



# Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal Syndrome Initiative

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Action Period Call  
October 25, 2023  
12:00 – 1:00 PM CT



# Welcome

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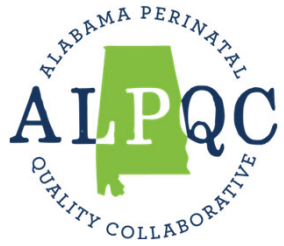


# Agenda

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Welcome & Updates		12:00 – 12:10
Data Overview		12:10 – 12:20
Transition to Sustainability		12:20 – 12:40
Q&A		12:40 – 12:50
Next Steps & Reminders		12:50 – 1:00



# Updates

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- Neonatal Hypothermia Initiative is actively being compiled. Check email and [alpqc.org](http://alpqc.org) website for updates and announcements.
- Last **monthly** data for NOWS initiative will be due October 31<sup>st</sup>
- Sustainability reporting for 1<sup>st</sup> quarter (Oct-Dec 2023) due January 31, 2024
- ALPQC Summit Newsletter was sent out on October 13<sup>th</sup>



# NOWS Data Update

		HospitalsParam No Hospital	All Initiative Hospitals (Average from Apr, 22 - Sep, 23)
		Measures	
Data	Obstetrical	OB A: Patient on MOUD (% yes)	65.72 %
		OB B: Referred to addiction services (% yes)	75.18 %
		OB C: Narcan counseling documented (% yes)	35.70 %
	Neonatal	Neo B: Non-pharm guideline consistently used (% yes)	97.40 %
		Neo C: Infant received pharm care (% yes)	42.55 %
		Neo D: # Days of pharmacologic care (days)	6.44 days
		Neo E: # Days old at discharge - Length of stay (days)	12.81 days
		Neo F: Collaborative Discharge Plan completed (% yes)	89.83 %
		Neo H: Readmission within 10 days (% yes)	1.65 %



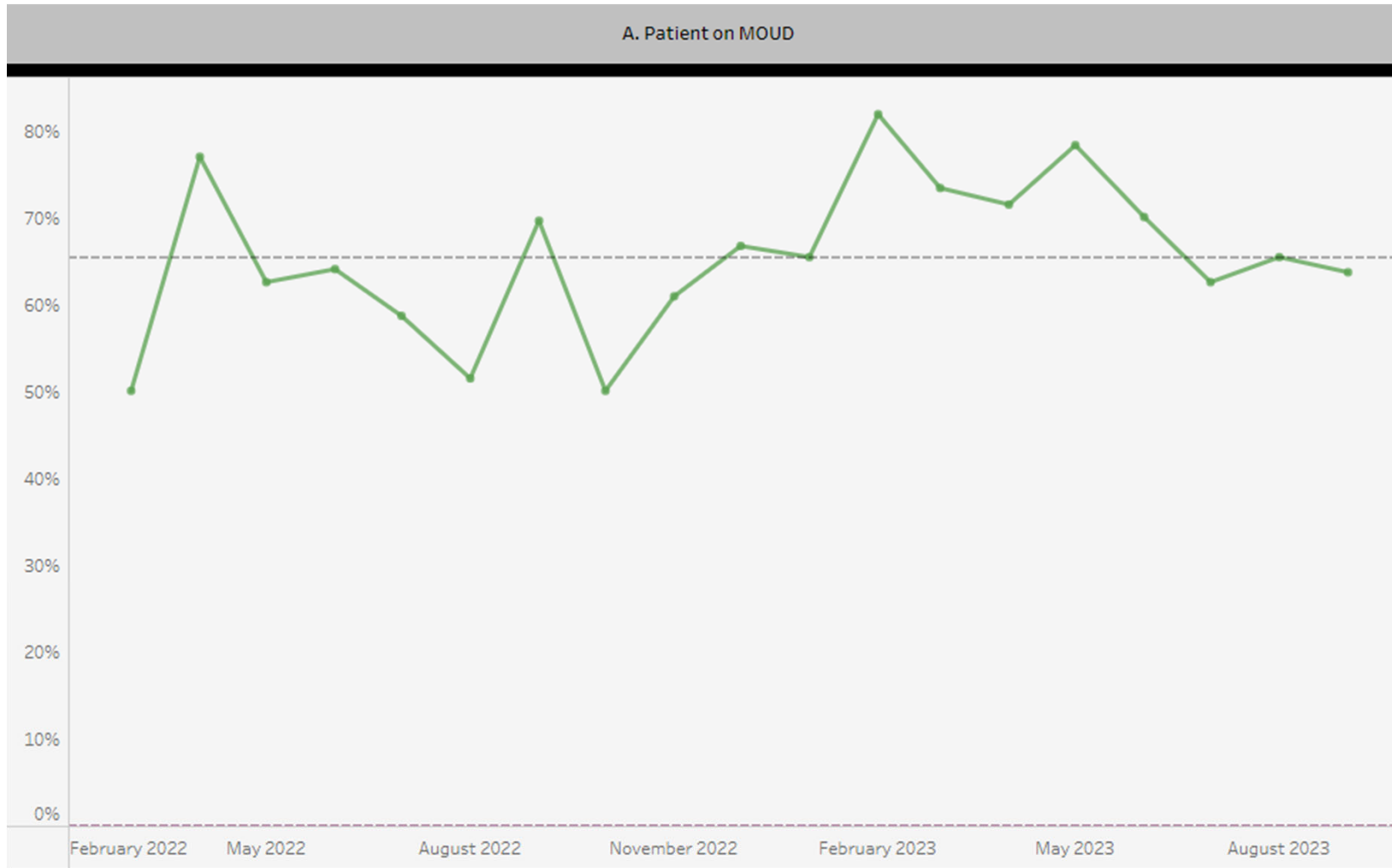


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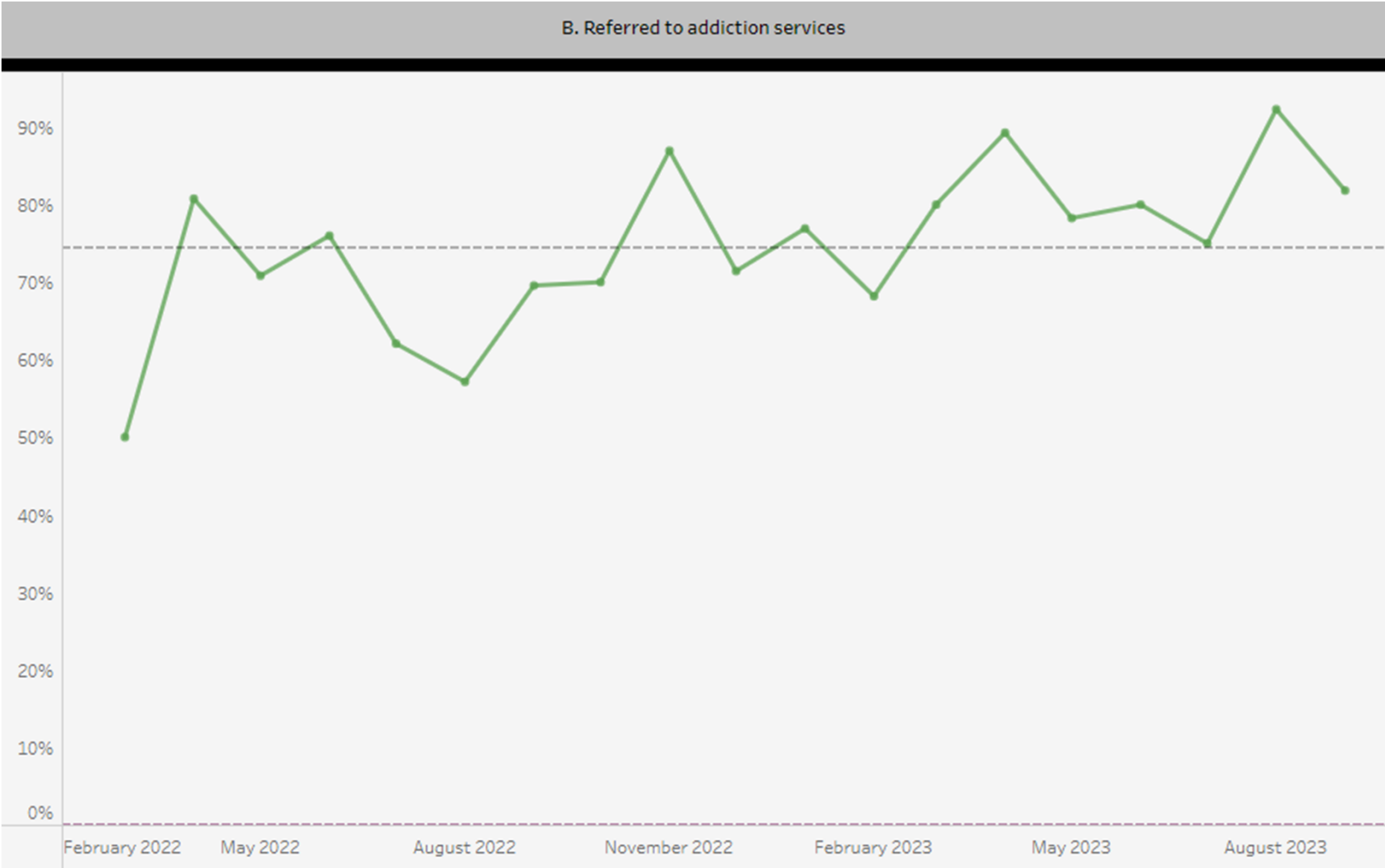
Obstetric Measures



