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## **New York Presbyterian's HIV Care Cascade: Methodology & Next Steps**

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# Cascade Reporting Requirements

- Open versus Active caseloads
  - Open: any services at NYP
  - Active: any services at NYP HIV Programs
    - Excluded from active if deceased, incarcerated, or in care elsewhere
- Required measures:
  - Linkage of new patients w/in 3-5 days of diagnosis
  - Prescription of ART (active only)
  - Viral load suppression (active only)

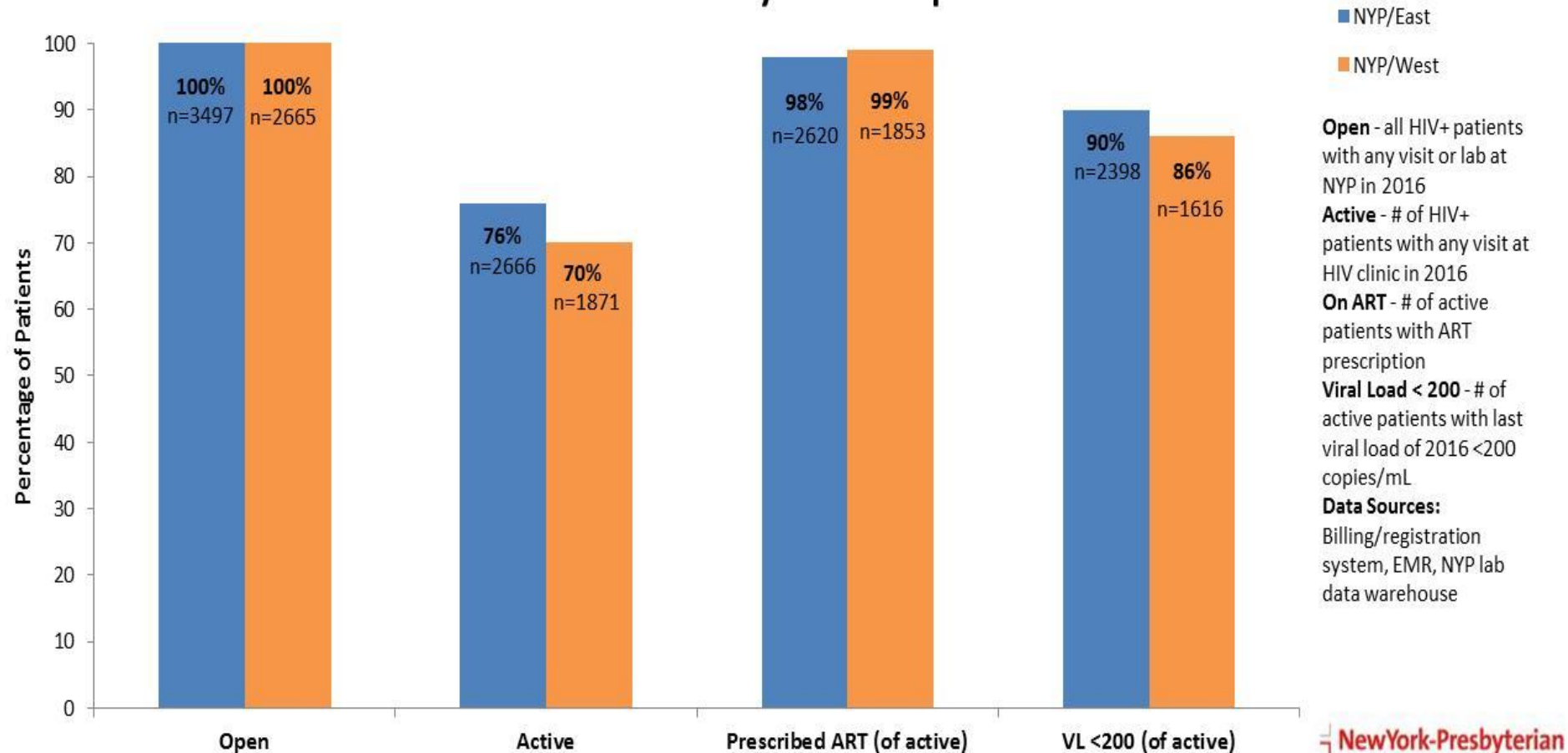
# Methods

- Identifying open population
  - HIV-positive
    - ICD codes, positive confirmatory test, genotype test, or both VL & CD4
  - Seen in 2016
    - Any registration or lab (of any type) at NYP
- Identifying active population
  - Visits in clinic-specific EMR

