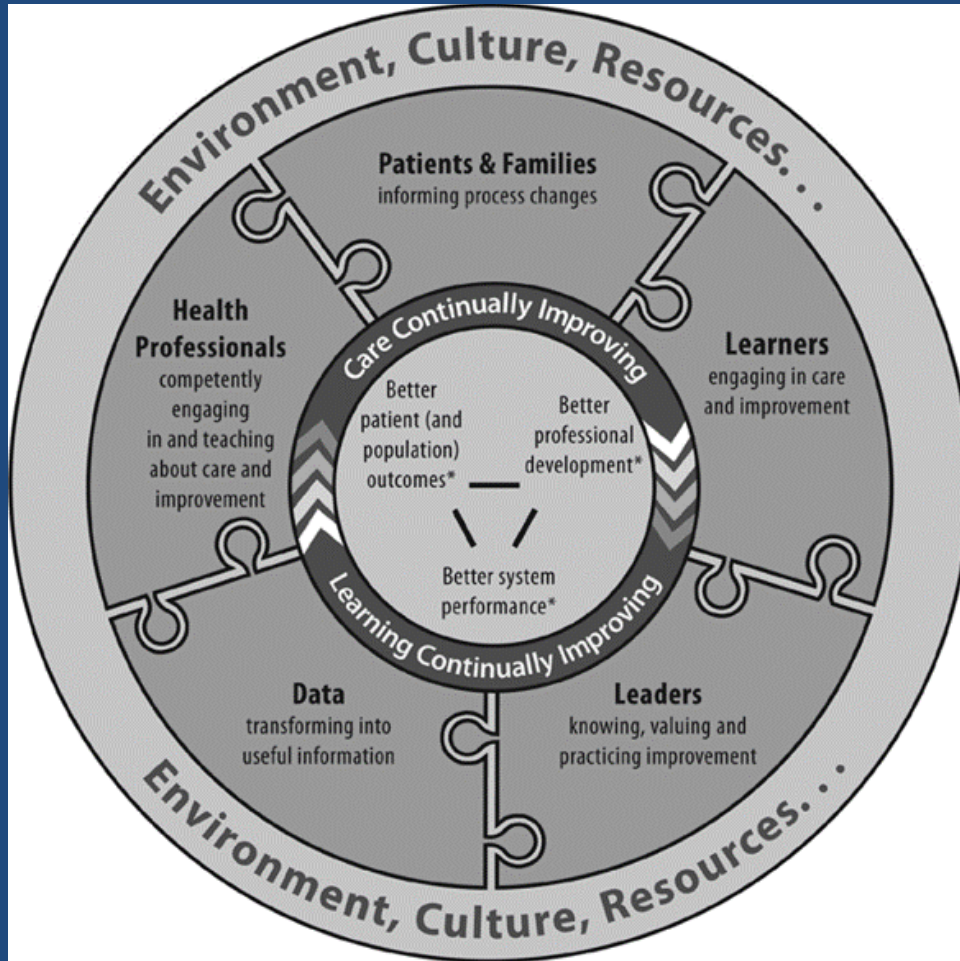
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# Today's Objectives

