







# Agenda



National Benchmarking Survey Key trends in the marketplace Healthcare Cost Containment
Strategies to impact delivery of care

Wellbeing & Engagement
Why are employers investing in
Wellbeing?











How does culture, employee engagement and wellbeing impact organizational performance?







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# Gallagher 2018 National Benchmarking Survey



### **Utilities Participants**

### **Type of Organization:**

- Nonprofit (53%)
- Privately Held (38%)
- Publicly Traded (9%)

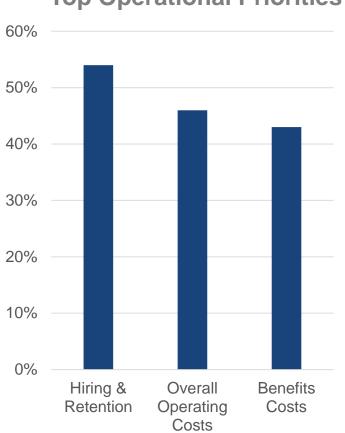
#### **Current Funding Arrangement:**

- Full Insured (59%)
- Self-Insured (38%)
- Level Funded (3%)

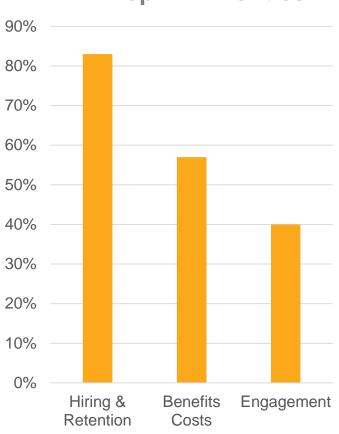
# People & Cost – A Top Operational & HR Priority







#### **Top HR Priorities**

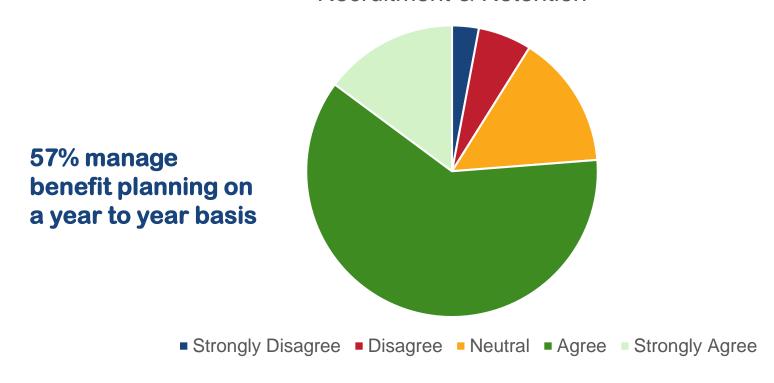


Source: Gallagher 2018 National Benefits Strategy & Benchmarking Survey

# Medical - most essential benefit across generations



Medical & Pharmacy Benefits are Key for Recruitment & Retention

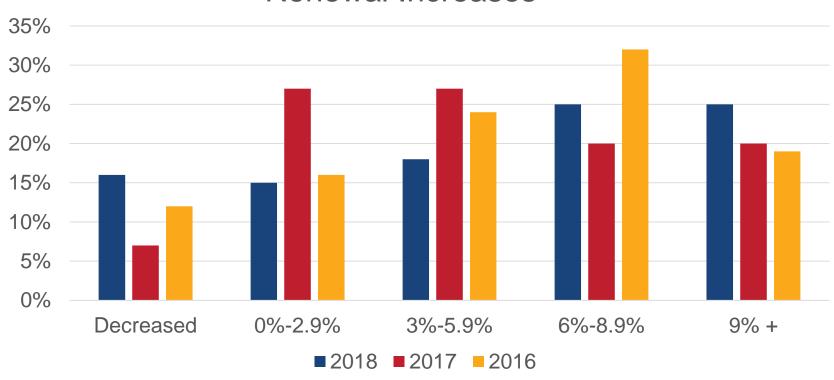


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# So how are we doing? Increases over past 3 years