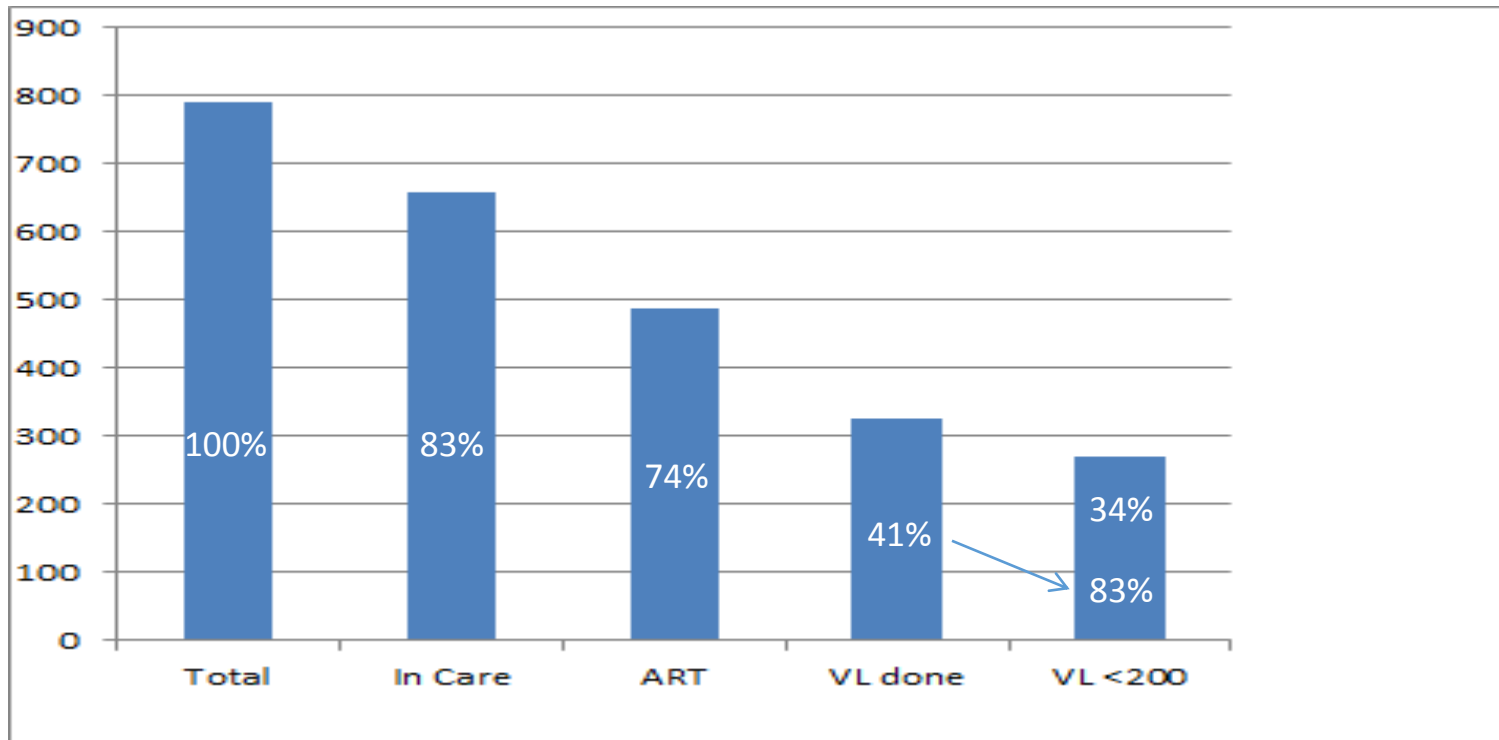
## Methods (cont'd)

- New patient linkage
  - Tracking spreadsheet
  - Chart review
- ART prescription
  - EMR NDC codes
  - VL proxy (ever <200 during 2016)
  - Chart review
- Viral load data
  - NYP electronic clinical data warehouse

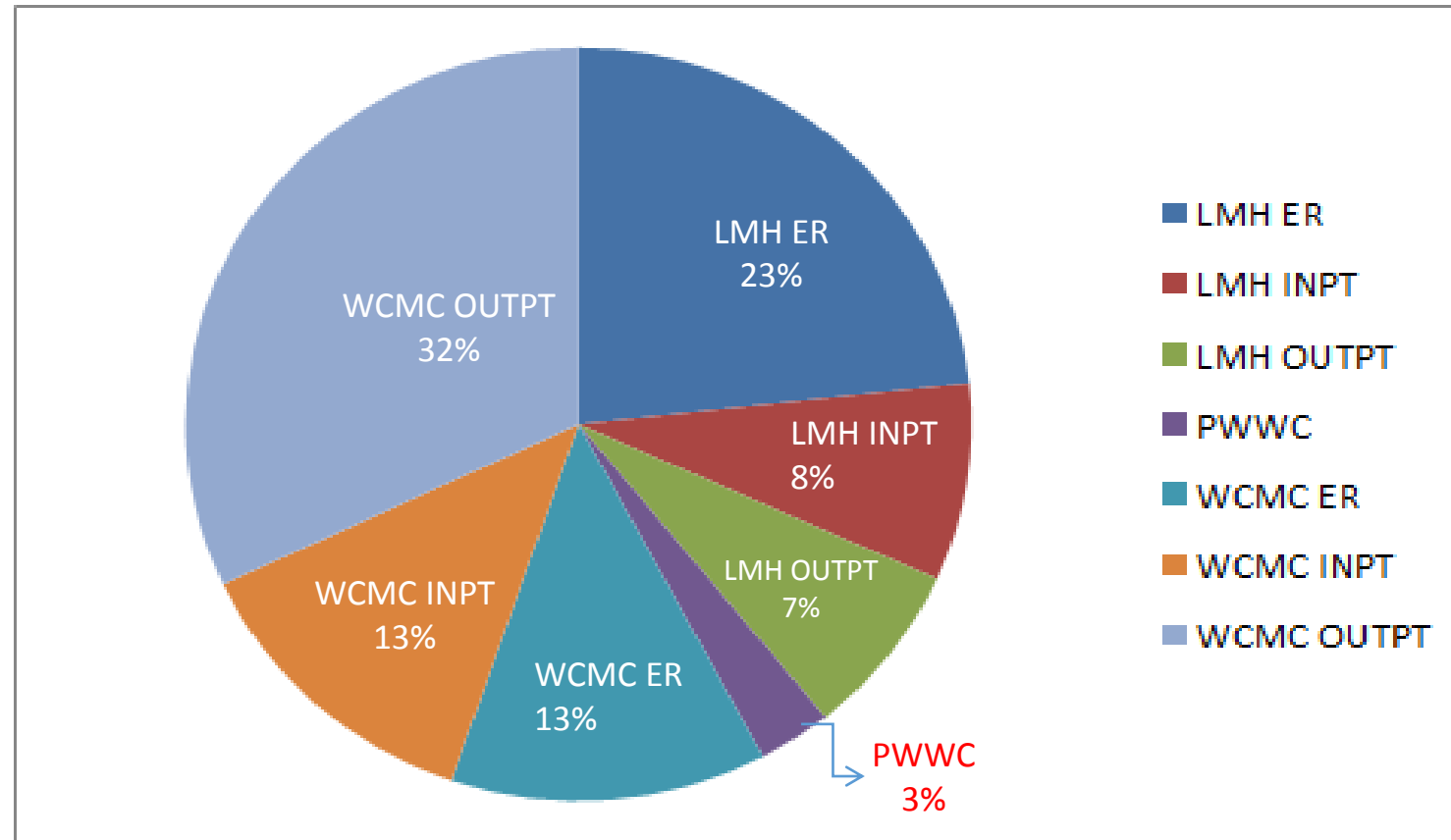
## HIV Care Cascade for Established Patients, 2016 New York-Presbyterian Hospital