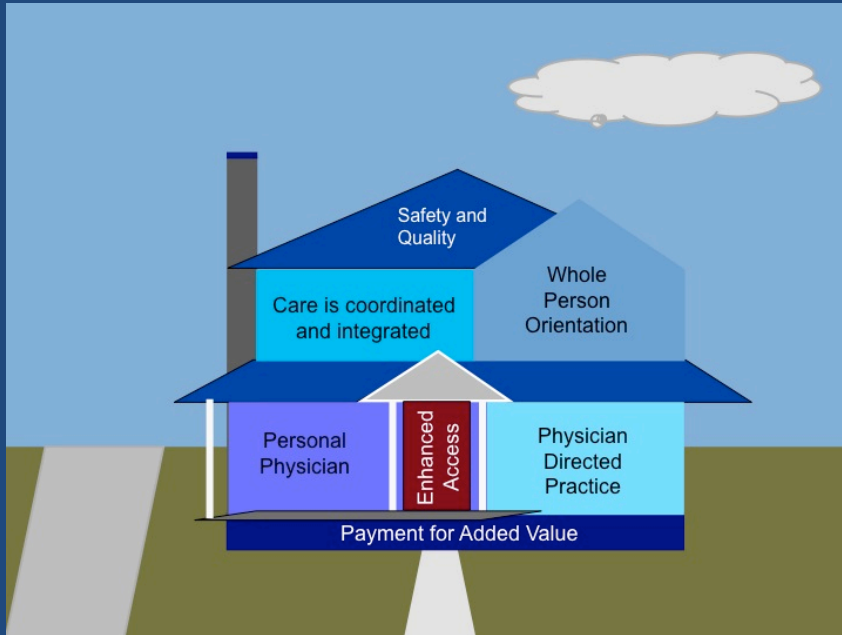
- Describe an educational clinical interprofessional program that uses medical home principles to manage uncontrolled diabetics.
- Provide underlying models used to design the program.
- Share outcomes.

## Exemplary Care and Learning Site Model



- **Better Patient/Population Outcomes**
  - Patient Satisfaction
  - Lifestyle Changes
  - Diabetes Quality Indicators
- **Better Professional Development**
  - Medical Home Principles
  - Diabetes Management
  - Patient Self Management
- **Better System Performance**
  - Quality Improvement: Health Literacy

# Patient Centered Medical Home



- **Physician-directed practice**
  - Internal Medicine Resident plus Social Worker, Pharmacist, Nursing, Medical, Public health students
- **Enhanced Access**
  - Face-to-face office visits
  - Group visits
  - Frequent Phone Calls
- **Care is coordinated and integrated**
  - Student teams
  - Care management
  - Self management
- **Safety and Quality**
  - Quality Improvement
  - Health Literacy

# Program Description

## Who

40+ Patients: DM,  
A1c>9

18-33 Learners:  
Medical, Nursing, SW,  
Pharm Students  
IM Residents

## What

Diabetic Registry  
Face to Face/ Group Visits  
Discipline-specific Roles  
Coordinated Care Plan  
Frequent Phone Calls  
Didactics/Team Mtgs

