

## ACO Name and Location

Northwestern Medicine ACO, LLC

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## Organizational Information

### ACO Participants:

ACO Participants	ACO Participant in Joint Venture
Aagaard 5, LLC	N
Advanced Center for Internal Medicine	N
Algimantas S Kerpe	N
Allergy & Asthma Medical Associates	N
Anjali Mehta	N
Anne Marie Kudelka, MD, FACC, Center for Heart Health, LLC	N
Armbrust 7 LLC	N
Beata I Styka	N
Bethany Cluskey	N
Central DuPage Emergency Physicians PC	N
Central DuPage Physician Group	N
Constants Adams	N
David K Zich	N
Diane L Ozog, MDSC	N
Emergency Medical Associates of Palos LTD	N
Ewa V Hampston	N
Grayslake Medical Group	N
Instep Podiatry	N
Internal Medicine Associates	N
JeeYoon Park	N
John Carroll	N
Lakeshore Obstetrics and Gynecology	N

Mass Medical SC	N
Melinda Lukens	N
NM Khan MD SC	N
North Shore Medical Associates	N
North Shore Primary Care	N
North Suburban Family Physicians	N
Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation	N
Northwestern Specialists in Plastic Surgery	N
Northwestern Surgical Associates	N
Palos Medical Group	N
Patricia Katz	N
Perry L Kamel MD SC	N
Personalized Physicians Group LTD	N
Premier General Medicine	N
Radiology Subspecialists of Northern Illinois	N
Ronald W Riegelhaupt	N
Sean D O'Connor MD SC	N
Shelly L Betman MD SC	N
Suburban Neurology Group	N
Surgery Group SC	N
Timothy C Hain	N
Valley Emergency Care Management	N
Wheaton Eye Clinic, LTD	N

*ACO Governing Body:*

Member First Name	Member Last Name	Member Title/Position	Member's Voting Power (Expressed as a percentage)	Membership Type	ACO Participant Legal Business Name, if applicable
Cheryl	Wilkes	MD/Chair	12.5%	Physician Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Patrick	Towne	MD/President	12.5%	Physician/System Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Emily	Kozak	Vice Chair	12.5%	System Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Phillip	Roemer	MD/Voting Member	12.5%	Physician Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Stephen	Persell	MD/Voting Member	12.5%	Physician Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation

Kannan	Mutharasan	MD/Voting Member	12.5%	Physician Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Adam	Sloane	Voting Member	12.5%	System Representative	Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation
Vicki	Faye	Voting Member	12.5%	Medicare Beneficiary Representative	N/A

*Key ACO Clinical and Administrative Leadership:*

ACO Executive: Jessica Walradt

Medical Director: Cheryl Wilkes

Compliance Officer: Justine Dover

Quality Assurance/Improvement Officer: Vanessa Flaherty

*Associated Committees and Committee Leadership:*

Committee Name	Committee Leader Name and Position
Physician and Patient Engagement	Dr. Cheryl Wilkes, Medical Director
Quality Improvement Committee	Vanessa Flaherty

*Types of ACO Participants, or Combinations of Participants, That Formed the ACO:*

- Hospital employing ACO professionals
- Networks of individual practices of ACO professionals

**Shared Savings and Losses**

*Amount of Shared Savings/Losses:*

- Third Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2023, \$0
  - Performance Year 2022, \$0
- Second Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2021, \$0
  - Performance Year 2020, \$0
  - Performance Year 2019, \$0
  - Performance Year 2018, \$0
- First Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2017, \$0
  - Performance Year 2016, \$0
  - Performance Year 2015, \$0

### *Shared Savings Distribution:*

- Third Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2023
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2022
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
- Second Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2021
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2020
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2019
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2018
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
- First Agreement Period
  - Performance Year 2017
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2016
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A
  - Performance Year 2015
    - Proportion invested in infrastructure: N/A
    - Proportion invested in redesigned care processes/resources: N/A
    - Proportion of distribution to ACO participants: N/A

## Quality Performance Results

### *2023 Quality Performance Results:*

Quality performance results are based on the CMS Web Interface collection type.

Measure #	Measure Name	Collection Type	Reported Performance Rate	Current Year Mean Performance Rate (SSP ACOs)
Quality ID#: 001	Diabetes: Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) Poor Control (>9%)	CMS Web Interface	2.81	9.84
Quality ID#: 134	Preventative Care and Screening: Screening for Depression and Follow-up Plan	CMS Web Interface	91.97	80.97
Quality ID#: 236	Controlling High Blood Pressure	CMS Web Interface	77.49	77.80
Quality ID#: 318	Falls: Screening for Future Fall Risk	CMS Web Interface	97.64	89.42
Quality ID#: 110	Preventative Care and Screening: Influenza Immunization	CMS Web Interface	91.37	70.76
Quality ID#: 226	Preventative Care and Screening: Tobacco Use: Screening and Cessation Intervention	CMS Web Interface	83.33	79.29
Quality ID#: 113	Colorectal Cancer Screening	CMS Web Interface	82.88	77.14
Quality ID#: 112	Breast Cancer Screening	CMS Web Interface	85.69	80.36
Quality ID#: 438	Statin Therapy for the Prevention and Treatment of Cardiovascular Disease	CMS Web Interface	92.33	87.05
Quality ID#: 370	Depression Remission at Twelve Months	CMS Web Interface	0.00	16.58
Quality ID#: 321	CAHPS for MIPS	CAHPS for MIPS Survey	6.28	6.25
Measure#: 479	Hospital-Wide, 30-Day, All-Cause Unplanned Readmission (HWR) Rate for MIPS Groups	Administrative Claims	0.1573	0.1553
Measure#: 484	Clinician and Clinician Group Risk-standardized Hospital Admission Rates for Patients with Multiple Chronic Conditions	Administrative Claims	44.18	35.39

For previous years' Financial and Quality Performance Results, please visit: [Data.cms.gov](https://data.cms.gov)