# Open Caseload on the NYP East Campus (PWWC, WCMC, LMH)

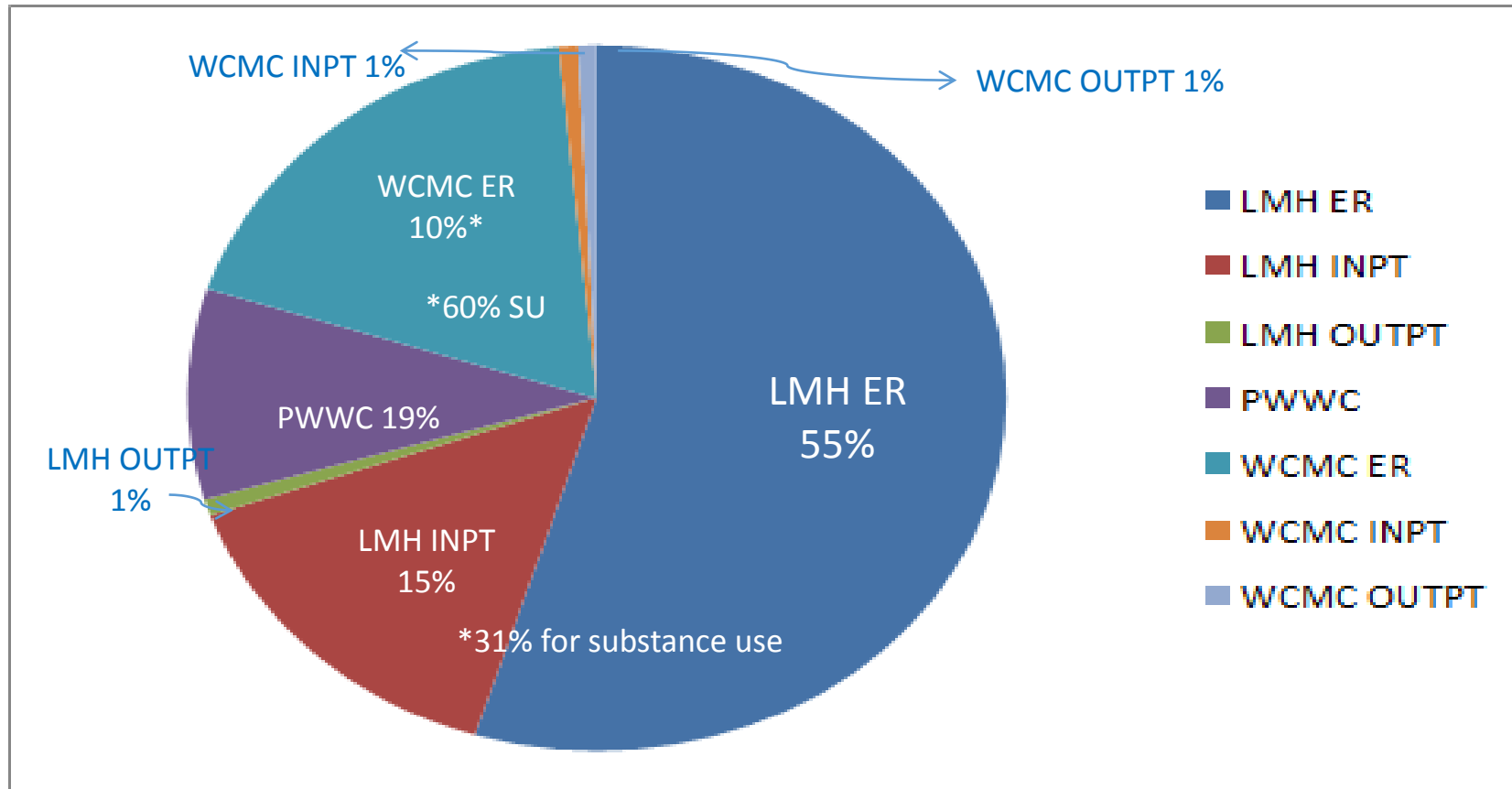


# Distribution of Open Caseload East Campus



# Distribution of patients with no follow-up

791 OPEN → 135 NO F/U (17%)





# Current protocol for rapid reactive in the ERs at WCMC and LMH

- “Perpetual” calendar by week with Attending name, date, time for appt
- Call for same day appt or, if off-hours, email listserv that includes senior staff from each discipline at CSS, both sites
- Once email received, social work contacts patient to set up time as appropriate, same-day or next-day
- Back-up failsafe, RN who checks labs post-discharge emails me all positives
- Continue outreach until appointment made or hand-off to FSU at DOH

# Current protocol for WCMC inpatients

- EMR notification for all CSS patients at time of arrival to ER
- For non-CSS patients ARVs cannot be prescribed without contacting CSS attending (need modifier in EMR to identify as HIV+)
- Attending discusses with team and most of the time will consult unless patient has outside care and is stable and here for non-HIV related reason
- We missed only 1 inpatient in 2016 at WCMC
- No similar protocol at LMH