## When

Academic Semesters  
Jan-May, Aug-Dec  
Weekly Wed AM,  
Thurs PM

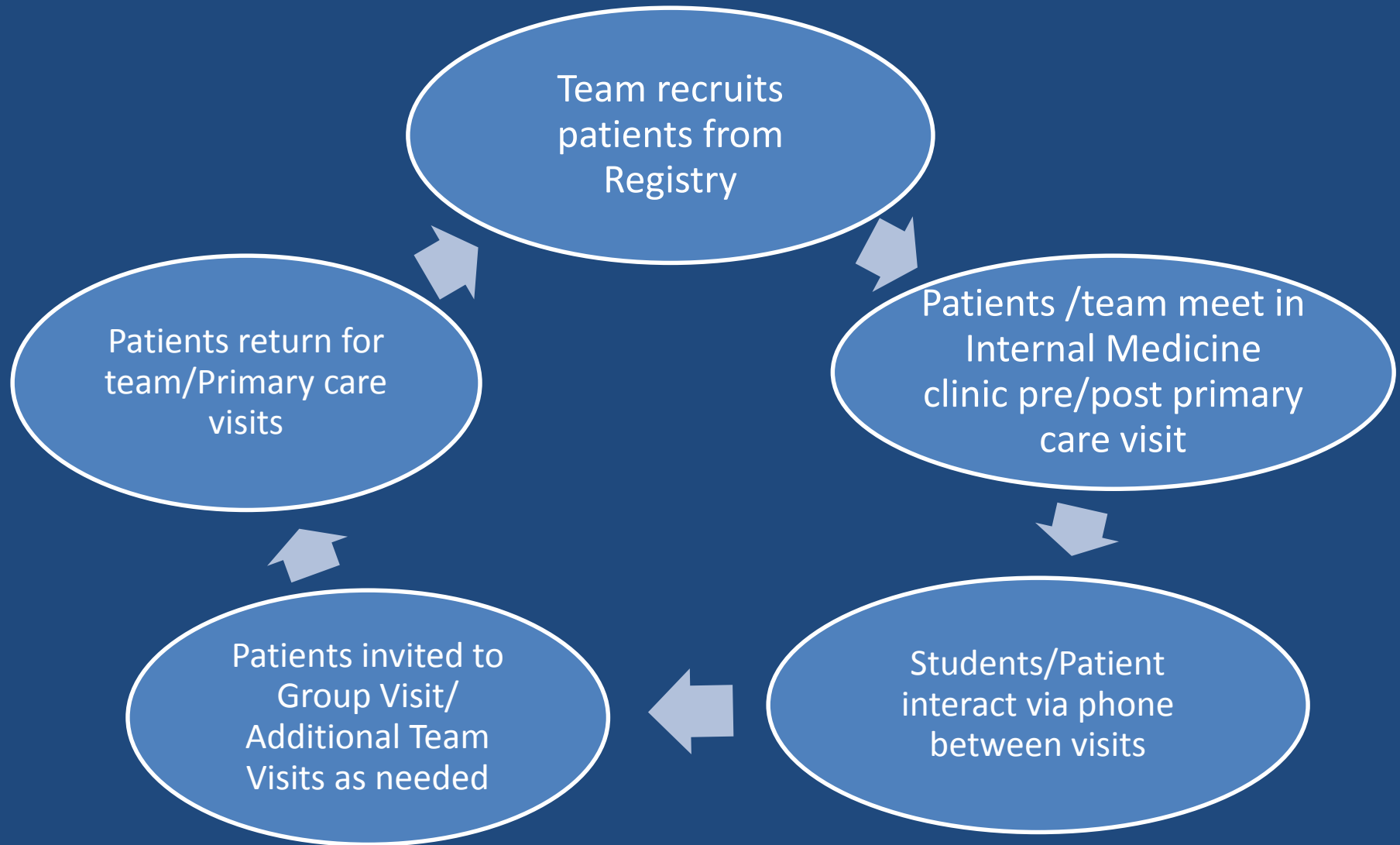
## Where

Ambulatory Clinics  
Internal Medicine  
Residency, Primary care  
faculty practice

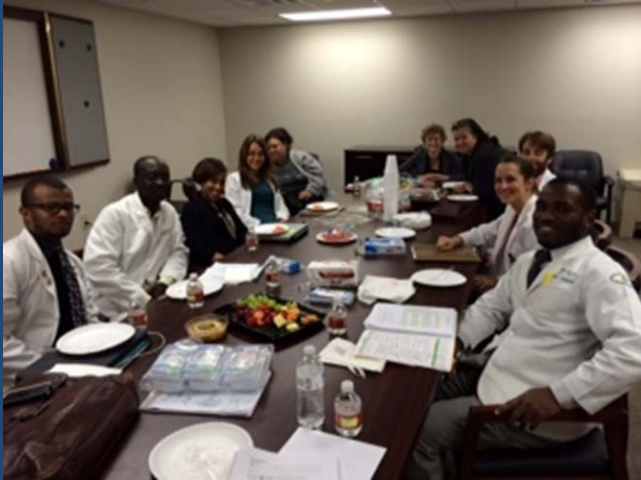
## Why

Enhance Learning/ Improve Care  
Meet need to provide Patient-Centered chronic care  
Meet need to develop Longitudinal Relationships  
Demonstrate how students can provide value

