

MCT2D Practice/Physician Requirements for Nephrologists

<i>Administrative</i>	Appoint a practice liaison.	Determine a liaison in the practice who will work with the physician organization partner to ensure completeness and quality of data. This could be a practice manager; etc.- this person does not have to have a clinical background.
<i>Administrative</i>	Communicate with physician organization.	Respond to inquiries and requests from the physician organization partner regarding participation in the collaborative.
<i>Administrative</i>	Designate a clinical champion.	Each participating practice will be required to designate a clinical champion who will be responsible for disseminating performance, QI, and educational information to sites and helping to advance best practices
<i>Data</i>	Share required data elements with MiHIN.	Work with the physician organization partner to share required data elements for participation with the Michigan Health Information Network (MiHIN) and other participants in the care and care improvement process in accordance with established HIPAA and other regulatory data sharing standards.
<i>Data</i>	Complete additional data fields as necessary.	Although it is anticipated that the vast majority of data will be submitted automatically/electronically the coordinating center may need practice unit assistance with completing some data elements.
<i>Data</i>	Complete social determinants of health screening.	Complete social determinants of health screening for patients with diabetes as required by the coordinating center. This would be on as needed basis, if a social determinants of health assessment has not yet been completed by other providers.
<i>Data</i>	Collect patient reported outcomes.	Distribute and collect patient reported outcomes surveys and support qualitative interview participation. Any qualitative interviews will be conducted by the coordinating center.
<i>Data</i>	Allow data to be used in publications.	Allow data and information to be used in peer-reviewed publications to further advance QI efforts.
<i>Quality</i>	Commit to focusing on quality initiatives.	Learn about the following initial quality initiatives and develop a quality improvement plan for your practice incorporating these principles: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prescribing GLP1 agonists and SGLT2 inhibitors 2. Increasing testing for urine albumin Additional QI initiatives will be driven by the data in collaboration with participants.

<i>Quality</i>	Implement best practices.	Collaborate with the physician organization partner to implement best practices using feedback from the data and other metrics.
<i>Quality</i>	Provide feedback and share best practices.	Provide feedback and ideas for innovation for diabetic kidney disease care quality. Share best practices that your site has successfully implemented with the collaborative through presenting at meetings when requested by physician organization or hospital partner.
<i>Quality</i>	Participate in required training programs.	Participate in training programs hosted by the physician organization partner on new diabetes medications.
<i>Quality</i>	Distribute materials to patients.	Distribute patient education materials and toolkits to patients as provided by the coordinating center.
<i>Quality</i>	Attend required meetings (regional and nephrologist clinical champion).	The clinical champion will be required to attend meetings to learn so that they can take what they've learned at those and implement it in their practice and educate additional team members at the practice.