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Why Value-Based Procurement now?



Health care systems under mounting pressure



Large, unwanted outcome variation between providers



Unsustainable cost increases, inefficiencies and waste



Wide variation in care delivery practice between providers



Misalignment in procurer/supplier relationship

- Transactional relationship focused on price only
- Value of technologies not understood nor rewarded, innovation under pressure
- Incentives and goals misaligned



Value-Based Health Care

Holistic approach to improve care, aligning interests of health care system stakeholders

- Improve outcomes
- Decrease total cost of care
- For specific patient group and pathway



Innovations in procurement practices EU Public Procurement Directive 2014/24 and EU procurement strategy

- Most Economically Advantageous Tender (MEAT)
- Best price/quality ratio
- Increased dialogue & partnerships



Value-Based Procurement (VBP)

VBP is a multidisciplinary approach for collaboration between health care providers, procurers and medtech suppliers to achieve better outcomes and cost-efficient care, resulting in economically most advantageous offerings

What it is

- Win-win for all stakeholders
- Value-focused and patient-focused
- ▼ Flexible, customizable buying/selling approach



- Unilateral buying/selling approach
- Purchase based primarily on price
- Mathematic formula/rigid tool





Patients •

• Patient consistently at forefront

• Better outcomes, less variation



Providers

Increased financial stability

Break down of internal silos



Procurers

• Strategic role, more influence

• More holistic framework with value perspective



Clinicians

More influence on buying decision

Pain-points understood



Medtech

 Innovation and value contribution rewarded

Improved dialogue with buyers



HC Systems

 Improved population health and return on HC resources invested Better integration of care across sectors



Action steps



Providers

- Measure outcomes and total cost of care
- Break down budget silos
- Strengthen clinician role in procurement
- Further professionalize procurement



Procurers

- Set-up and empower VBP function
- Prioritize VBP pilots
- Develop organizational enablers
- Dialogue with suppliers
- Join VBP Community of Practice (CoP)



Medtech suppliers

- Prioritize and develop VBP value propositions
- Set-up VBP operating model and enable teams
- Prioritize upcoming tenders
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Health care systems

- Strengthen VBHC and outcome measurement
- Provide VBP legal/process clarity to foster collaboration
- Ensure budget cycles and incentives conducive to VBP
- Implement value-based contracting/reimbursement



VBP Community of Practice (CoP) Toolkit

VBP framework	Publications	VBP starter guidance	VBP training game
 VBP presentations	Case study library	Thematic seminars	Training/coaching
VBP Excel tool	VBP glossary	VBP legal guidance	Readiness assessment

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