# Medication for OUD



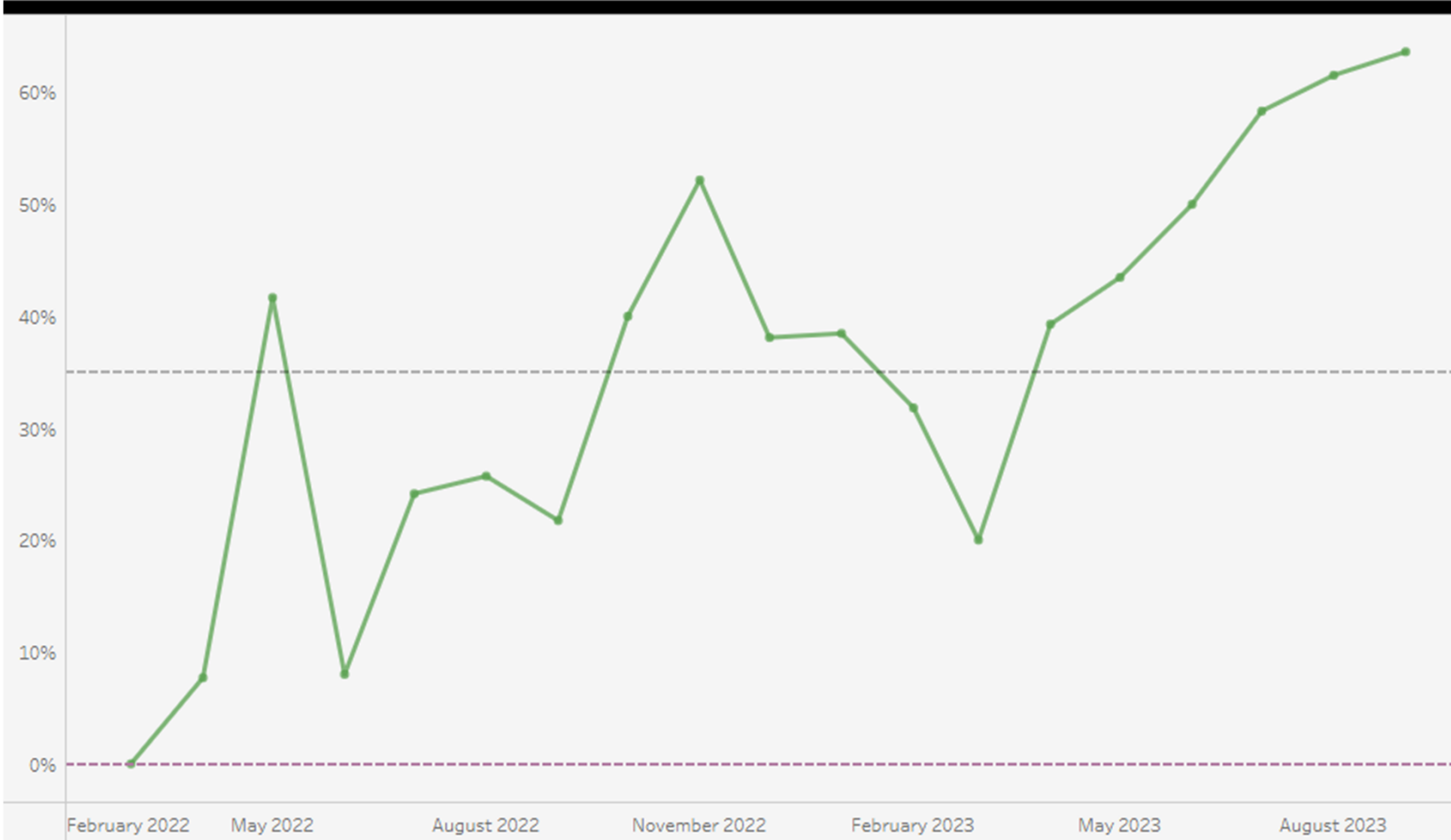
# Addiction Services



# Narcan Counseling



C. Narcan counseling documented

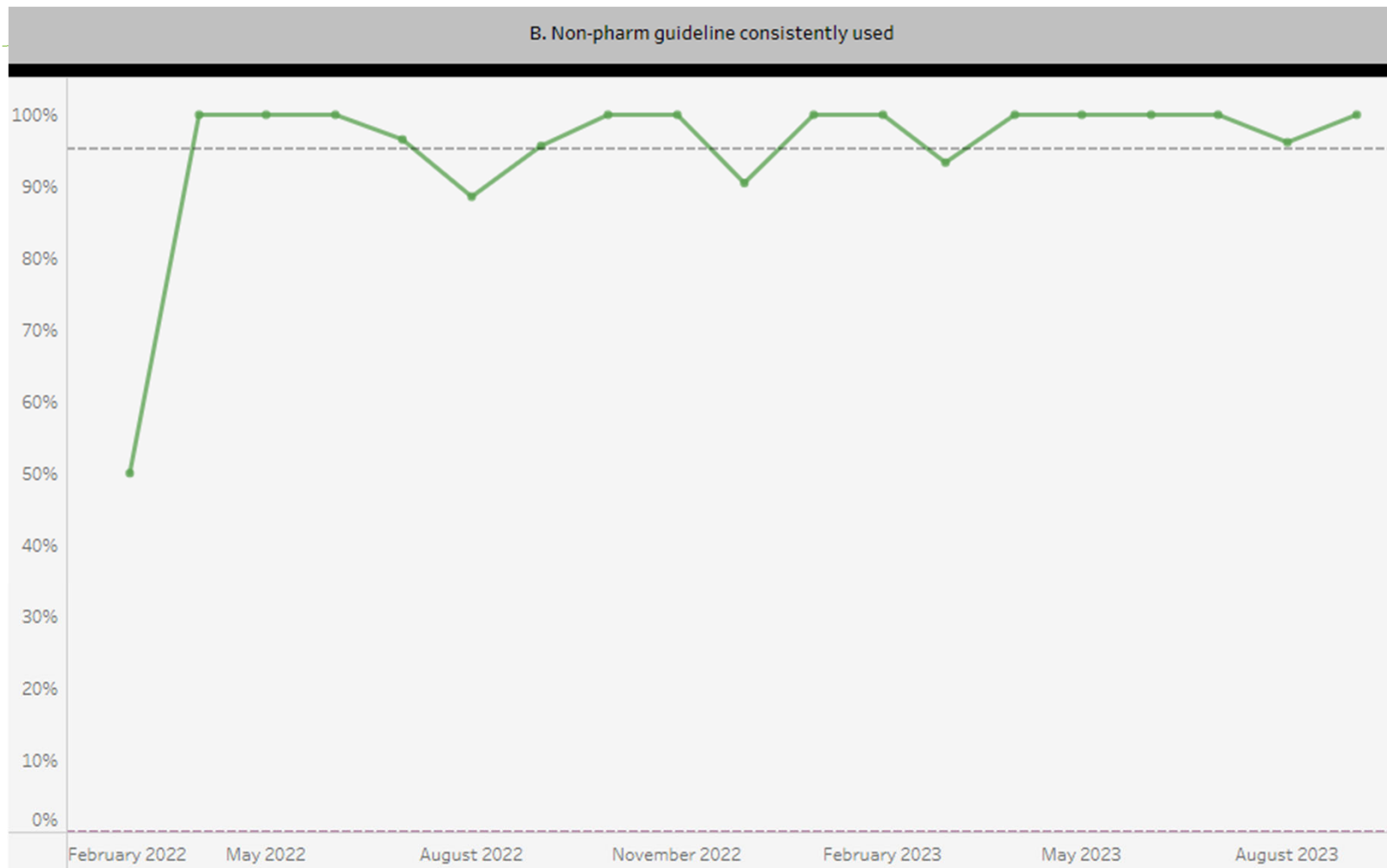




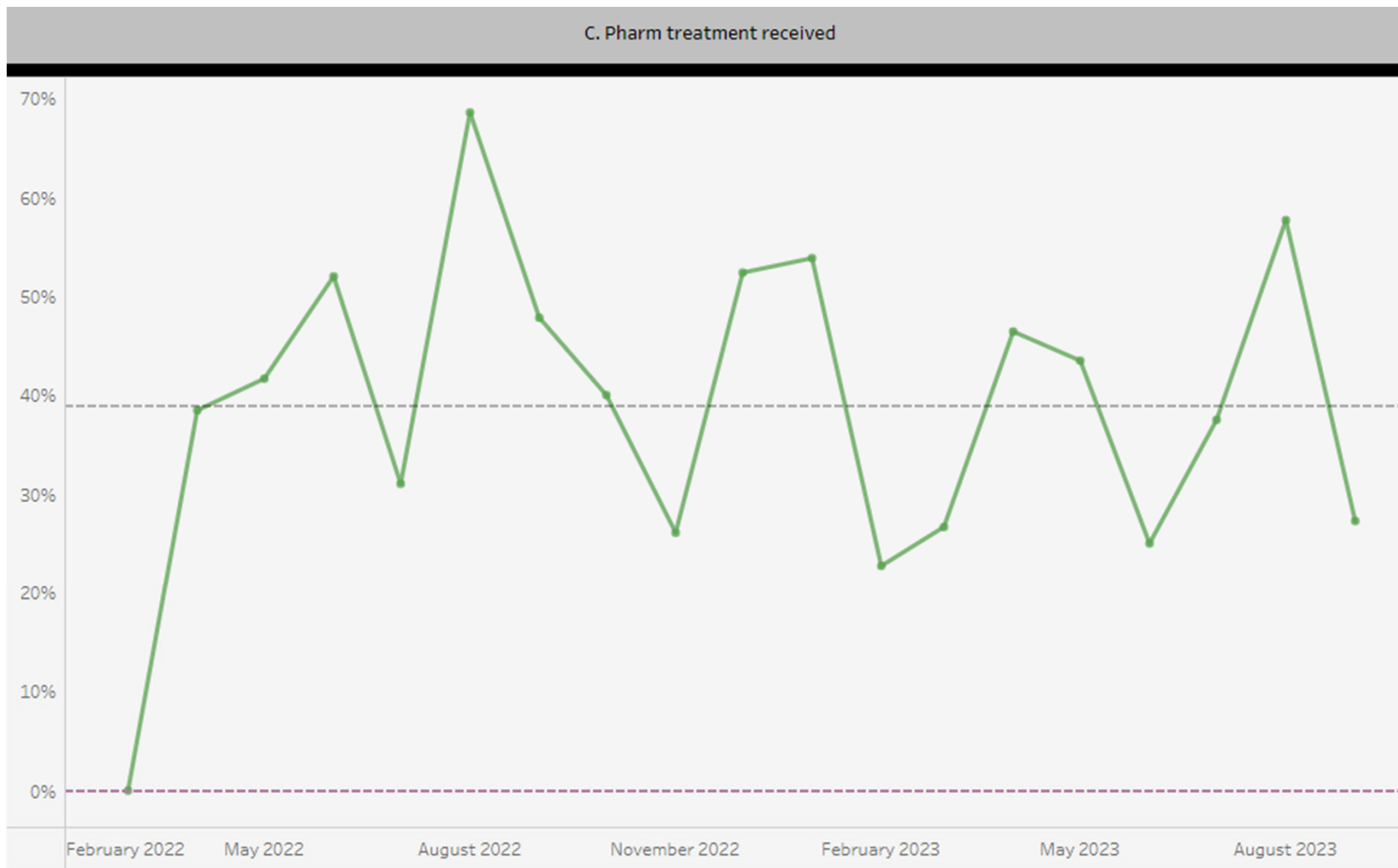