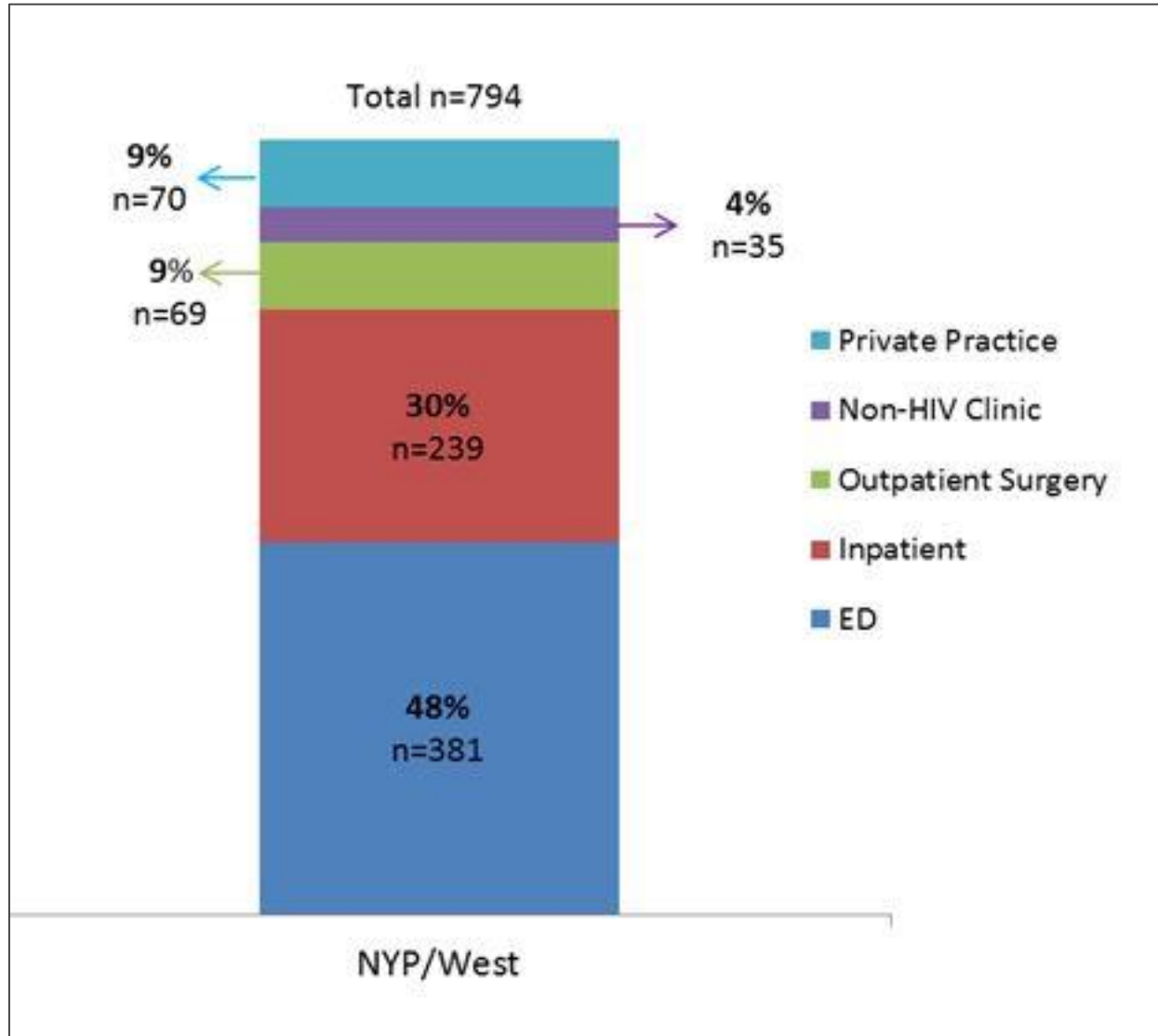
# Target population East: ER treat and release

- ER navigators now in place at both Emergency rooms to identify patients with HIV who do not have a PCP
- ER navigators will contact REACH liaison, CSS administrator, and myself via email or phone
- Both CSS sites have embedded peers and case managers (from the Alliance and Village Care), as well as an outreach/linkage coordinator to track patients

# ER system not yet good enough

- Navigators unable to cover 24/7/365, and patients slip through
- Need a real-time IT solution to identify patients with HIV diagnosis for chart review and follow-up during or shortly after ER visit
- Ideally would then access RHIO to see where patients receive care or if they are connected to any CBOs (consent issues)
- Social workers, case managers, peers can do outreach for patients who are not in care
- Need to be able to access CSR without 6-month limit for these kinds of patients if RHIO doesn't return information or unable to reach

