

# FACT SHEET

**Central Virginia Coalition of Healthcare Providers, LLC (CVCHIP) is an Accountable Care Organization that promotes accessible, high quality and affordable care to the Medicare population through a network of primary care physicians, specialists and other professionals.**



## SUCCESS STORY

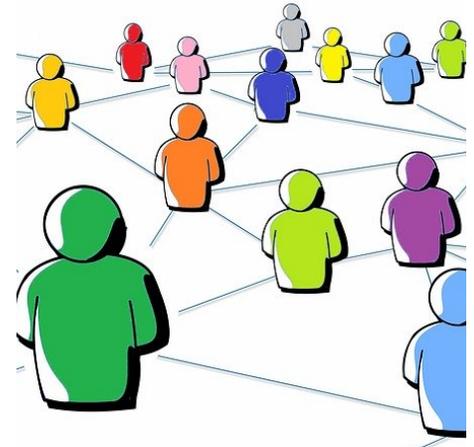
**CVCHIP, LLC** was awarded its first contract as an Accountable Care Organization (ACO) with the Medicare Shared Savings Program on January 1, 2016. CVCHIP's geographic span is from central Virginia, Hampton Roads, northwestern Virginia and northeastern North Carolina. **CVCHIP's** purpose is to achieve the Triple Aim of the MSSP and insure the sustainability of independent medical practices.

It has been successful 4 consecutive years in achieving the Triple Aim. One of only approximately 30% of the MSSP ACO's making this achievement. The leadership of **CVCHIP** decided to join Emergent ACO, based in Tennessee to pursue even greater success in 2020. This relationship has been successful to date.



## LEADERSHIP

Dr. Lerla G. Joseph has served as the CHAIR & CEO of CVCHIP since its inception. Her career has been marked by her concern for the practice of quality healthcare and service to communities of disparity. She is passionate about health care and the role of independent physicians in the delivery of health care. She believes that the physician-patient relationship is a sacred trust and can best be preserved through dedicated, well-trained, well-informed, and compassionate practitioners. In the changing health care environment, a collaborative relationship between physicians and ancillary health care providers and the patients is the key to successful improvement in quality, outcomes and cost containment.



## BENEFITS

CVCHIP is a collaborative healthcare organization created by providers for providers. When working with CVCHIP qualifying practices can continue with efforts already in place to improve the overall health of patients and maintain the independence of the practice irrespective of its demographic. Through CVCHIP you also have more access to resources to boost practice performance.. CVCHIP'S business model is based on a competency of practices and values of transparency, effective communication, inclusiveness and ethics. Finally, the ROI from CVCHIP'S performance has resulted in member shared savings that exceed CMS requirements for ACOs.