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Neo Measures

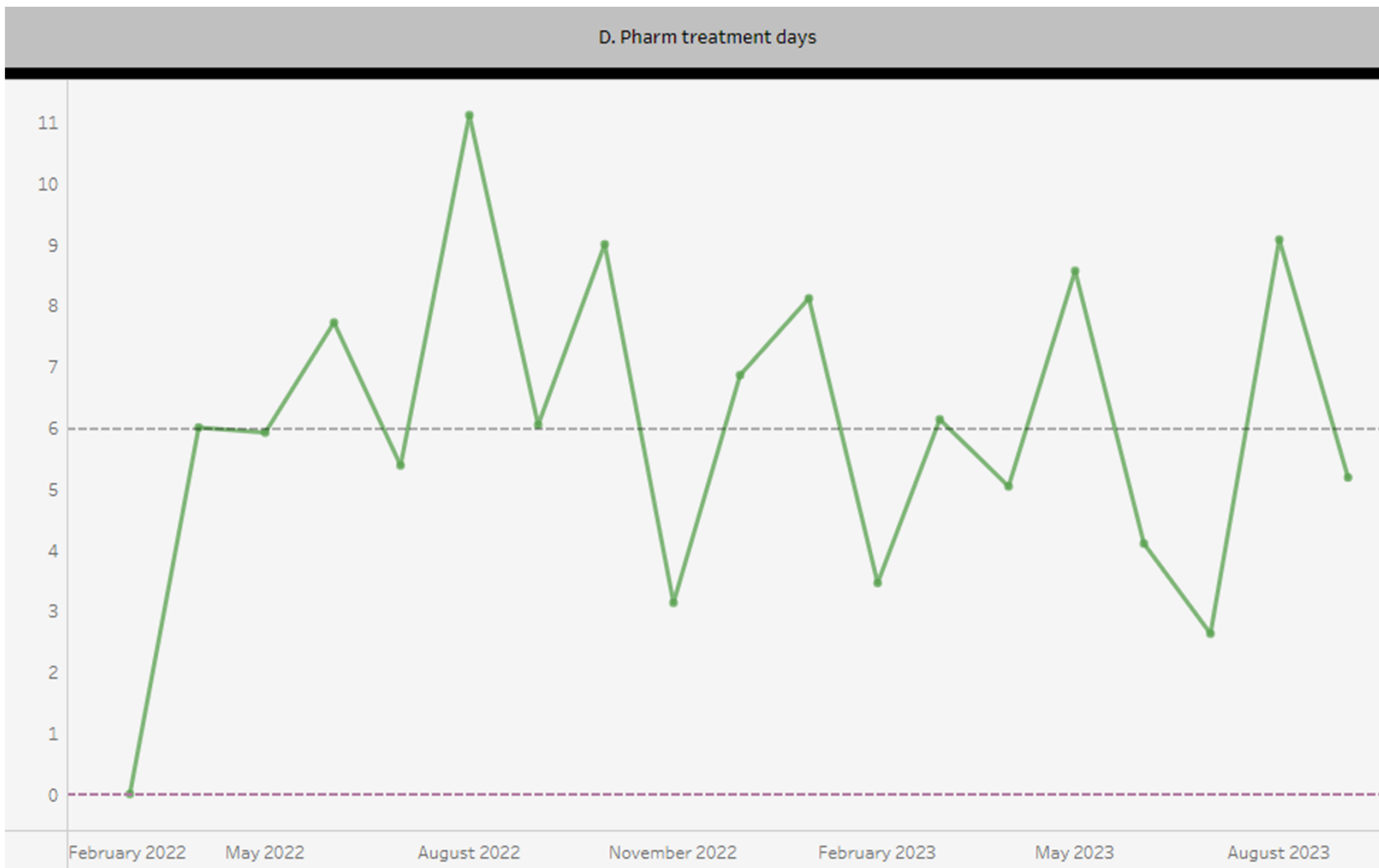
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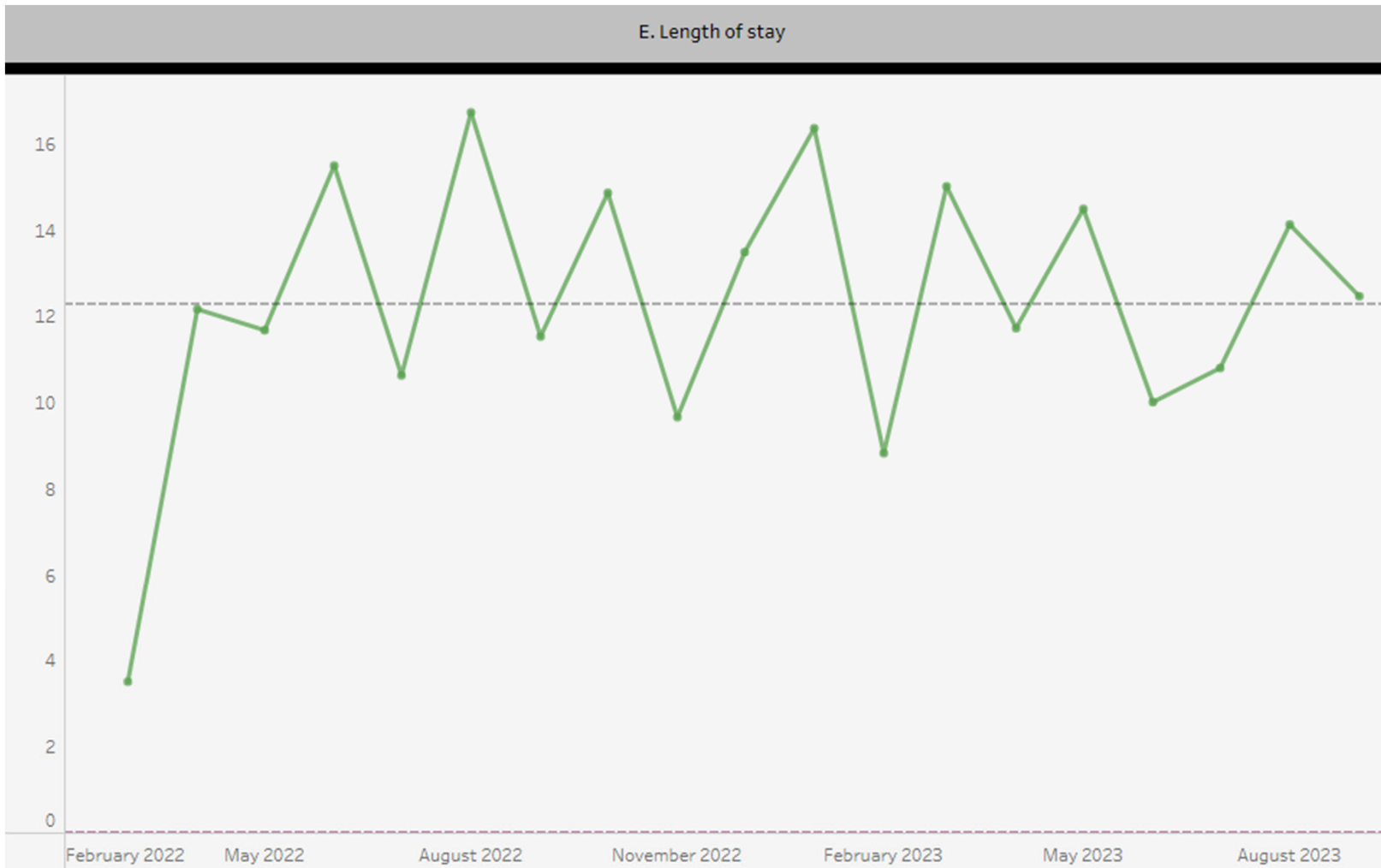
# Pharm Treatment