# Open Caseload on the NYP West Campus (Columbia)

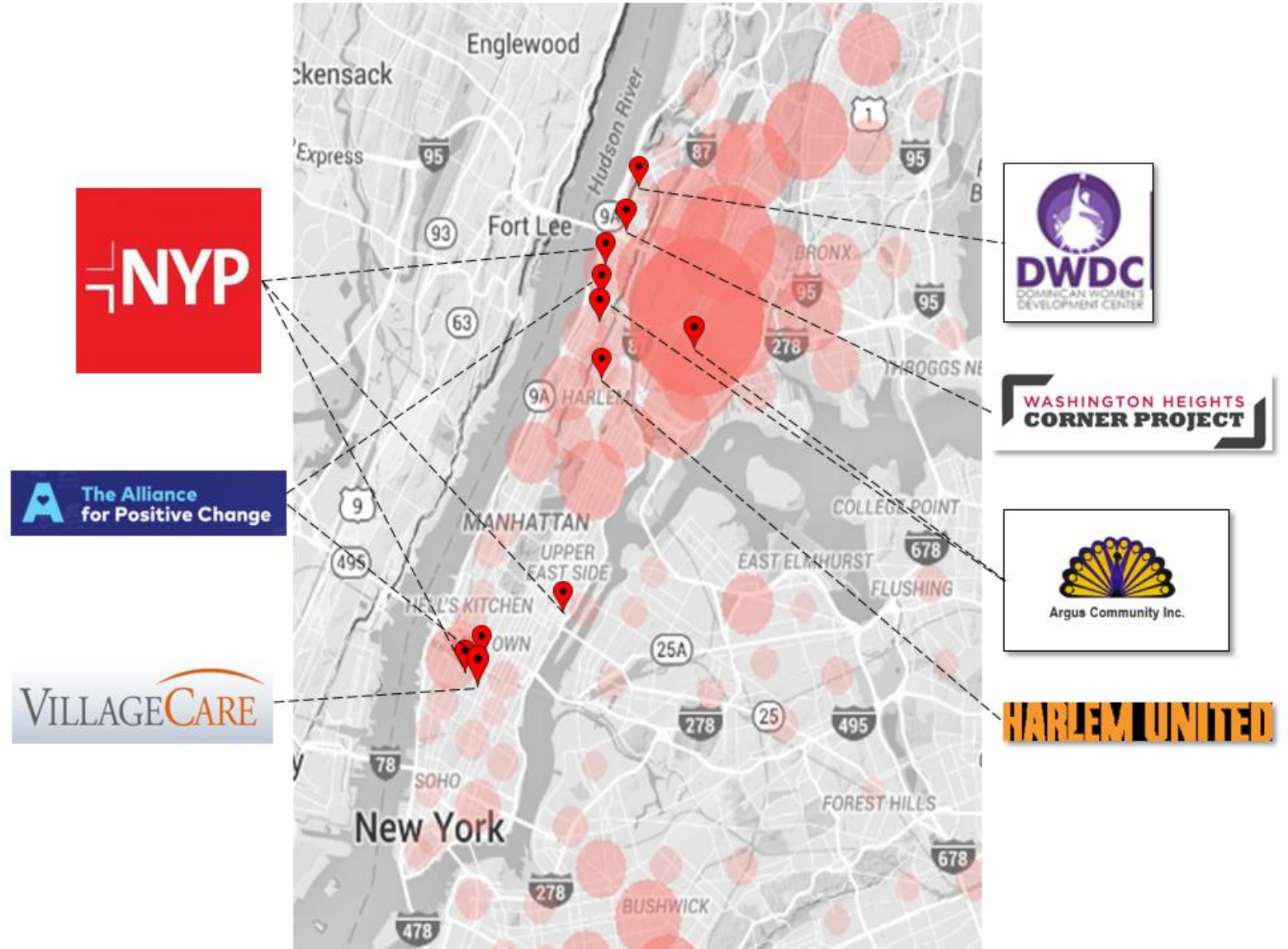


## Open Case Protocol

- ER Navigators -> CHP Care Coordinators
  - 'immediate visit'
  - 'hands on' patient navigation
- Open Cohort CSR Submissions
  - XXX % positive results
  - High mortality
- Healthix review when previous consent exists
  - Institution vs. Community Consent
- REACH Collaborative
- HASA Bottom-Up Pilot Project (in development)
- NYS open caseload data exchange (TBD)

# NYP and the REACH Collaborative

- Created in 2016 utilizing DSRIP funding
- Partnership committed to Ending the HIV Epidemic (ETE)
- Goals:
  - Share mission, think collectively, not organizationally
  - Utilize shared Care Coordination EMR
  - Get wired to Healthix
  - Utilize and customize Healthify



# HASA Bottom-Up Pilot Project

## Multi-Partner RHIO Enabled Intervention

- HASA Bottom-up Alerts Pilot
  - One of a number of HASA DHS demonstration projects (7)
  - Focuses upon an organization's open caseload but utilizes a regional health information organization (RHIO) as the foundation for complex care coordination

### Pilot Workflow

**Healthix-HASA connectivity & client consent (ongoing):** Through pending connectivity with Healthix, the HIV/AIDS Services Administration (HASA) consents clients and shares, at minimum, current address and contact information for consented clients.

**Identify cohort:** On a monthly basis, New York Presbyterian (NYP) creates and shares with Healthix a list of all clients attributed to the NYP Performing Provider System (PPS) who are:

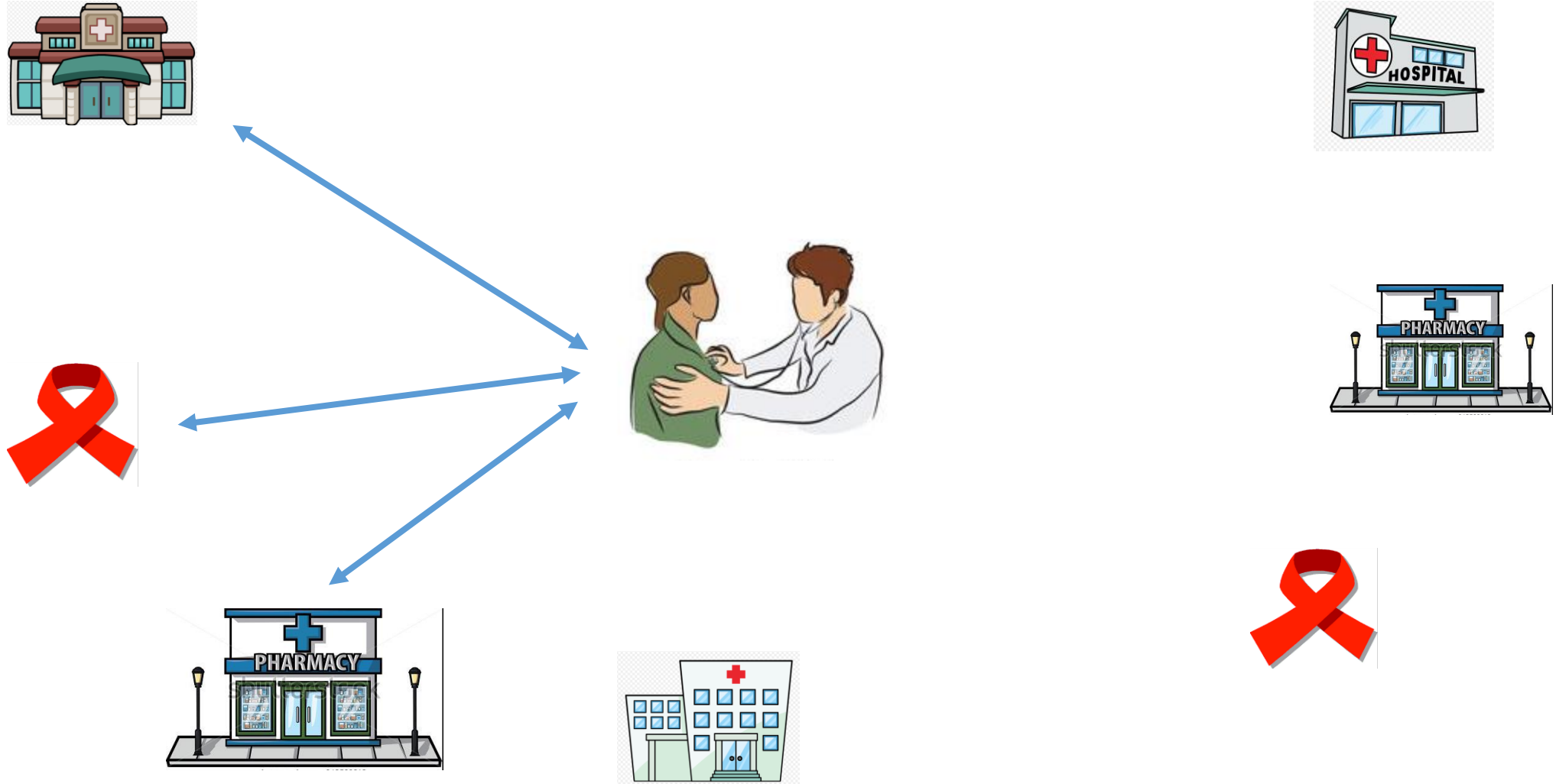
- HIV-positive
- Unsuppressed (viral load >200 copies/ml)
- Out of care for six months or more

