Breaking down barriers

Going beyond clinical care to address underlying barriers to patient health.

You know there’s more to your patients’ overall well-being than their physical health. But, there’s also more to addressing their overall well-being than the choices they make and the clinical care you provide. Social determinants of health – the conditions of the environment in which patients are born, live, learn, work, play and worship – play a key role in their ability to get and stay well.¹
Factors other than clinical care can account for over 80% of health outcomes.²

84% Social and economic factors

3% Physical environment

34% Health behaviors

16% Clinical care

See the impact on a seemingly simple health behavior, such as taking a prescribed medication.

POTENTIAL BARRIERS

- Patient
- Transportation to pharmacy
- Understanding instructions
- Financial hardship
- Prescribed medication

Despite the significant impact on health behaviors and outcomes:

Only 15% of physician practices are screening patients for key social needs.³
How are you addressing social determinants of health among your patients?

By identifying and understanding these challenges among your patients, you can provide a deeper level of support to guide them to better health. CareAllies is here to help.

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