# Pharm Treatment Days

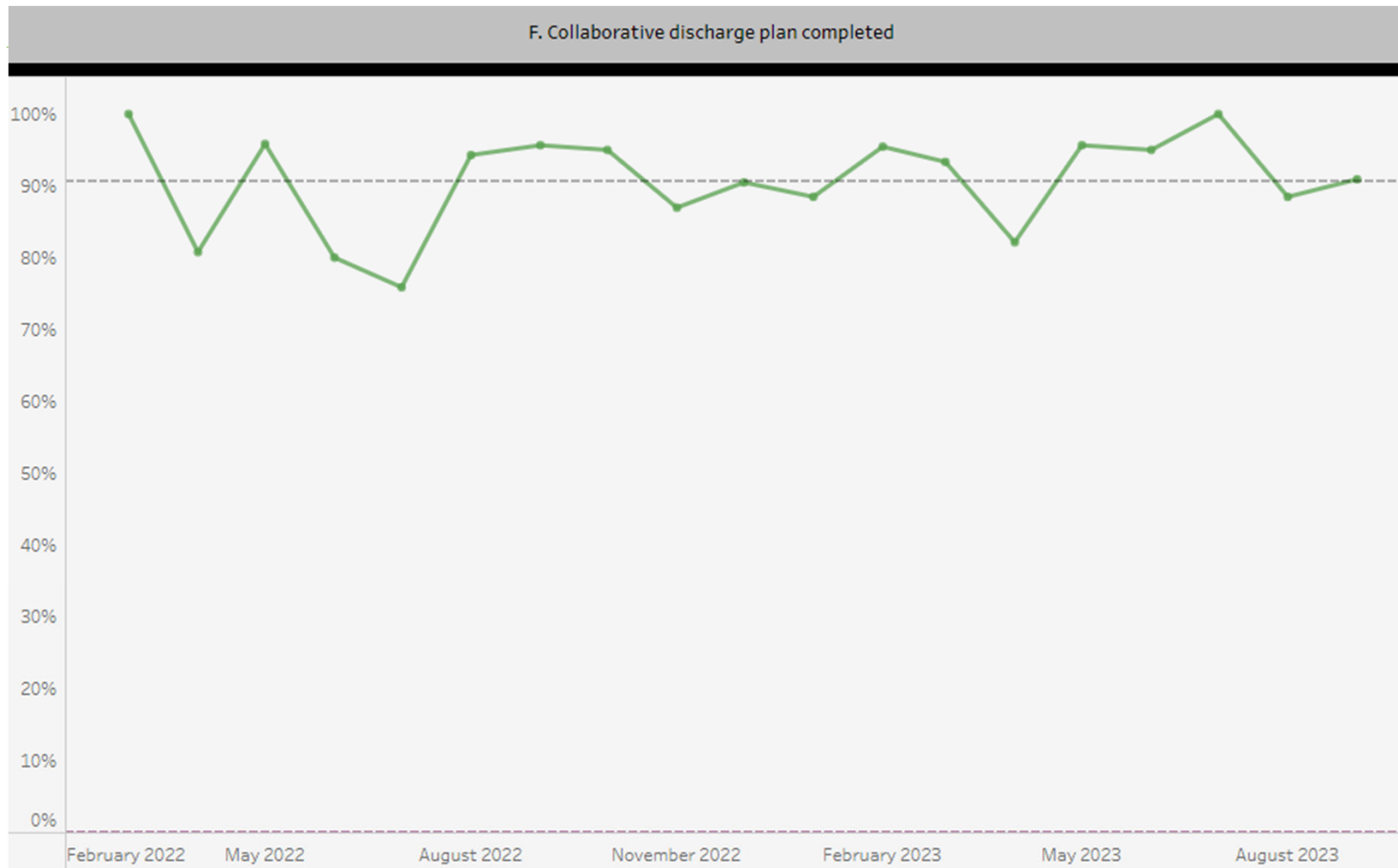


# Length of Stay

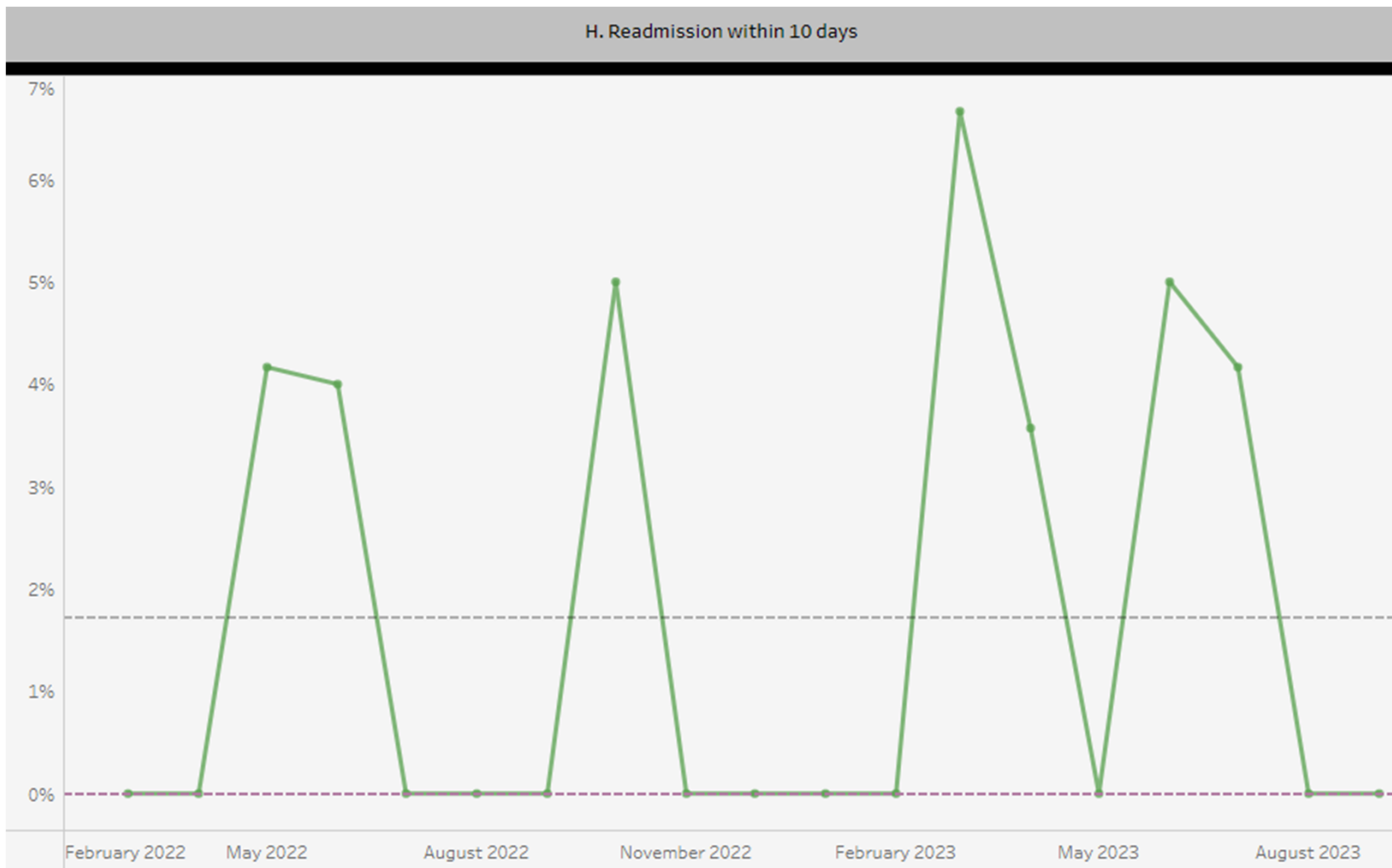




# Collaborative Discharge Plan



# Readmission





# Data Update

Structural Measures

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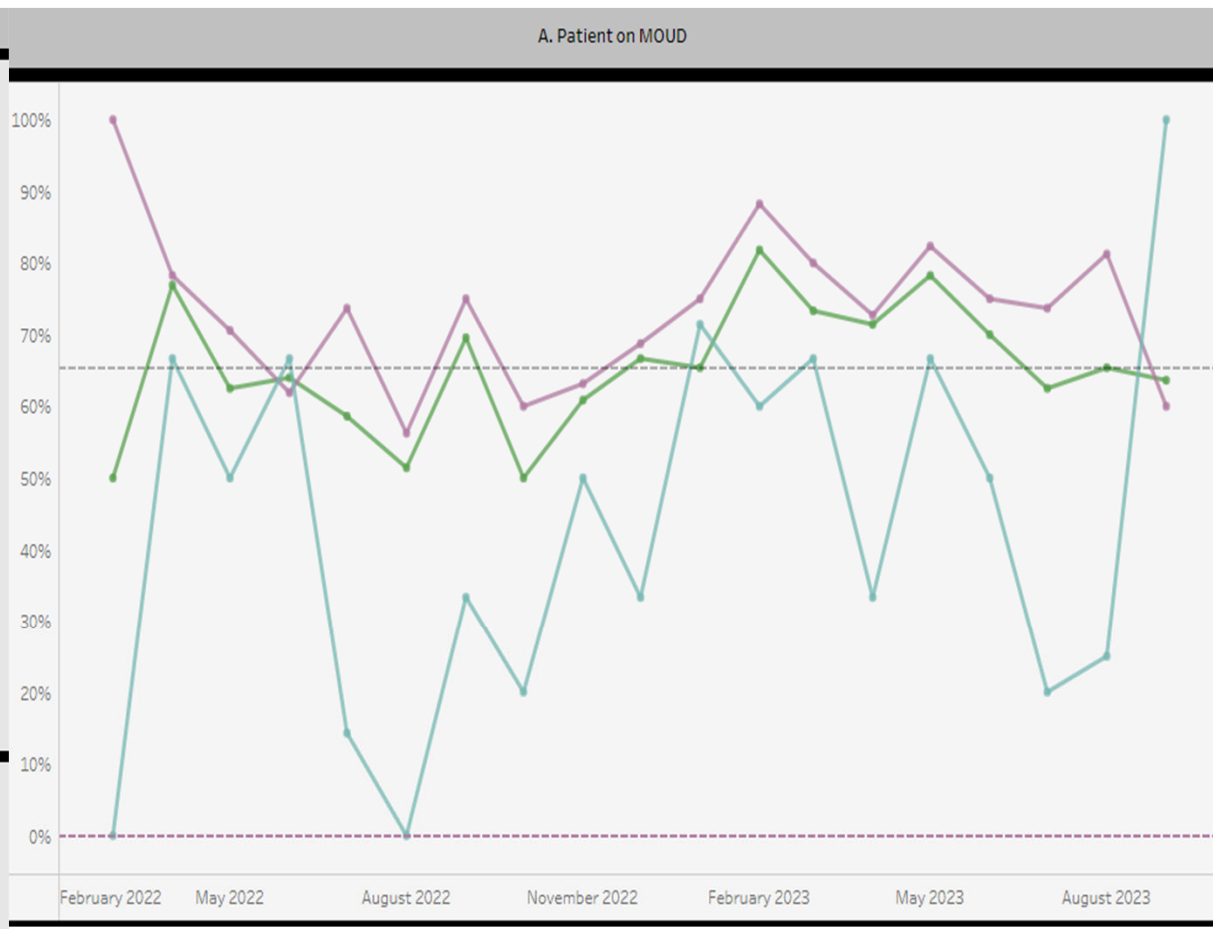
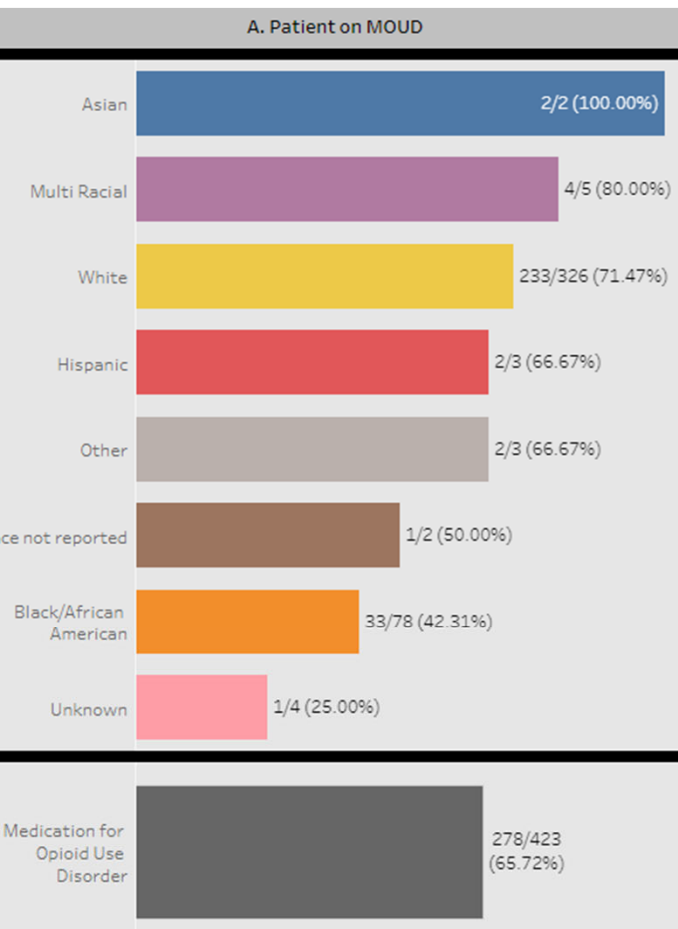