# Cost Control a Primary Concern



#### Biggest challenges in managing healthcare costs

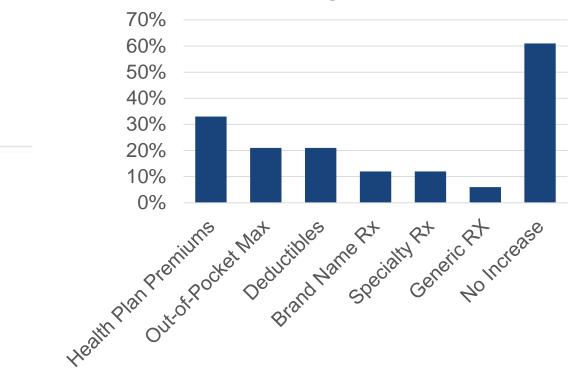


60% High cost of medical services



52% High cost of prescription drugs

### **Cost Sharing Increases**



# **Containment Strategies**



Rationing of Benefits

Negotiating Contracts with Maximum Leverage

Optimizing the Financing of Your Plan

Increasing Cost-Effectiveness of Your Platform

Engaging Your Members to be Better/Smarter

Consumers

Improving the Health of Your Covered Members

Renewal Negotiations

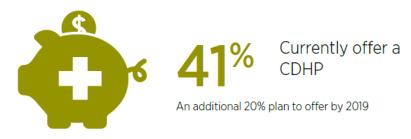
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Control

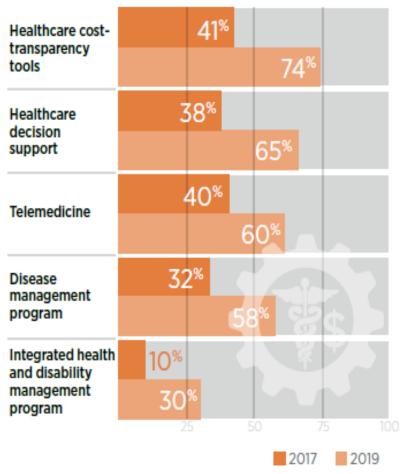
# Cost Control Tactics 2017 vs. 2019 Growth of v



Continued growth in CDHP utilization



Growth of value-focused cost control tactics – 2017 vs. 2019







	Saving Opportunities	HR Complexity	Perceived Member Value
Rx Audits	\$\$\$		
Transparency Tools	\$\$		
Pharmacy Carve out	\$\$		
Disease Management	\$\$		
Partial Self Funding	\$\$\$\$		
Full Replacement CDHP	\$\$\$		
Level Premium/Minimum Premium	\$\$\$		
Step Therapy (Rx)	\$		
Captives	\$\$		
Bio Metric Screenings/HRAs	\$		



# **Emerging HC Management Initiatives**

	Saving Opportunities	HR Complexity	Perceived Member Value
2nd Opinion Vendor, optional	\$\$		
Telemedicine	\$		
Specialty Drug Carve Out	\$\$\$		
Medication Therapy Management	\$\$		
Diabetes Mgt Programs	\$\$		
Medicaid Migration	\$\$		
Salary Banded Contributions	\$		
Narrow Network	\$\$\$		
On Site Services	\$\$\$		
Private Exchange	\$\$		



# Progressive HC Management Initiatives

	Saving Opportunities	HR Complexity	Perceived Member Value
Genomics	\$\$		
Direct Primary Care	\$\$		
Care Coodination	\$\$\$\$		
Opioids Strategy	\$\$		
Pre payment claim auditing	\$\$\$		
Direct Contracting	\$\$		
Referenced Based Pricing	\$\$\$\$\$		

# Focus on care delivery & member navigation/education



#### **DELIVERY OF HEALTH CARE**

- Telehealth
- Onsite clinics
- Centers of Excellence (COEs)
- Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs)
- Value-based benefits

#### **GUIDANCE & NAVIGATION FOR EMPLOYEES**

- Medical decision support tools
- Second-opinion services
- Employee advocacy tools
- Services for claims assistance
- High-touch concierge services

SOURCE: National Business Group on Health – 2018 Large Employers' Health Care Strategy and Plan Design Survey. The survey was fielded between May 22 and June 26, 2017, and reflects the strategies and plan design offerings of 148 employers. Not all questions were applicable to every employer so response varies by question.<sup>1</sup>

