

## Data Bytes

Valley Health Alliance TPA Claims Data Finalized

Community Care Alliance (CCA) has completed the design and implementation of final claims data from the four disparate Third-Party Administrators (TPAs) that pay claims for our six self-funded employer groups within the Valley Health Alliance (VHA). With the finalization of this process, which included negotiating for access to fields such as allowed amount, CCA was able to submit a master historical file to our actuarial firm, Milliman. This master file facilitated the development and presentation of an initial tiered care management fee approach to year 1 of the Valley Health Alliance program. CCA and Milliman will continue to work with the VHA board and the physician steering group called the Clinical Advisory Board to shore up final quality metrics, attribution processes, and benchmarks for successful performance evaluation.

## Community Care Alliance Expands Their Data Power With a New Position

CCA recently announced plans to hire a new Health Data Coordinator to support our Data Innovation Manager in technical and business-related data operations. With the consolidation of two Medicare ACOs and the VHA program, data needs and requirements have expanded rapidly, and our new Coordinator will ensure that CCA remains current with financial and clinical reporting requirements. The Coordinator will also support our ongoing work to connect all participants' EMRs to our Garage platform. Future plans have both the Data Innovation Manager and the Health Data Coordinator developing more intelligent analytic models and forecasts to better support clinical decision making throughout our growing networks.