**Alerts:** For clients in the cohort, Healthix sends alerts to Health Home managers at a local social service agency to support targeted case-finding. The Alliance for Positive Change (The Alliance) will be the first agency to participate. Alerts include:

- Out of care >6 months
- Detectable viral load, low CD4 count
- Change in client address, as listed in the HASA database

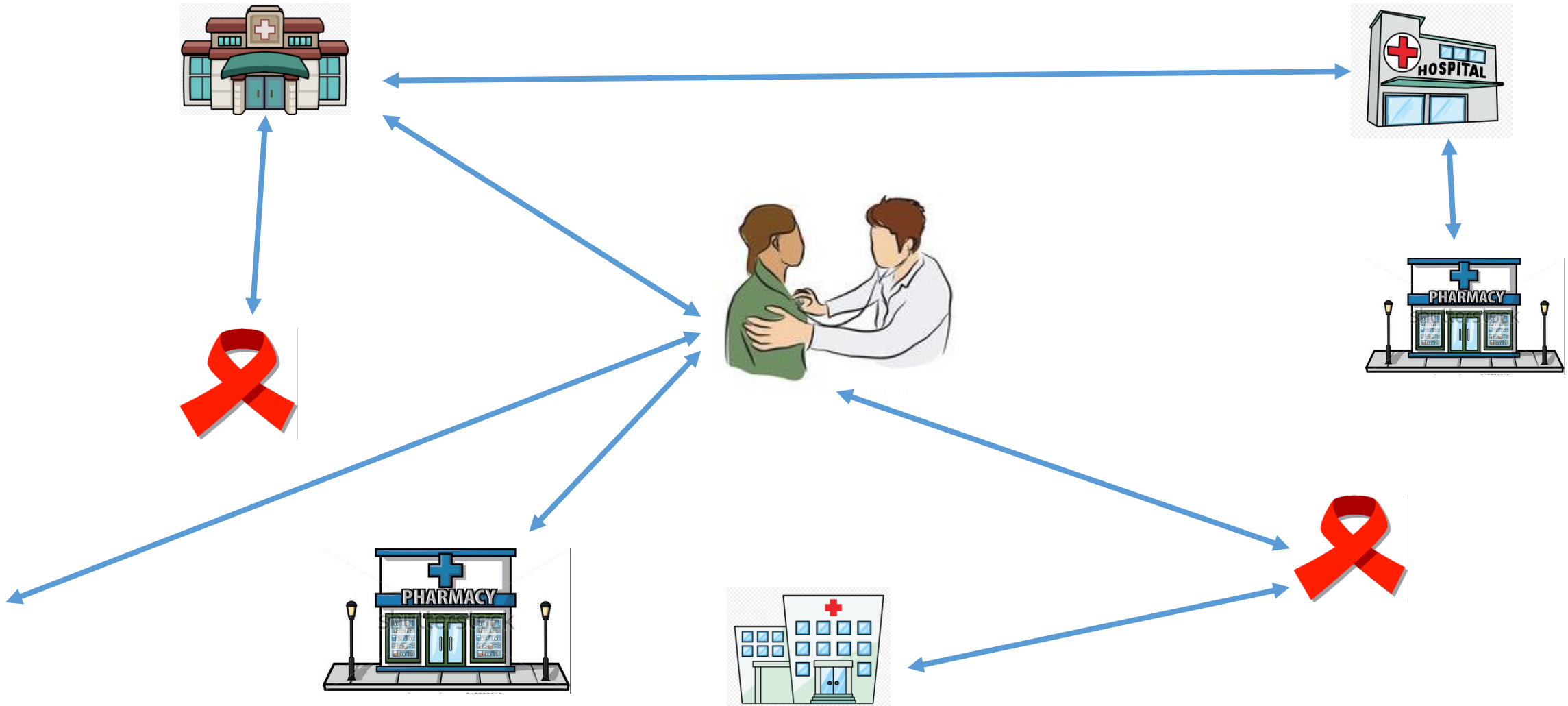
**Outreach:** Health Home peers conduct geographically targeted outreach to clients in cohort, prioritized by address, viral load, and CD4+ count.