## **Care Coordination**

Optimize Care, Maximize Results





**Member Advocacy** 

**Expert Navigation** 



**Care Coordination** 



**Cost Reduction** 



**Healthcare Analytics** 

Outreach managed through a coordinated pod with a single touch

Care supported using transparency, quality and value criteria

Personal case management and chronic condition strategy

Eliminate unnecessary care, waste and inefficiency

Key metrics and data driven strategy

# **Engagement:**

#### **Extensive Member & Provider Contact**



#### ENGAGEMENT WITHIN SEGMENTS

## CONTACT QUANTITY & TYPE

	% OF MEMBERSHIP	% WITH CARE COORDINATOR CONTACT	NUMBER OF CONTACTS/ PERSON/YEAR	% WITH PROVIDER
<b>Total Population</b>	100%	61.0%	4.8	44.1%
Members with Claims >=\$10,000	9.0%	95.2%	11.3	53.3%
Members with Claims >=\$50,000	1.3%	98.3%	21.2	58.7%
Members with Claims >=\$200,000	0.1%	99.5%	37.8	67.1%

"Congratulations for having the easiest, friendliest people that I have ever dealt with at an insurance company." –Nurse, Provider's Office

Average talk time/call = 6-7 minutes (based on total population contacts)



# Behavior Change: Care Gap Improvement

QUANTUM **HEALTH WAS SUPERIOR IN** 69 OF 82 **CRITICAL CARE GAP COMPARISONS** AND AVERAGED 14% BETTER OVERALL\*

\*As compared to a major carrier in same employer benefits plan

CONDITION	CARE GAP	QUANTUM HEALTH PERFORMANCE
Diabetes	Lipid profile test in last 12 months	34.10% better*
>1 ER Visit	Office visit in last 12 months	32.89% better*
Diabetes	HbA1c test in last 12 months	30.37% better*
Women between 49-69 years old	Mammogram in last 18 months	29.26% better*
Hypertension	Office visit in last 12 months	22.26% better*
Diabetes	Claims for home glucose testing supplies in last 12 months	15.92% better*
Asthma	Inhaled corticosteroids or leukotriene inhibitors in the last 12 months	20.64% better*

<sup>\*</sup>Source: Validated study by major national consulting company, completed 2012: Technology and Outsourced Customer Service Company



## **Dramatic Impact on Key Drivers**



Emergency room use -5%

Outpatient diagnostics -1%

Readmissions -18%

Inpatient admissions -3%

Inpatient length of stay -5%

Inpatient days -8%

Average costs of cases >\$50K -6%

Source: Study completed October 2014 of pre-post data for 54 "year one" groups on an incurred basis.



# **Expert Opinion Vendors**



Video



- 20+ minute phone/video consults with expert medical specialists
- Better clinical guidance and higher adherence to expert recommendations

Speed



Help when needed before members go down the wrong path

Doctor Quality



- Department heads
- · Leaders in research

 $Impact^{1}$ 



- 34% of diagnoses are corrected
- 73% of treatment plans are improved
- 33% cancelling their surgery
- \$3,500+ saved per consult (on average) based in avoided services

<sup>1</sup> As reported by 2<sup>nd</sup>.md

## **Promote Consumerism**

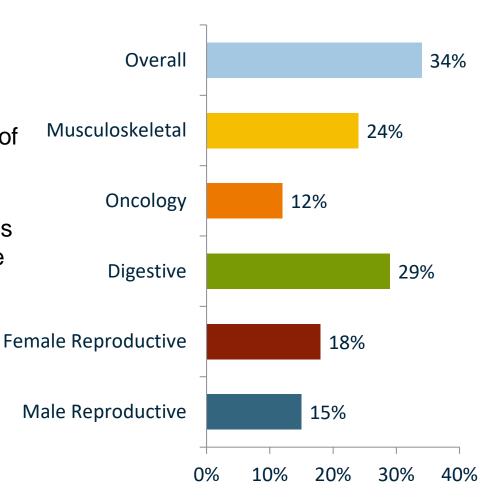
**Expert Opinion Vendors: Alternative Diagnoses Suggested** 



#### **Quality, Safety, Reduced Waste**

Experts are able to suggest an alternative diagnosis as a result of medical record review and discussion with member

- Depth within specific conditions enables authoritative guidance
- Oncology "saves"



## **Worksite Clinics**



On Site Clinics



**Shared Site** Clinic

Virtual Clinic

















Centrally located workforce Workforce in close proximity/ similar hours Multiple employers in close proximity; similar hours

Dispersed Workforce

Not a Big Budget: On Site Nutritionist On Site Dentists

**Telemedicine** 

**On Site Physical** Flu Shots





"Businesses that do not address the prescription drug crisis are like ostriches sticking their head in the sand. The problem exists and doing nothing will harm your employees and your business. The cost of inaction is far too great."