# Data Update

Race / Ethnicity Data

# Medication for Opioid Use Disorder



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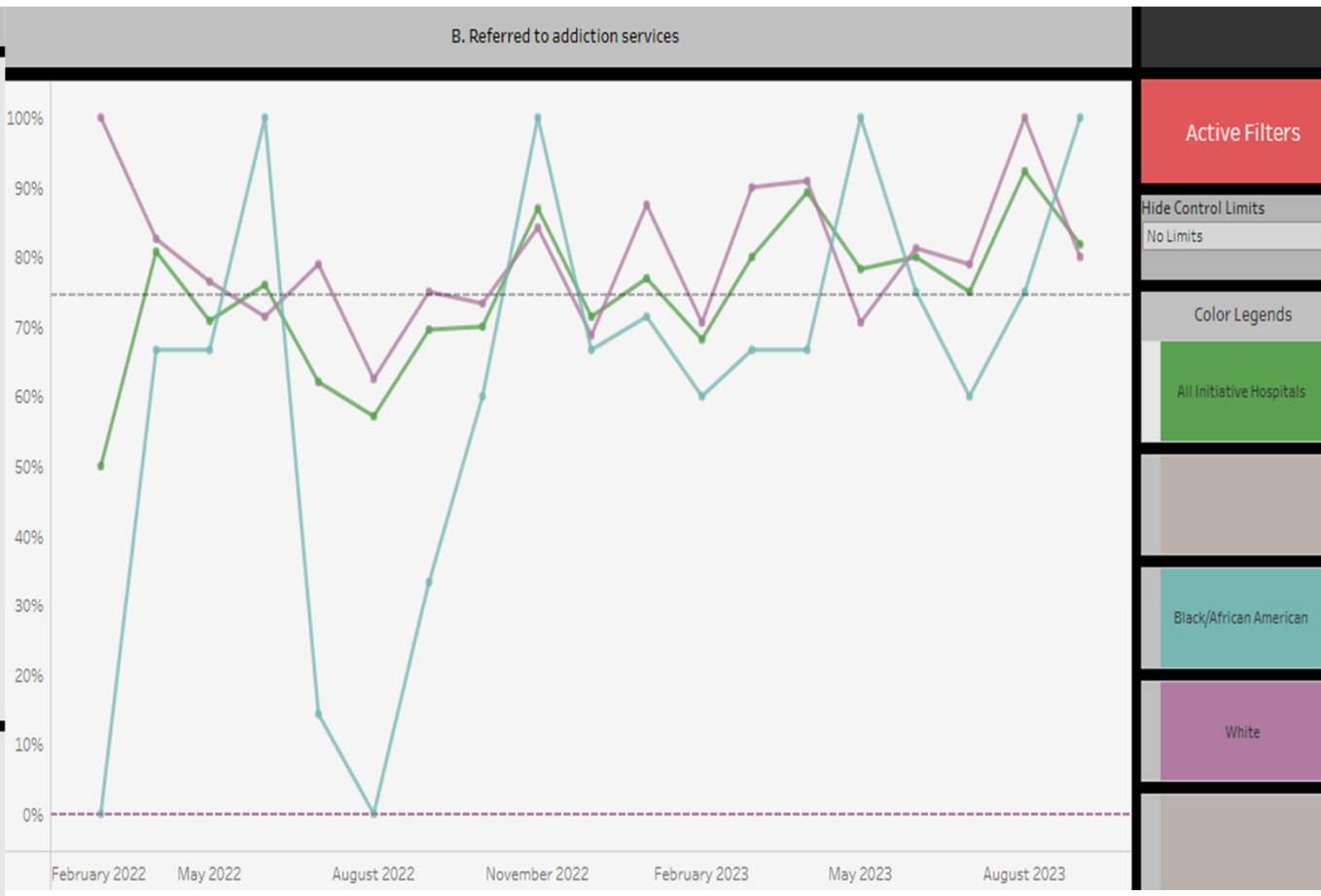
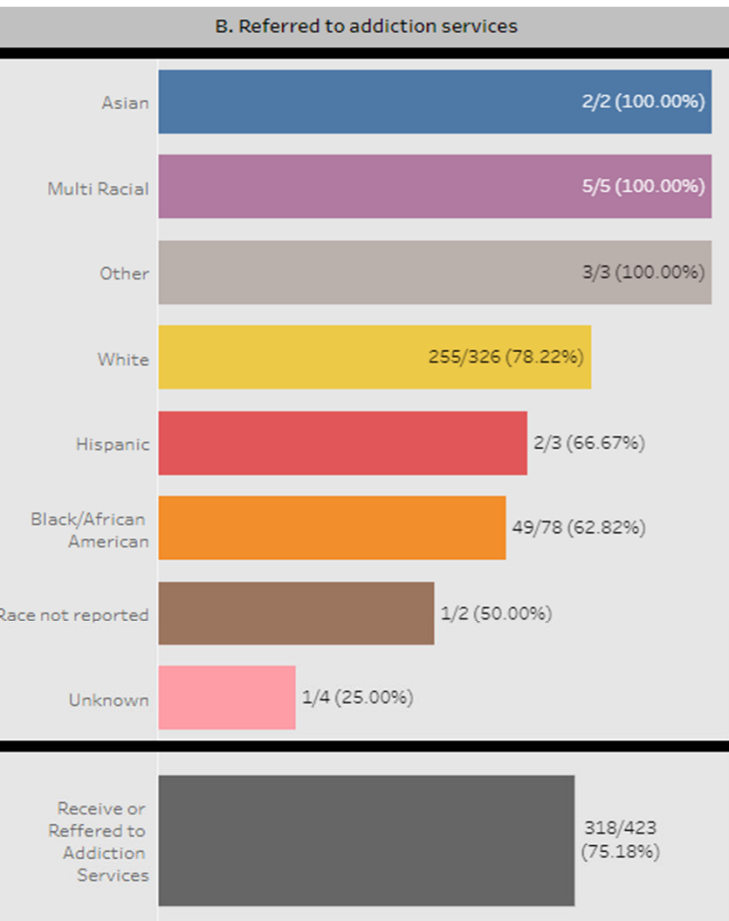
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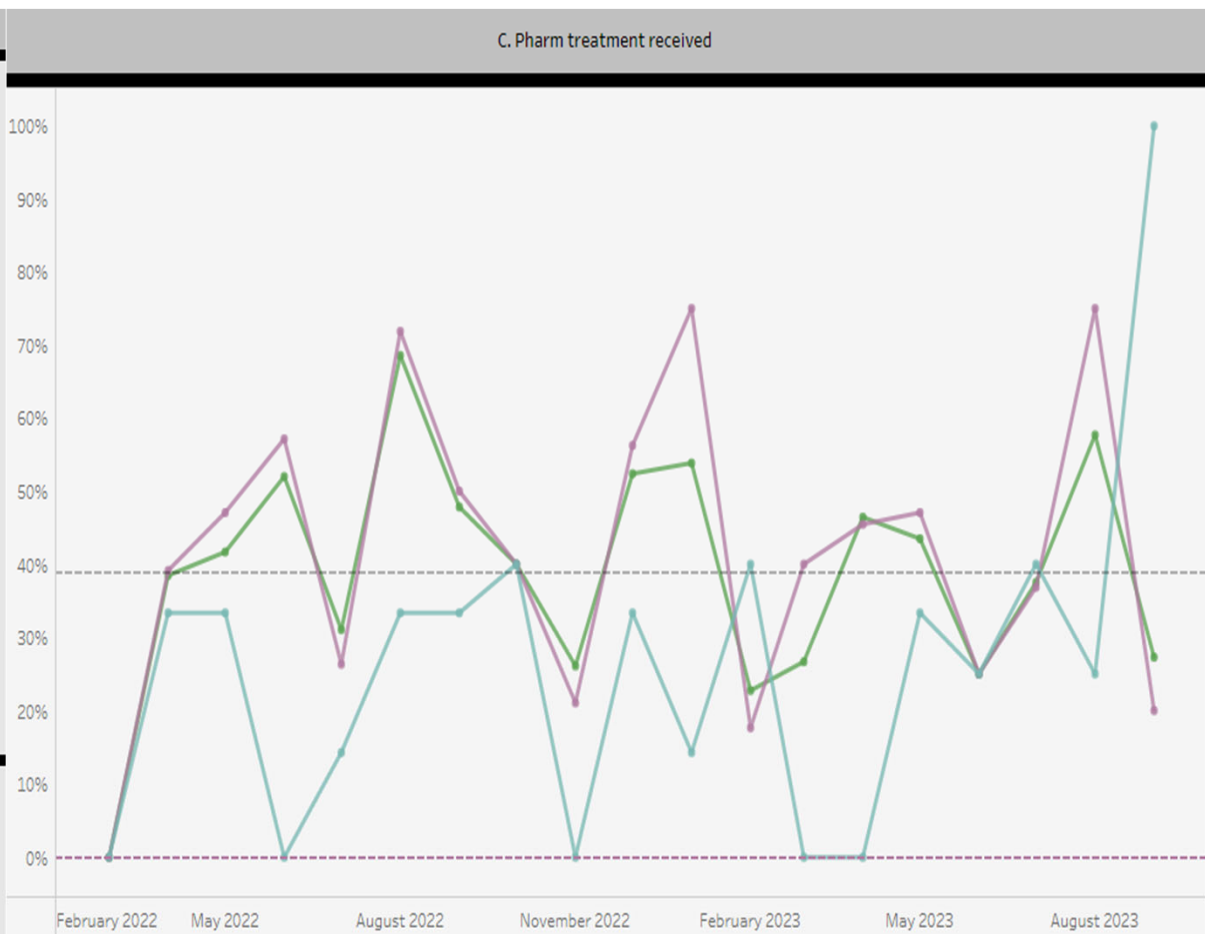
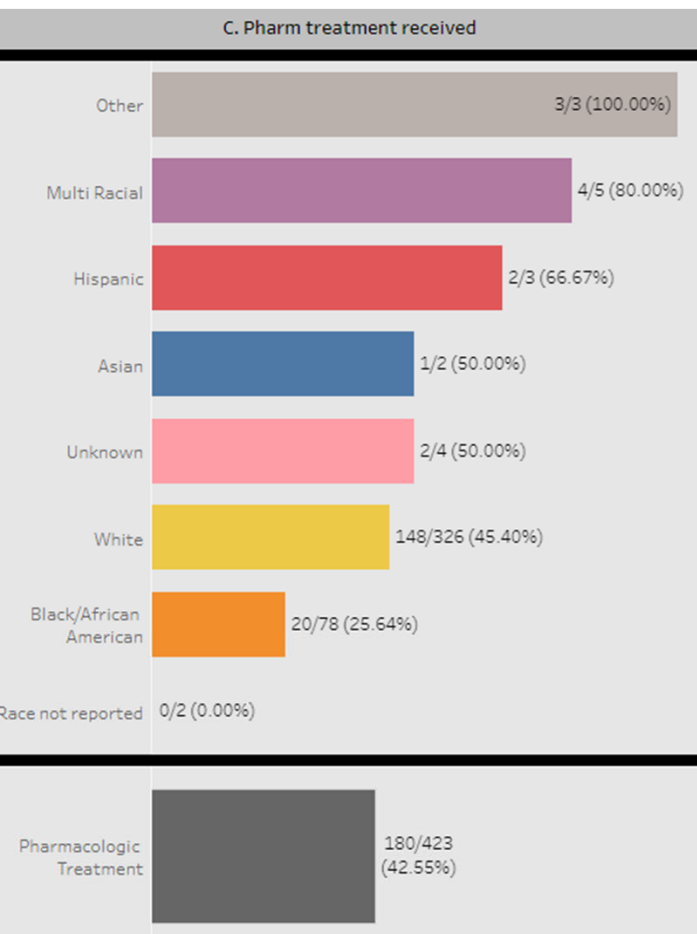
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# Addiction Services