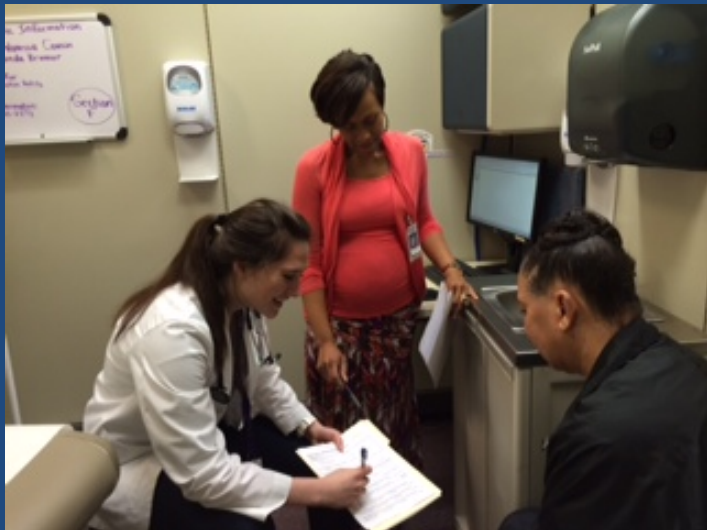
# Clinical Process



## Program Details



Team Meeting



Teach Back Method

- 4 health professional schools at 3 universities
- Elective/Required practicum
- Diabetic patients assigned, 5-6 to each medical /physician assistant student liaison
- Team Meetings:
  - pre visit huddles
  - post visit care plans
  - didactics
  - quality improvement (health literacy)
- Patients receive
  - access
  - screening/exams/prevention
  - education
  - health care coaching

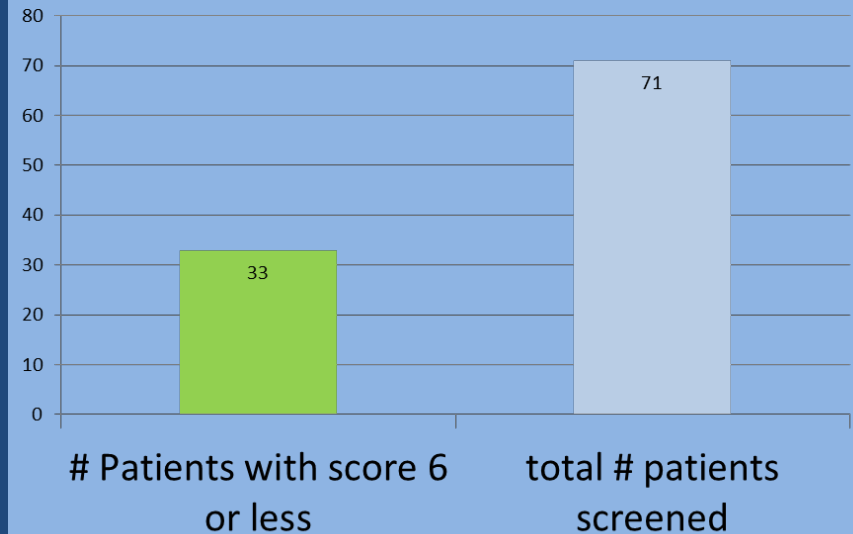


# Quality Improvement: Health Literacy

## Interventions

1. Health Literacy screening using REALM R
2. “What questions do you have?  
Rather than “Do you have any questions?”
3. Group Visits in which patients  
“Dining for diabetics”  
Patient sharing
4. Pill Boxes
5. Feedback re: appropriate dose/  
timing for testing of blood sugar  
and administration of insulin..