Deborah A.P. Hersman, CEO of the National Safety Council.

# **Opioids – Removing the Blinders**





## **THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC** BY THE NUMBERS

IN 2016...



116
People died every day from opioid-related drug overdoses



11.5 m People misused prescription opioids<sup>1</sup>



42,249
People died from overdosing on opioids<sup>2</sup>



2.1 million
People had an opioid use
disorder



948,000 People used heroin



170,000
People used heroin for the first time<sup>1</sup>



2.1 million
People misused prescription
opioids for the first time<sup>1</sup>



17,087
Deaths attributed to overdosing on commonly prescribed opioids<sup>2</sup>



19,413
Deaths attributed to overdosing on synthetic opioids other than methadone<sup>2</sup>



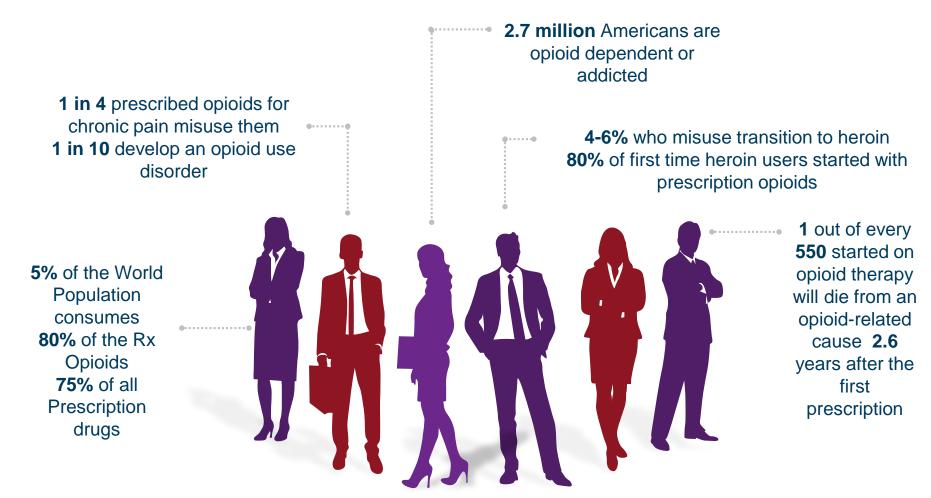
15,469 Deaths attributed to overdosing on heroin<sup>2</sup>



504 billion In economic costs<sup>2</sup>

Sources: 1 2016 National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2 Mortality in the United States, 2016 NCHS Data Brief No. 293, December 2017, 3 CEA Report: The underestimated cost of the opioid crisis, 2017

# An Epidemic in the US



2013 NSDUH at SAMHSA.gov

https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2017/06/05/upshot/opioid-epidemic-drug-overdose-deaths-are-rising-faster-than-ever.html https://www.drugabuse.gov/drugs-abuse/opioids/opioid-overdose-crisis https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/databriefs/db294.pdf

### Why do US Adults misuse opioids?

• 11.5 million adults who misused prescription pain relievers at least once in the past year



To **feel good** or get high

To relax or relieve tension

To help with sleep

To help with feelings or emotions

# An Epidemic in the US Workforce



2/3 of those who report abusing pain killers are employed

# 70% of US Workplaces affected by opioid painkiller abuse



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https://www.drugabuse.gov/drugs-abuse/opioids/opioid-overdose-crisis

https://www.nsc.org/NewsDocuments/2017/Media-Briefing-National-Employer-Drug-Survey-Results.pdf

### The Economic Burden of the Opioid Crisis

- \$78.5 Billion ~\$765 PEPY<sup>2</sup>
  - 10x what is spent on heart attacks and diabetes events<sup>2</sup>
- Worker's Compensation claims
   4x higher if opioid prescribed<sup>3</sup>
  - 10 x higher if long acting opioids are prescribed
- Lost productivity and missed workdays = \$25.5 billion4
- Higher cost of care5
- Lost workforce<sup>5,6</sup>