# Pharm Care



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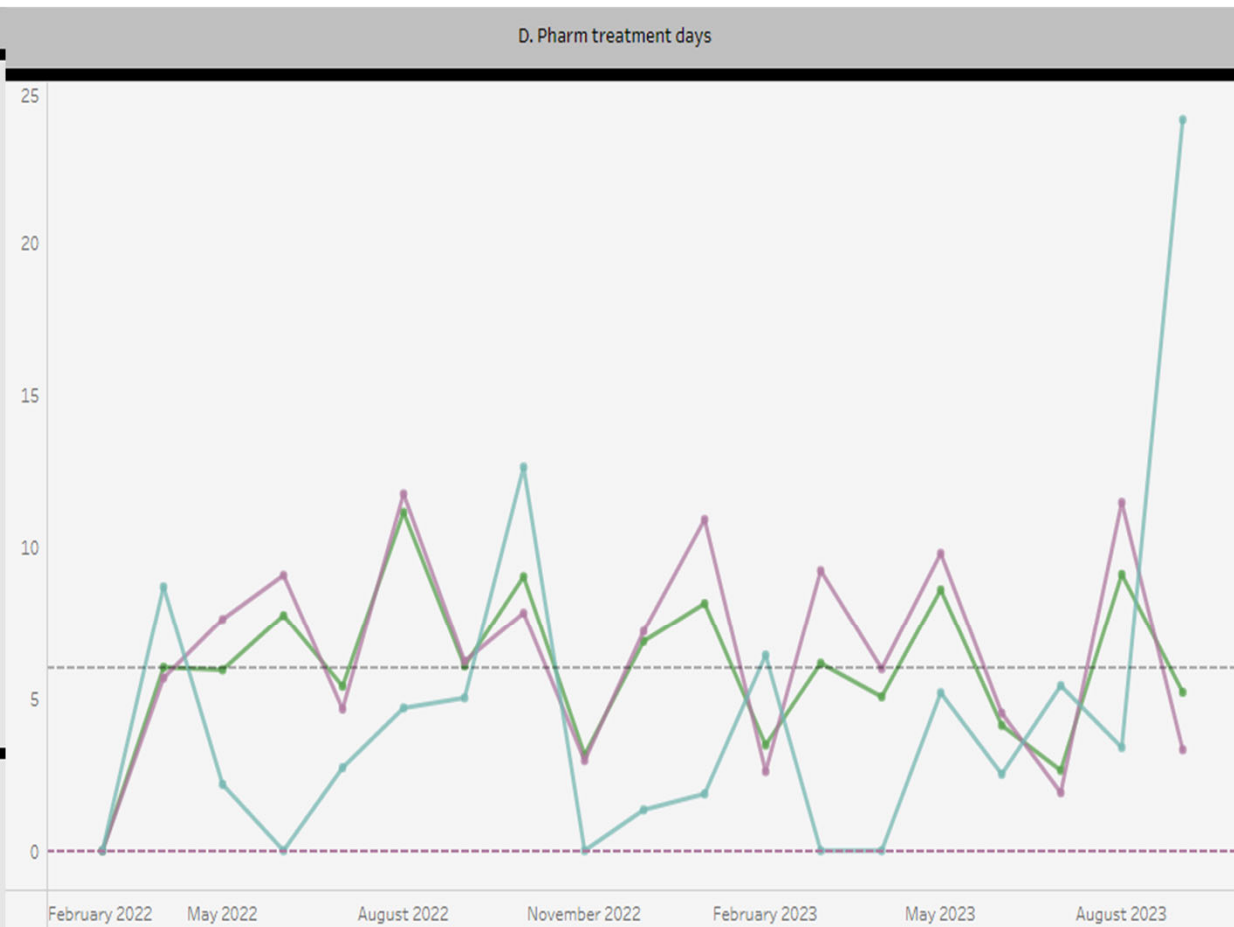
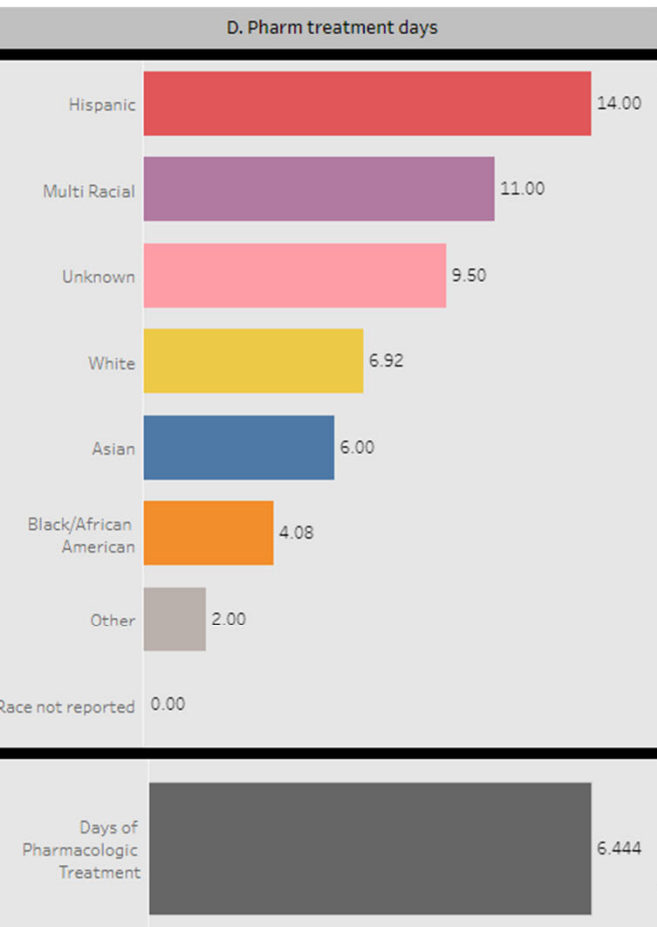
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# Pharm Days