# Identification of care status for some is straight forward.

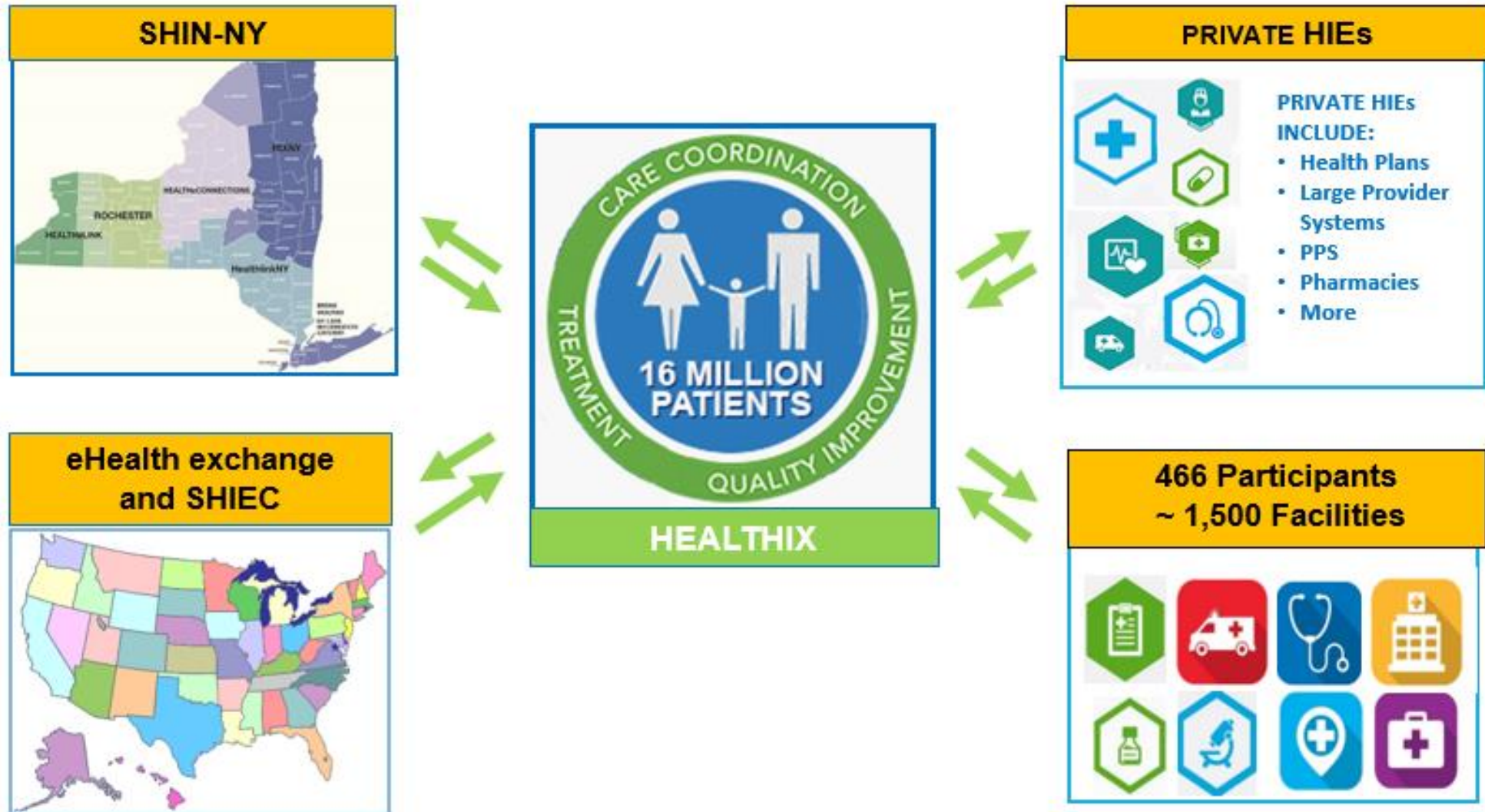




For many, it is not. Yet opportunities exist.



# Only way to manage data complexity is via a RHIO



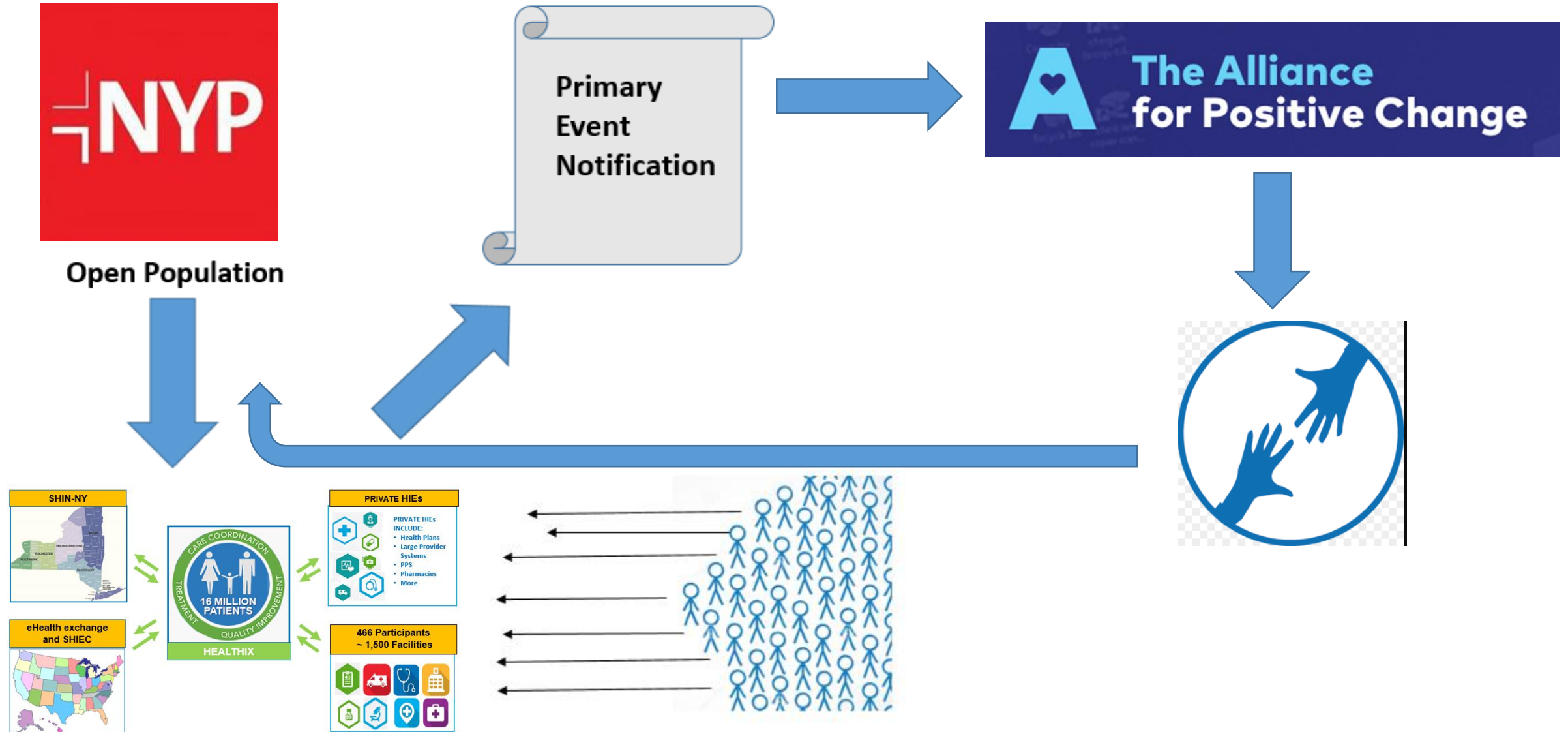
And we have a local, excellent RHIO that happens to be interested in ETE efforts