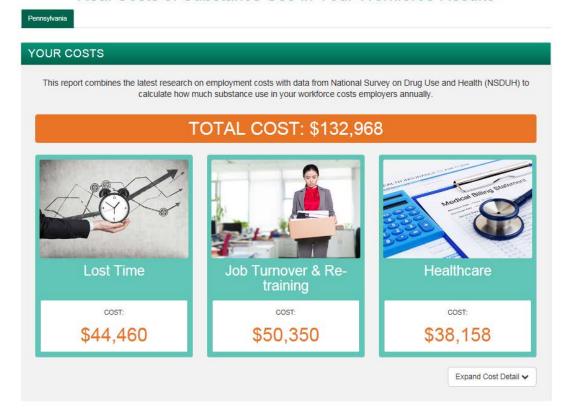
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# **Quantifying Financial Impact of Substance Abuse in Your Workplace**

National Safety Council Calculator



Real Costs of Substance Use in Your Workforce Results



## National Safety Council Substance Abuse Calculator



Your employees and their family members can struggle with substance dependence. These graphics illustrate how many people in your organization may be affected, broken out by group.



Employees 38

Paradotto & Family

Dependents & Family

67

#### SUBSTANCES

It is important to note that individuals may be struggling with more than one substance use disorder. Click on the substance image for more information.



EMPLOYEES:

FAMILY:



EMPLOYEES:

1

FAMILY:

Marijuana

EMPLOYEES:

4

FAMILY:

11



#### RECOVERY IS GOOD FOR BUSINESS

Substance misuse and substance use disorders (SUDs) can be an expensive problem for employers. However, providing resources to assist workers with their SUD can be a very good investment.

Workers in recovery help employers

\$1,626

in turnover & replacement costs

5 DAYS LESS WORK per year

from a substance use disorder saves a company MORE THAN STAND OF THAN PER YEAR

Learn Why

# Member Scripts by Region in Large Employer Sponsored Plans



Among those with large employer coverage, most opioid prescriptions are in the south

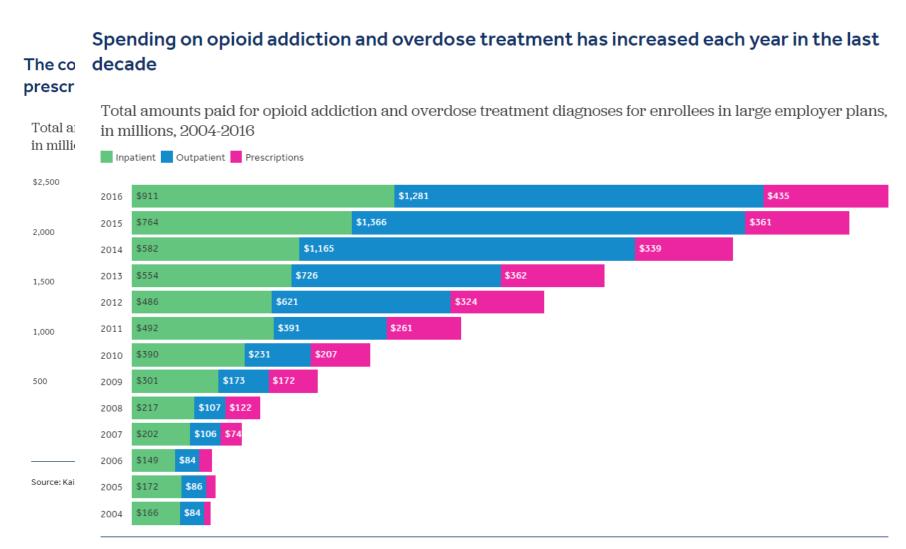
Percent of enrollees with large employer coverage and an opioid prescription, by region, 2016



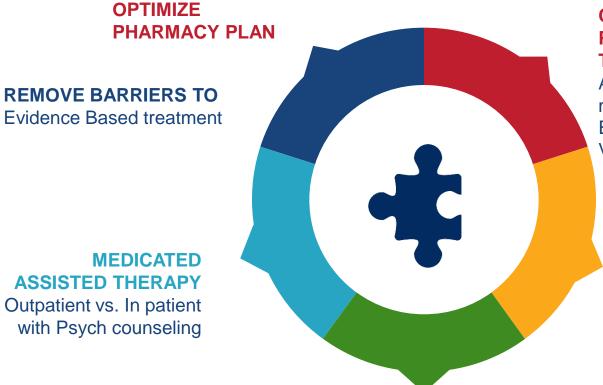
Source: Kaiser Family Foundation analysis of Truven MarketScan data, 2016 • Get the data • PNG