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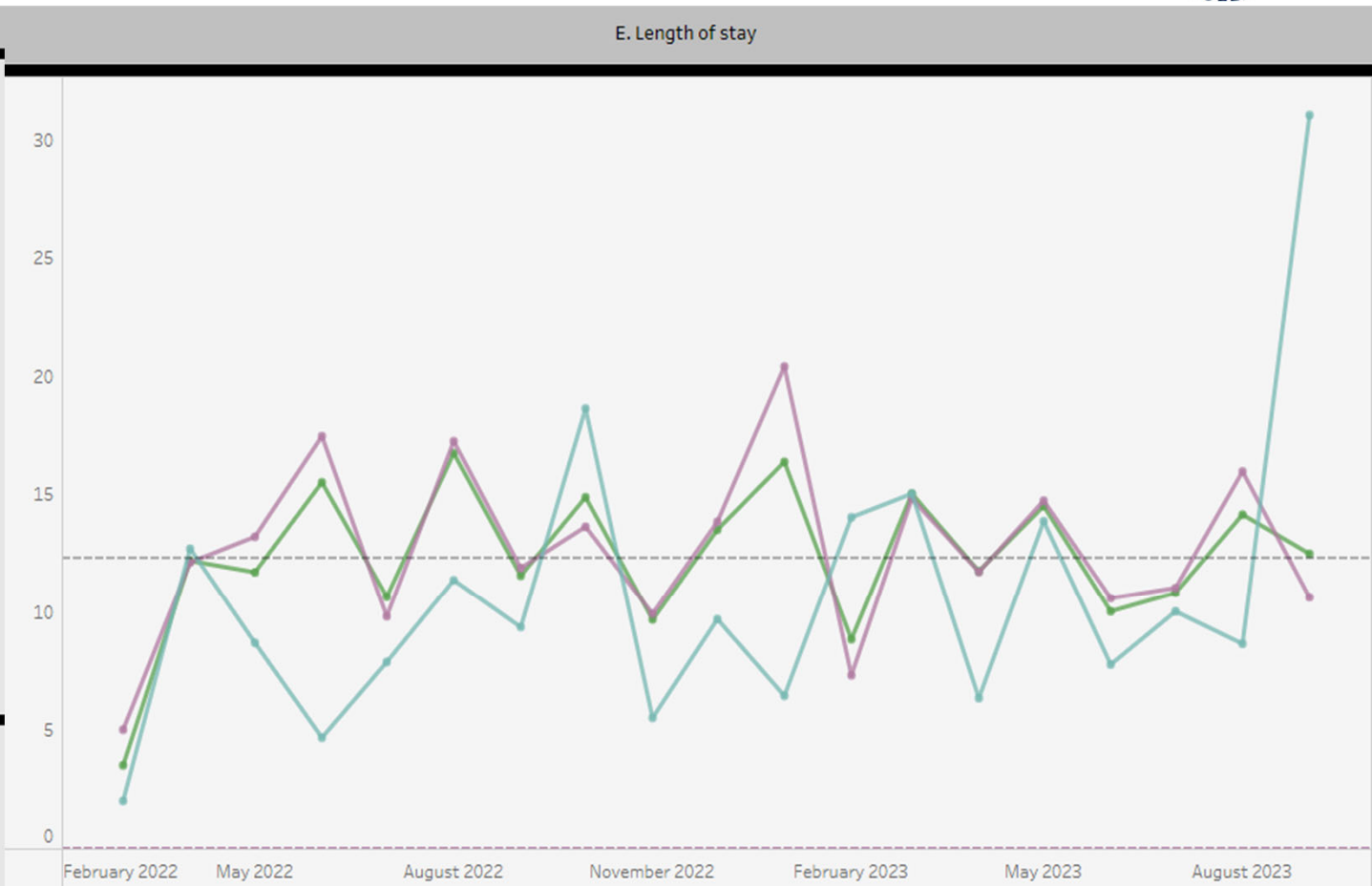
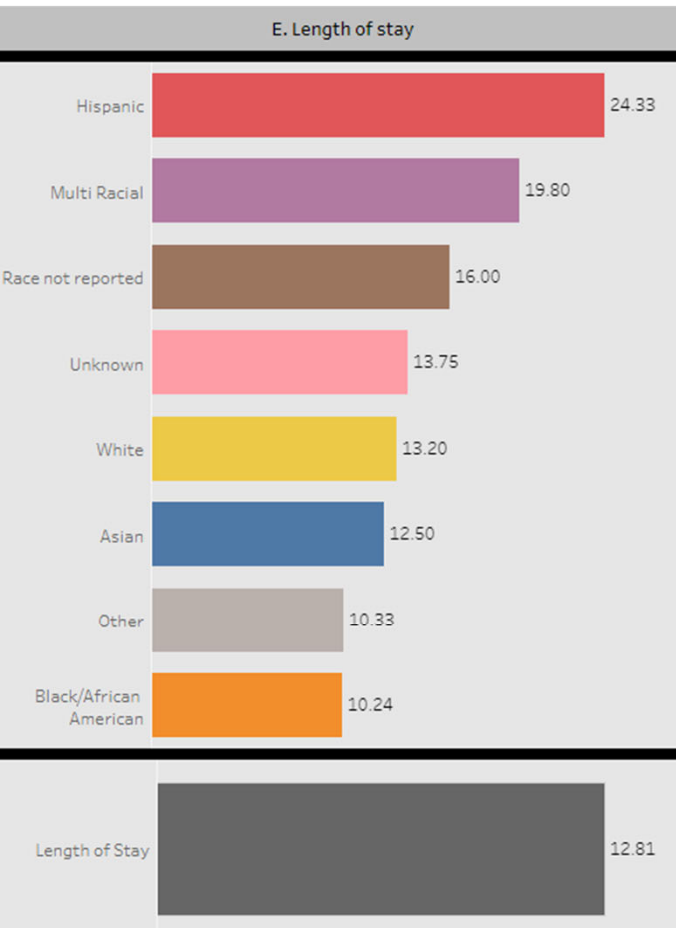
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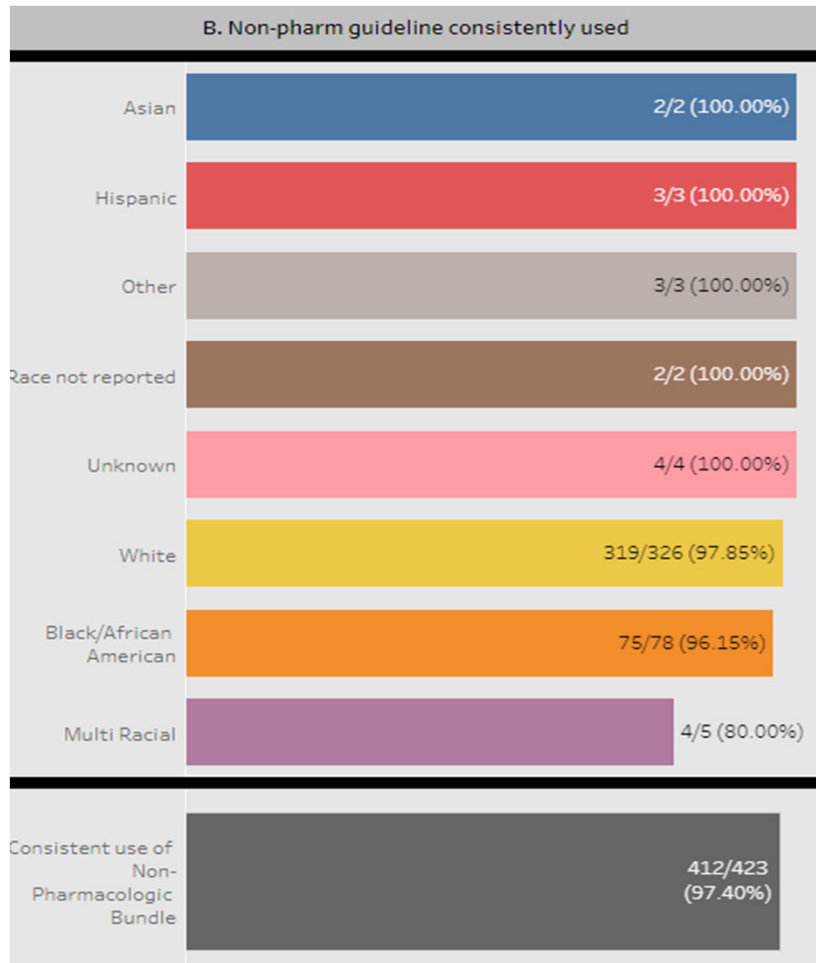
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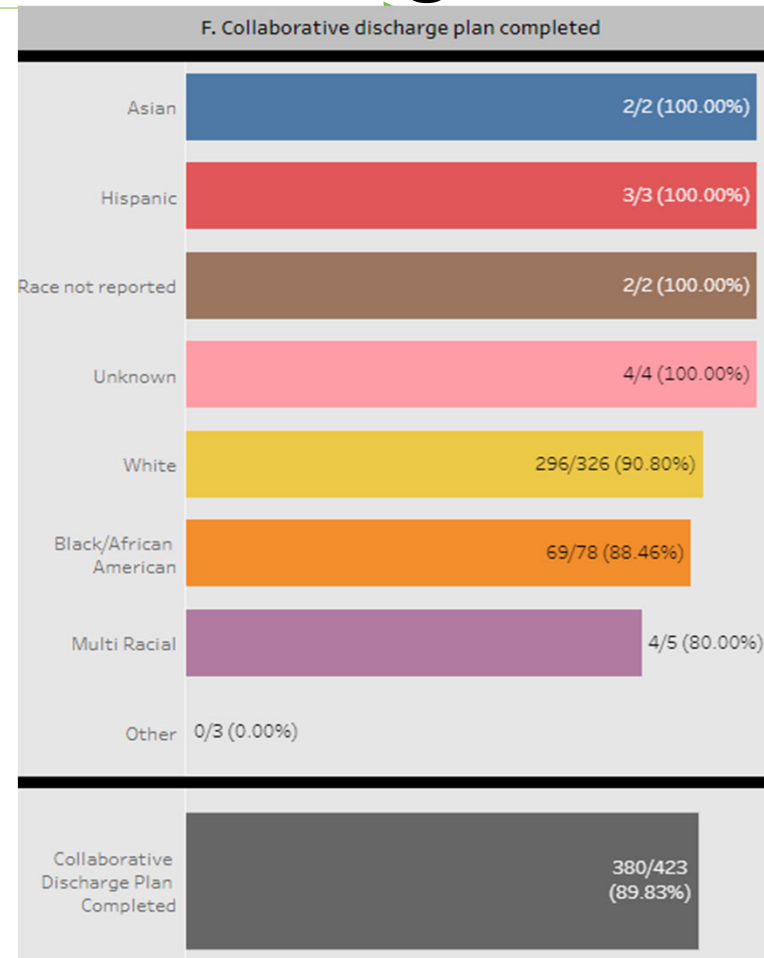
# Length of Stay



# Non-Pharm Care



# Collaborative Discharge Plan





# Sustainability Phase Data Submission

## QUARTERLY REPORTING Process & Outcome Measures

Reported on <u>ALL</u> NOWS patients		Measurement Period	Reporting Due
Neonatal	Was a Collaborative Discharge Plan completed prior to discharge of infant? (see four components in <a href="#">Toolkit</a> )	Oct – Dec 2023	Jan 31, 2024
	How many days old was the infant at discharge? (Birth is day “0”)	Jan – Mar 2024	April 30, 2024
		Apr – Jun 2024	Jul 31, 2024
Process	Was the patient referred to addiction services prior to maternal discharge?	July - Sep 2024	Oct 31, 2024
	Was Narcan counseling documented in the medical record prior to patient discharge?	Oct – Dec 2024	Jan 31, 2025

All Measures Reported by Race/Ethnicity

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# Q&A

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Please feel free to **unmute** and ask questions

You may also enter comments or questions in the “chat” box



## Next Steps & Reminders

# Data Submission Reminders

## MONTHLY Measures



Process & Outcome Measures		Measurement Period	Reporting Due
Neonatal	A. Did the infant have evidence of opioid withdrawal?	May 2023 ↔	Jun 30, 2023
	B. Was a non-pharmacologic guideline used throughout the infant's hospitalization?		
	C. Did infant receive pharmacologic treatment?		
	D. <b>If</b> infant received pharmacologic treatment, for how many days did the infant receive treatment (Birth is day "0")		
