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Dear Provider:

In June, HPSM launched a new effort to support access and quality of care for our members transitioning out of hospitals and into skilled nursing or long-term care facilities. The program, called the **Post-Acute Care Pilot Program**, has three major goals:

1. Increase coordination between care settings, especially for our most complex members who are eligible for home-based care
2. Reduce readmissions to acute care
3. Invest in additional post-acute care capacity

To operationalize this program, we are partnering with Landmark Health. Landmark is currently delivering home-based services for many of our most complex members, which positions them well to increase care continuity between post-acute settings and the home. Please see the next page to learn more about Landmark's post-acute clinical team, Dr. Portier and Ms. Widyastami.

### Post-Acute Care Pilot Program: At a Glance

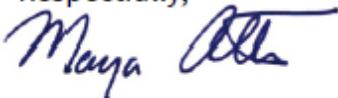
- **Member choice is paramount:** members may always choose whether or not to participate.
- **The pilot will begin at six facilities:** Burlingame Long-Term Care, Millbrae Skilled Care, Peninsula Post-Acute, Providence San Bruno, St. Francis Heights & St. Francis Pavilion.
- **Member eligibility:**
  - All HPSM members who have CareAdvantage or Medi-Cal only (with no other health coverage) are eligible for the program; new admissions will be assigned to Dr. Portier.
  - All HomeAdvantage-eligible patients (a subset of CareAdvantage members with 5+ chronic conditions) residing in a post-acute care facility will be assigned to Dr. Portier.
- **PCP coordination:** Hospital discharge staff, care coaches, and post-acute facility administrators will continue to support coordination with members' assigned PCPs.
- **HPSM's medical directors** will maintain clinical quality oversight of the program, including monitoring quality measures and reviewing clinical concerns.

Please feel free to reach out to Landmark or our Director of Provider Services with any questions regarding this collaboration – we are happy to set up time with physicians rounding at the selected facilities to answer any questions. Contact information is provided below.

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Respectfully,



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Chief Executive Officer

## Introducing the Post-Acute Care (PAC) Pilot Program Team



### **David Portier, MD:**

Dr. Portier has extensive experience working within Post-Acute Care facilities, both as a clinical provider as well as a medical director. Since 2013, he has strived to bring skilled nursing facilities in the Bay Area to the forefront of new healthcare delivery models. Originally starting out as a hospitalist with Bay Area Hospitalist Associates (BAHA, Inc.), he has more than four years of experience as being the previous medical director of the post-acute care division of BAHA. Additionally, Dr. Portier is a member of The Society for Post-Acute And Long-Term Medicine (PALTC), and is a certified medical director through that organization. Presently, Landmark Health is proud to have Dr. Portier join as medical director of the new Post-Acute Care team (PAC). Dr. Portier also has experience working with healthcare information technology and is a member of Health Information

Management Systems Society (HIMSS), and has prior experience as a Chief Technology Officer (CTO) with his former employer. Dr. Portier is excited to bring a modern approach to providing quality healthcare to nursing facility residents.

### **Laurensia Widyastami MS, AGNP-BC:**

Laurensia is a highly skilled provider with over a decade of experience caring for the frail and elderly. Her passion lies in providing high-quality, patient-centered care and bringing that to wherever patients might reside. She is experienced in caring for patients in acute medical/surgical inpatient, acute rehabilitation, geriatric psychiatry, post-acute care, and home health care. She began her career in Southern California before relocating to the Bay Area in 2015, and prior to Landmark, she worked at Bay Area Hospitalist Associates (BAHA, Inc.) in the post-acute environment, focusing on a high-presence model. Her educational background includes a



MS in Adult-Gerontology Nurse Practitioner, Occupational and Environmental Health from UC San Francisco. Graduating magna cum laude from CSU Dominguez Hills with a BS in Nursing, Laurensia is a member of the California Association of Nurse Practitioners and advocates for better care for underserved and vulnerable populations.