Peterson-Kaiser **Health System Tracker** 

# **Employer Spending on Treatment**



## **Healthcare Strategies**



**COVER NON-PHARMACOLOGIC THERAPIES** 

Acupuncture, therapy, yoga, meditation, chiropractic, Electronic STEM Devices, Visual Reality (VR) Technology

**ASSISTED THERAPY** Outpatient vs. In patient with Psych counseling

**NETWORK OPTIMIZATION** 

**Identifying Centers of** Excellence for treatment of chronic pain or opioid dependency

**CARE COORDINATION** Pick up where EAPs drop off

**Licensing Boards, Pharmacies, Insurance** Carriers, State and Federal Policy are aggressively LIMITING supply

### **Opportunity: Targeted Communication**

**Removing the Stigma** 

**Risks of Addiction** 

Home Safety/Drug Disposal & preventing misuse by dependents

**Talking with your Doctor Pre-Op** 

Alternate Pain Management Strategies

EAP resources – Recognizing Dependence

Naloxone - co-prescribing, how to use

Reduce Risk to Create a Safe Work Environment

A safe work environment where employees feel supported is more productive and allows people to do their best work.

#### **EDUCATION AND TRAINING:**

**Supervisors Training** 

- to deal with prescription drug misuse
- recognize signs of potential impairment
- understand the company drugtesting policy
- Be able to direct employees to proper resources

Staff Training – identify signs of misuse

## **Drug Free Workplace**



Frequent Employee Education

Policy for 2nd chance and RTW



Increased Frequency of Testing

**Broader Drug Panel Testing** 



Develop & Publicize



Recognize & Respond



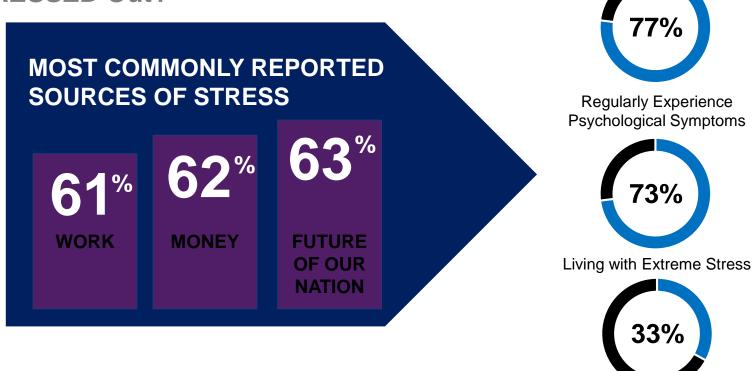
**Employee Assistance Programs:** 

Confidential Community Referrals



### Focus Wellbeing Initiatives on Stressors

What's Got Us So STRESSED Out?



Regularly Experience Physical Symptoms

APA Stress in America™ Survey: US at 'Lowest Point We Can Remember;' Future of Nation Most Commonly Reported Source of Stress



Wellbeing & Engagement



### Start with Why...



The reasons why employers in the Utilities Industry are investing in wellbeing...

- 1. Reducing healthcare costs (57%)
- 2. Improving employee experience and satisfaction (48%)
- 3. Creating a desirable culture (24%)
- 4. Do the right thing (19%)
- 5. Reduce Absenteeism (19%)



#### **Top HR Priorities (Utilities)**

- Attracting/Retaining Talent (83%)
- 2. Benefit Costs (57%)
- 3. EE Engagement & Productivity (40%)
- 4. Training & Development (34%)
- 5. Creating Strong Culture (26%)





What best describes your organization's wellbeing strategy?

49% OF EMPLOYERS

**No Strategy** 

38%

**OF EMPLOYERS** 

**Traditional** 

13%

**OF EMPLOYERS** 

**Total Wellbeing** 

Strategies are lagging or not in place to meet new "Why" objectives

# Top 5 Reasons Why Employees HATE Wellness Programs

- 1. My job is killing me
- 2. My manager doesn't get it
- 3. The program isn't fun
- 4. I'm concerned about my privacy
- 5. It feels more of a hassle than a help





# Stronger. Smarter. Better.



It's all connected!