## Pilot Health Literacy Screening

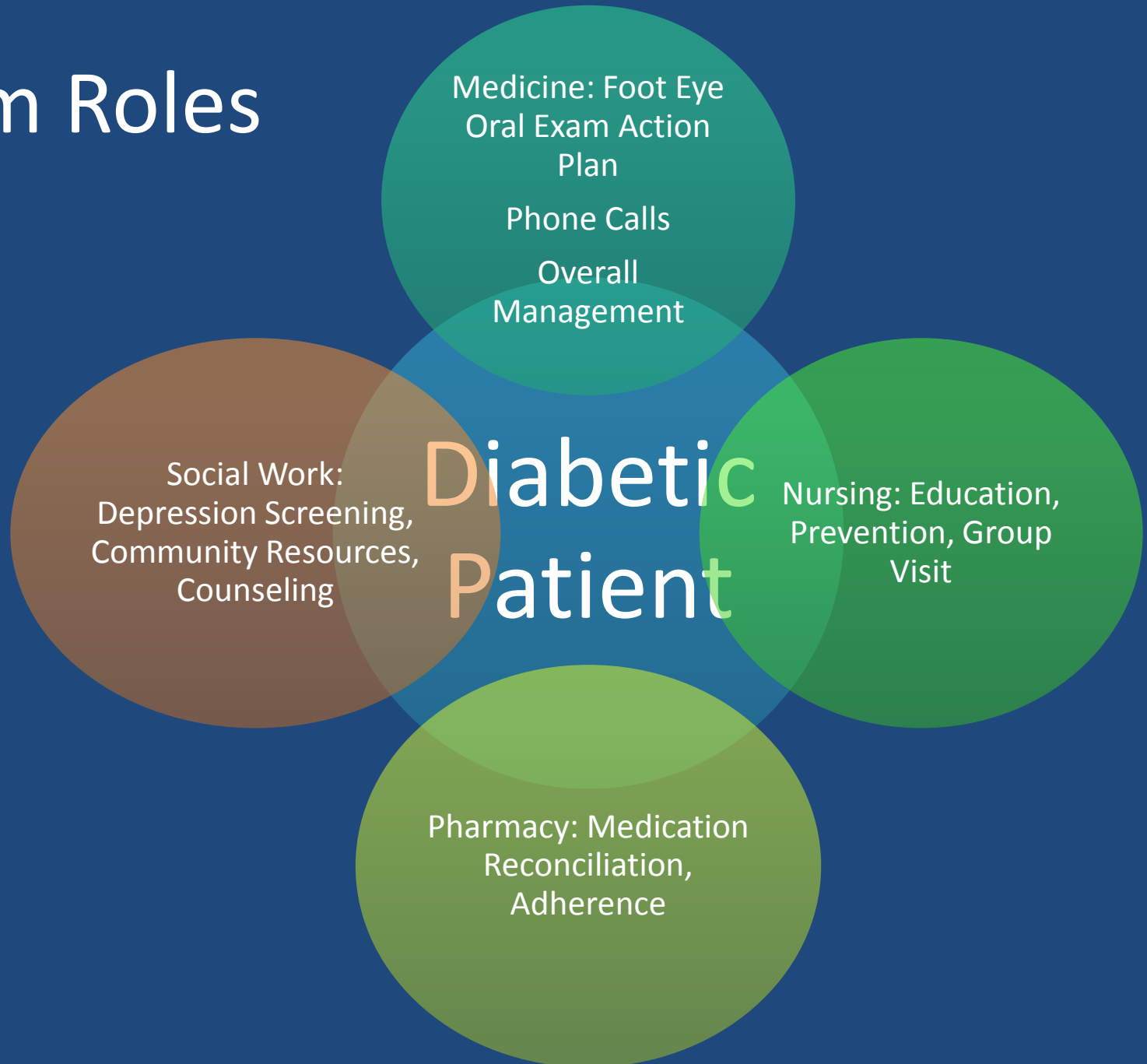




# Current QI Focus

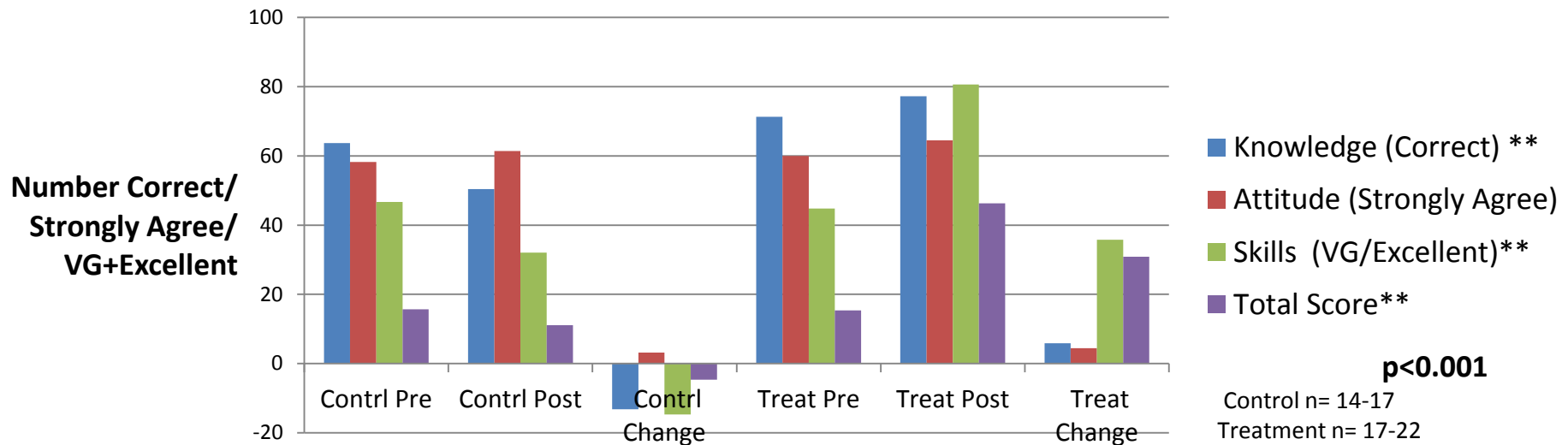
- BP Control
- Smoking
- Cardiovascular Risk Reduction and Statin Prescription

# Team Roles

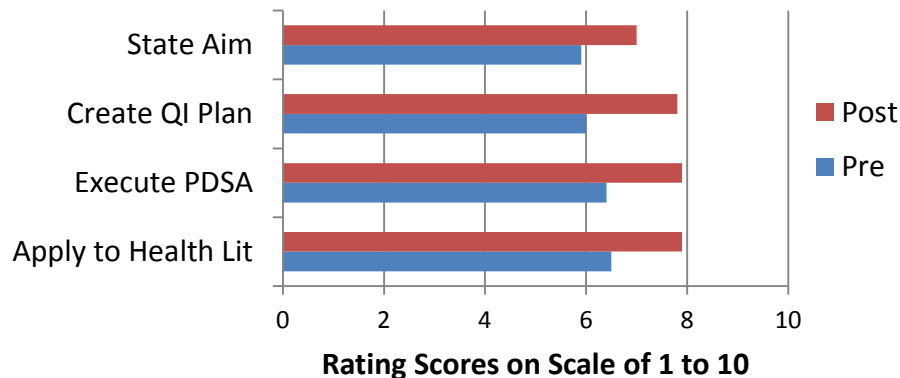


# Educational Outcomes

## Educational Outcomes Aug 2013 - May 2014



## Avg Student (N= 14) QI Confidence Ratings Aug-May 2014



Student comments:

“The value of specific goals”  
 “How to reframe questions”  
 “The excitement of QI when it works”

