



# Health First Colorado's Future: Why APM2 is right for providers

*Greater provider control, more revenue stability, shared cost savings*

Primary Care Providers have the option of using a value-based payment model when caring for Health First Colorado members. That means the power is back in each provider's hands to make the best decisions for their patients to support quality outcomes and healthier patients.

## Benefits of enrolling in APM2

Here are a few the benefits of enrolling in APM2 for providers. All primary care medical providers participating in the Accountable Care Collaborative who have 500 or more attributed Health First Colorado members are eligible.



### Make the health care decisions you want

Freed from utilization as the driving factor for revenue, providers can consistently make the decisions they want for their patients, ensuring the best possible care and better care for chronic conditions.



### Same quality metrics

- Providers already participating in APM1 and meeting those quality standards will find that joining APM2 involves the same standards but adds important control over revenue and potential cost saving sharing.



### Revenue stability

- Providers have the flexibility to choose to have a portion or all of their revenue made as per member per month payments creating a reliable revenue stream that can weather tough challenges like the pandemic and more normal fluctuations as well.



### Revenue control

Providers can select the way they want to receive their payments, so they have an onramp to participation. Providers can decide how far and how fast they join the program and have the option to change their level of participation over time.



### Share of cost savings

Enrolling now in Health First Colorado's value-based payment model lowers administrative burden while also allowing providers to share in cost savings by incentivizing improved primary care and chronic care outcomes.

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## Why you should act now

*Don't wait to enroll if you are eligible.  
Here are **additional benefits** you can expect if you act now.*



### Support for transition

Joining the system now will ensure greater support as you transition.



### Early program entry

By 2025, Health First Colorado aims to have 50% of Medicaid payments tied to a value-based model and all providers will be automatically enrolled into APM2 with the option to opt-out.



### Voice in program structure

The system was created with input from providers of all types, sizes and locations. Make sure your voice is represented in the final structure of the system by joining now.

## Get the data you need to make a decision

Department team members are standing by to help you learn more about how APM2 would benefit your practice or system. Here's how:

1. Reach out to a team member at HCPF [primarycarepaymentreform@state.co.us](mailto:primarycarepaymentreform@state.co.us) and let them know you are interested in learning how APM2 can specifically benefit your practice or system.
2. Request and receive data calculated by actuaries to reflect your current practice rates today and into the future for free and with no commitment to join.
3. Use this data to determine the structure of payments and see what that revenue model can look like for your future.
4. Enroll in APM2 and select the way you want to receive payments, giving you an onramp to participation. You can decide how far and how fast you join the program and have the option to change your level of participation over time.

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