

REPORT BACK ON CONSERVATORSHIP PROCEDURE PILOT PROGRAM

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SB 1045/40 OVERVIEW



SB 1045/40 establishes a brand new type of conservatorship for a person who is incapable of caring for their own health and well-being due to a serious mental illness and substance use disorder, as evidenced by frequent detention (≥8/year) for evaluation/treatment pursuant to W&IC Section 5150 for the counties of San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego only and as a 5-year pilot.

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CHALLENGES

- Low numbers eligible
- Disproportionate administrative burden associated with implementation
- Lack of evidence for cohort definition

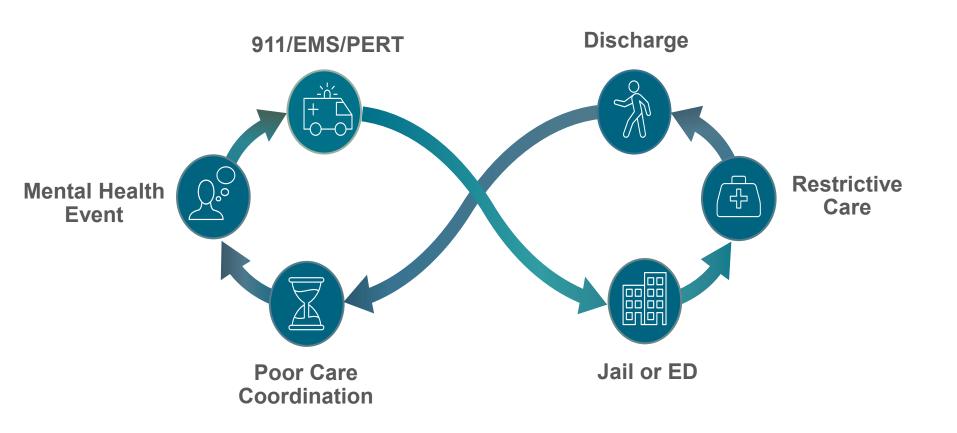
OPPORTUNITIES

- Build more robust services for those with highest needs
- Build services that will stay connected longitudinally

VALUE OF CARE COORDINATION



THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CYCLE



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Works across systems and is person-centered



Workforce qualifications and tailored certification



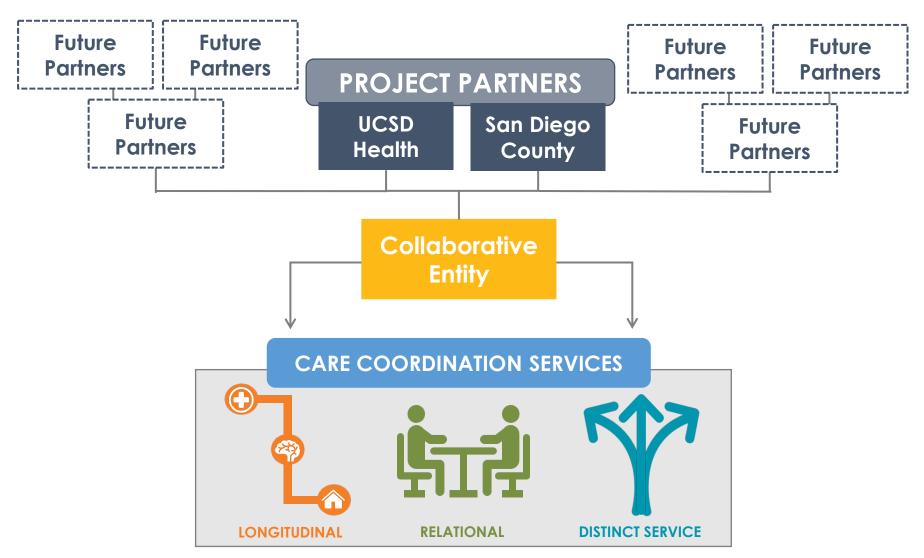
Technology platform with dashboards related to social determinants, behavioral and physical health



Independent structure to oversee care coordinators

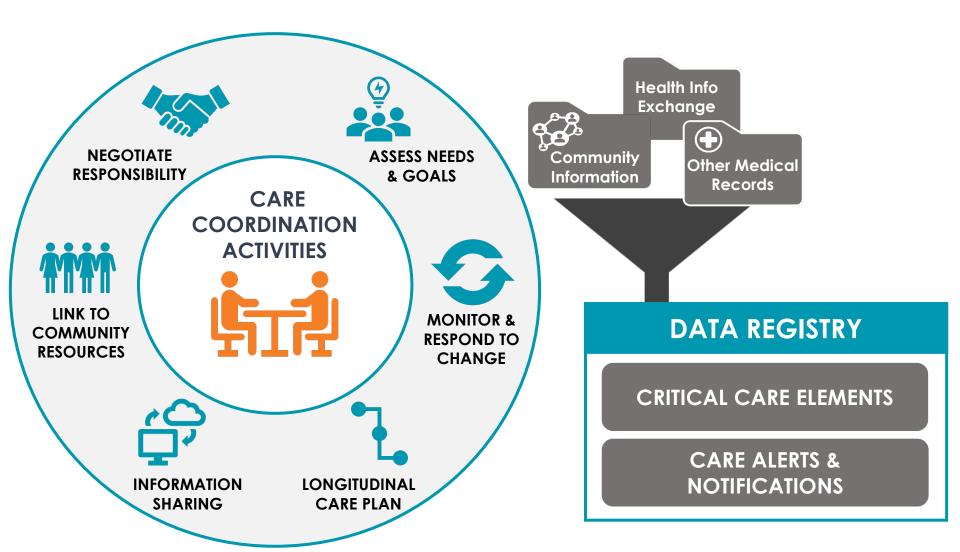
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RECOMMENDED ACTION



Support the board letter recommendation to build upon the existing Care Coordination work and collaborations to address the needs of this vulnerable population and forego implementation of SB 1045/40 in San Diego County



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