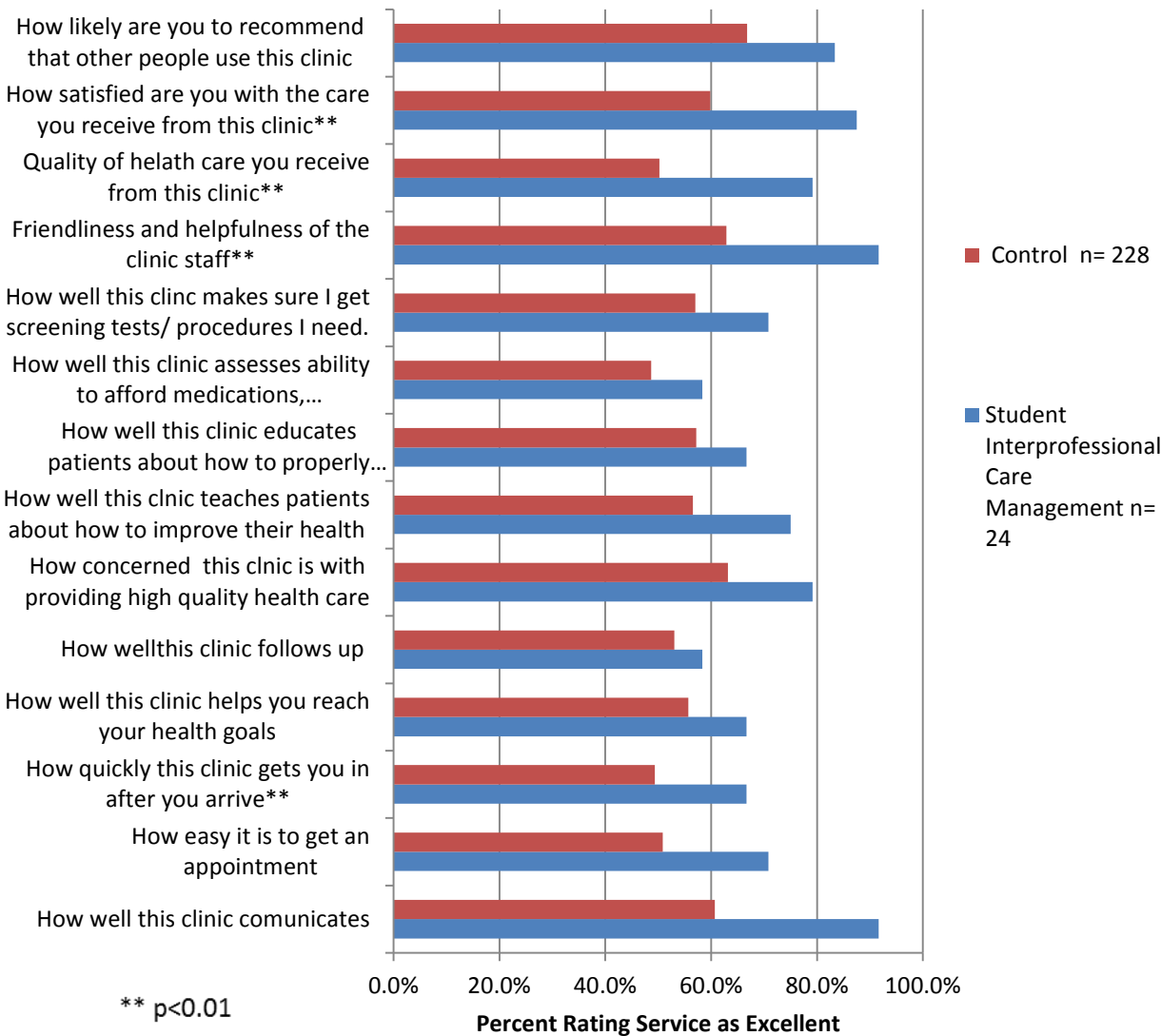
# Patient Outcomes

## Improved Patient Perceptions of Care Improved Healthy Behaviors

- “Walking 15 min 2x day”
  - “Cut out fruit Juices”
  - “No sweeteners or sodas”
  - “Substituting water for Coke”
- “Stopped eating cookies and candy”

No Significant Change  
in A1c, BP

### Medical Home Patient Survey Jan-May 2014



# Summary

- Learning Enhancement—Knowledge, Teamwork Skills
- Care Improvement—Patient Satisfaction, Behavior Changes
- Successful Introduction of Medical Home Principles—QI, Population Management, Teamwork, Coordinated Care, Access
- Successful Implementation of Student Quality Improvement Projects
- ECLS and PCMH Models Useful for Guidance