# Healthix



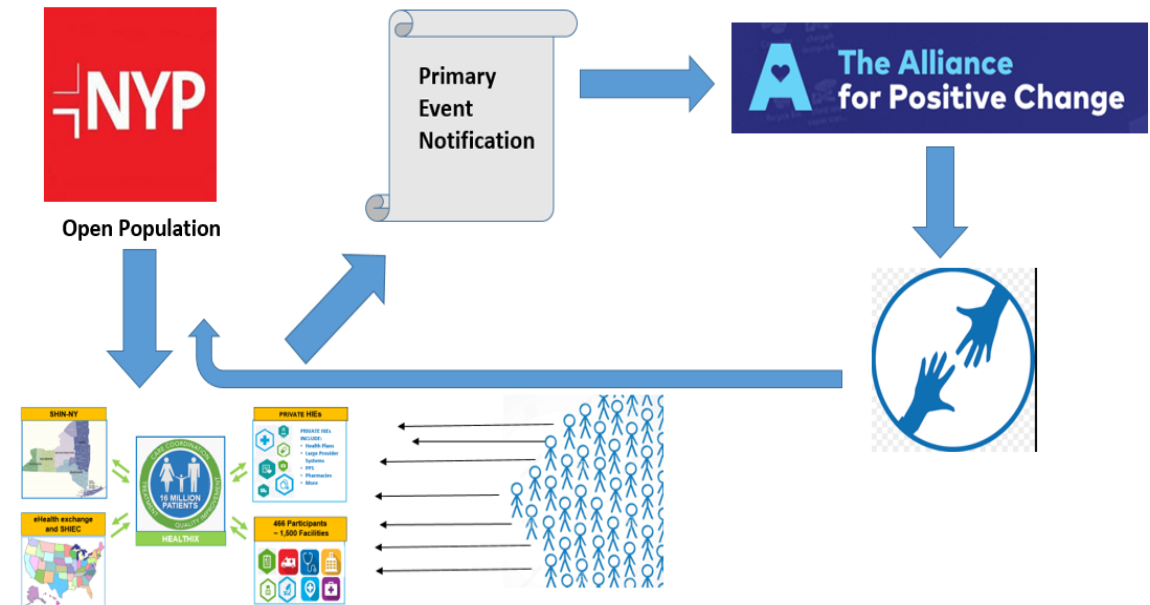


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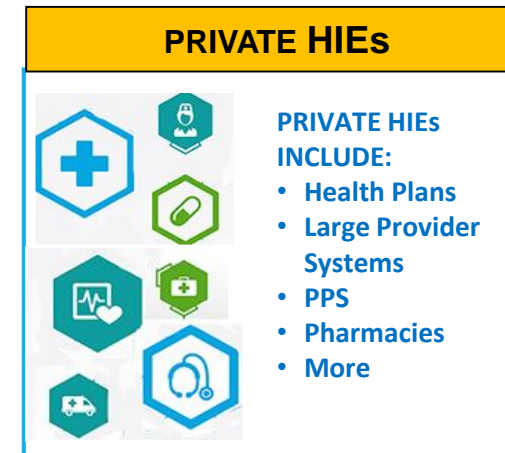
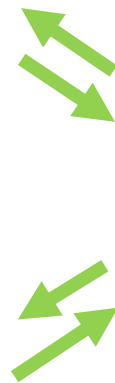
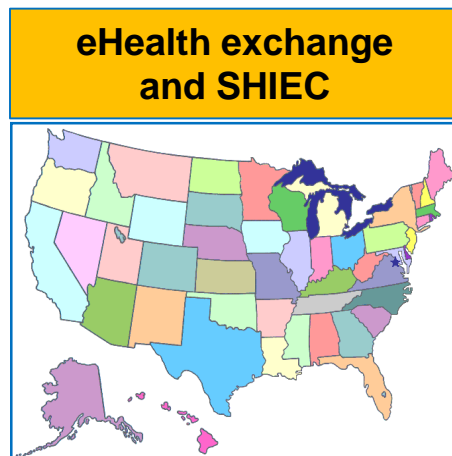
# HASA Bottom-Up Pilot Project

- New and important Healthix interfaces
  - DHS, HASA, HRA, HOPWA
- Many critical collaborators
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- Leverages evolving HIT infrastructure to solve otherwise insolvable challenges



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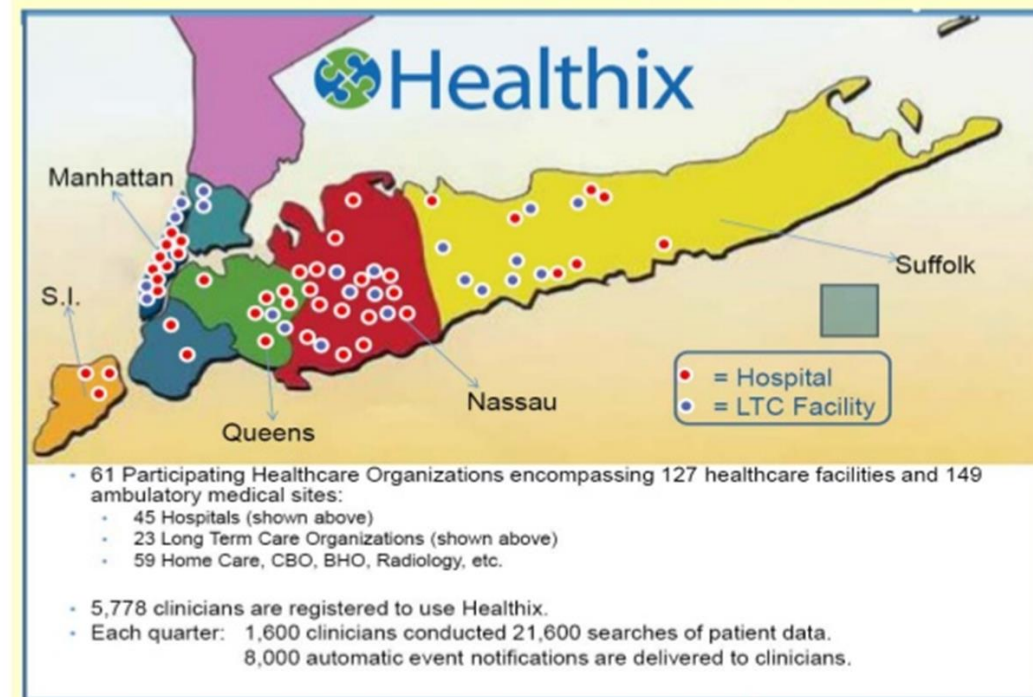
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## RHIO in NYC metro area





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