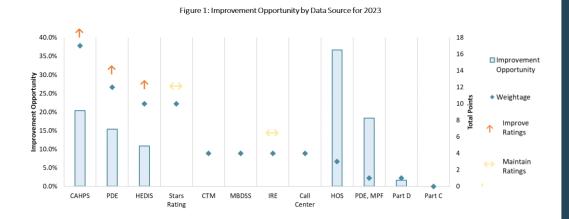




# A Regional Health Plan: 2023 Stars Ratings Maintenance & Growth POV

Insights based on 2022 a regional Health Plan's Stars performance to suggest potential focus areas based on industry imperatives



**Note:** The above analysis takes an average of performance for both contracts and projects 2022 ratings onto 2023 to understand the upcoming impact

## **Key Takeaways**

- Move the needle across heavily weighted data sources such as CAHPS/PDE/HEDIS to avoid the risk of falling below 4.5 Stars across these areas and losing 5 Star status in 2023 (27 points required across all data sources to reach 4.75 Stars which round off to 5 Stars)
- Maintain above benchmark 5 Star performance across Improvement measures to account for future reporting among expanding contracts (\$\triangle\$ 0.7 Stars above regional average)
- Retain existing member satisfaction and minimize complaints/grievances for increased member market share (▲ 10K+ YOY membership increase 2022 compared to 2021)

## A Regional Health Plan: 2023 MA Stars Partnership Areas

Long term strategic initiatives to enable regional Health Plan to preserve their 5 Stars ratings and achieve future growth objectives

### Clinical Data Enrichment

- Establish clinical pipelines by ingesting EMR's and other data sources to make data consumable
- Facilitate bilateral information exchange among payer-providers to reduce administrative burden
- Support real-time data driven decision-making using alerts for proactive care gap closure

# Provider Network Strategies

- Incorporate care-coordination/experience measures using best fit recommendations for VB contracts
- Align incentive thresholds using projections & thresholds to optimize value across programs
- Increase provider performance transparency using self-serve network management dashboards

# **Business Process Optimization**

- Adopt prioritization techniques for focus measure identification based on cost & ease of closure
- Mitigate disease progression & identify at risk individuals using ML models for newly added enrollees
- Develop cohort specific measures & member journeys for personalized care-delivery

# Success Story: Clinical Data Ingestion & Real Time Quality Management

#### **Business Problem and Context**

- Client is the largest regional plan, serving more than 4M members directly that wanted to focus on attaining 4 Stars
- The customer required a robust quality reporting and analytics solution to achieve near real-time output with custom measures as well as leverage massive volume of clinical data from providers

#### Value Delivered

- Leveraged CitiusTech's rules engine to enable near realtime HEDIS reporting for daily Medicare compliance runs which helped them attain 4 Stars
- Accelerated custom use case & measure creation for different user groups such as CMS Stars, Provider Network Management etc.
- Processed more than 11 Mn CCDA files per year from multiple vendors to reduce reporting turnaround time & close 270K+ additional gaps

**78%** 

improvement in time to deploy custom measures

**70%** 

increase in number of end users

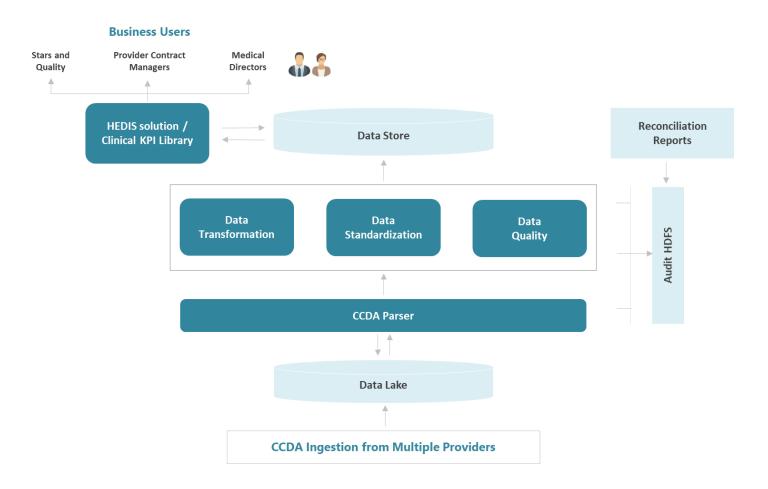
12%

impact on supplemental data contribution

10X

more gaps closed than traditional chart chases

## **Solution Architecture**



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