### Culture

Manager Effectiveness Leadership Workload <sup>Conflict</sup>

Talent Engagement Policies

### **Behavior**

safety Fitness
Family Benefits
Conflict
Finances performance
Addiction
Mental Health

#### Risk

Health & Safety
Attract/Retain
Performance
Financial

### **Outcomes**

Individual Organizational

# **Building Sustainability**with People



Wellbeing is all the things that affect how people think about and experience their lives



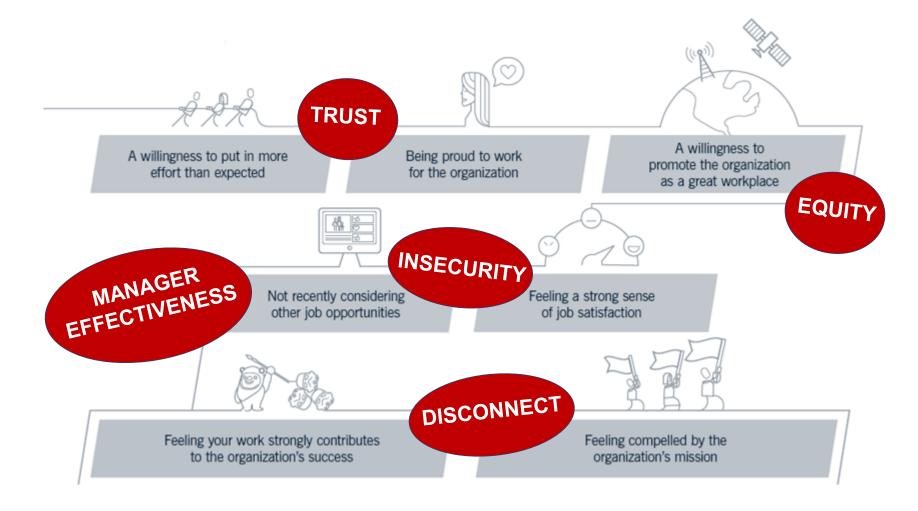
The **WHOLE** person comes to work every day...



each associate's wellbeing influences individual and organizational performance

# What We're Aspiring To...









LONG HOURS	JOB INSECURITY	INJUSTICE/ FAIRNESS	WORK/FAMILY CONFLICT
Blood Pressure	Stress	Migraines	Sleep Disorders
Obesity	Risk Heart Attack	Blood Pressure	Sickness related absence
Diabetes	Opinion of Health	Burn Out	Risk Heart Attack
Injury		Depression	Opinion of health

# The Solutions are Evolving...

HRA
Biometrics
Flu Shots
Disease/Condition
Management
Fitness
Vendor
Management

Wellbeing

**Employee Engagement** Leadership Community/CSR Flexibility Respect Mentoring Resiliency **Affinity Groups Energy Management** Financial Wellbeing Social Challenges Strategic Recognition

### A New Framework



The best of the best build strong cultures that help their employees **thrive** at **work**, at **home**, and in their **communities**.



1. Assess your unique culture, strategic business model and organizational objectives.



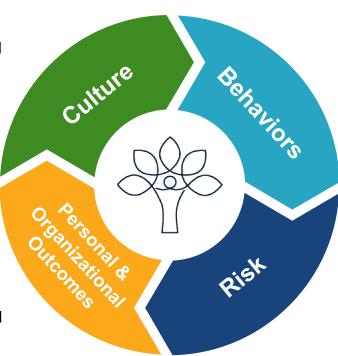
**2. Understand** your workforce and talent strategy to develop recommendations that are relevant by career stage and support destination employer efforts.



**3. Identify** prevailing population health risks through analyzing biometric, claims, and utilization data in conjunction with employee focus group/survey information to assess readiness to change.



**4. Build** a long-range philosophic vision focused on total wellbeing and engagement that enhances culture and improves individual and organizational outcomes.



### **The Critical Connection**





### Engaged, thriving employees perform better



#### **Additionally:**

Wellbeing items are not always drivers of engagement.... without favorable views of wellbeing it is very unlikely that key drivers of engagement can be optimized



## Making it Real...

Transition to Destination Employer Game