	E. How many days old was the infant at discharge (Birth is day "0")		
	F. Was a Collaborative Discharge Plan completed prior to discharge?		
	G. If not born at your facility, how many days old was infant when transfer was received?		
	H. Was the infant readmitted for any cause within 10 days of discharge?		
		<b>Sep 2023</b> ↔	<b>Oct 31, 2023</b>
Obstetrical	A. Was the patient on Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)? (e.g. on prescribed methadone/ Subutex/etc.)		
	B. Was the patient referred to addiction services prior to maternal discharge?		
	C. Was Narcan counseling documented in the medical record prior to patient discharge?		

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# Data Submission Reminders

## QUARTERLY Measures



Structure Measure	Measurement Period	Reporting Due*
1. Hospital has implemented education practices for hospital staff for reducing stigma in opioid-exposed newborns (OENs)		
2. Hospital has implemented education practices for hospital staff for scoring OENs	<del>Oct – Dec 2022</del>	<del>Jan 31, 2022</del>
3. Hospital has implemented standardized non-pharmacologic guidelines for OENs	<del>Jan – Mar 2023</del>	<del>Mar 31, 2023</del>
4. Hospital has implemented standardized practices of when to transfer infants with NOWs to a higher level of care	<del>Apr – Jun 2023</del>	<del>Jun 30, 2023</del>
5. Hospital has implemented standardized pharmacologic guidelines for infants with NOWS	<b>July – Sep 2023</b>	<b>Oct 31, 2023</b>
6. Hospital has implemented standardized protocols/guidelines for Collaborative Discharge Plan for mothers and infants		

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# Next Meeting

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**Wednesday, January 24<sup>th</sup> at 12pm**