



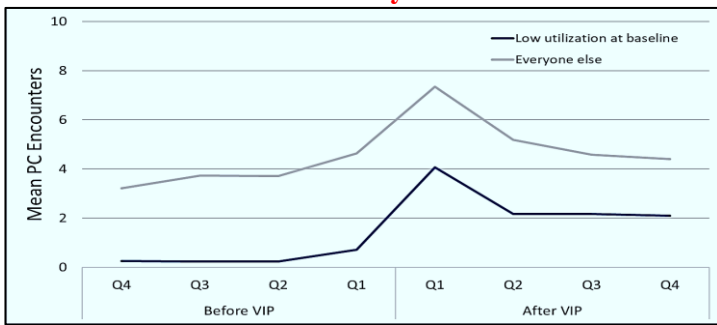
ENROLLMENT IN VIP

- 994 Veterans in first 18 months of VIP: March 2018 – September 2019
- How do VIP patients compare to other primary care patients?

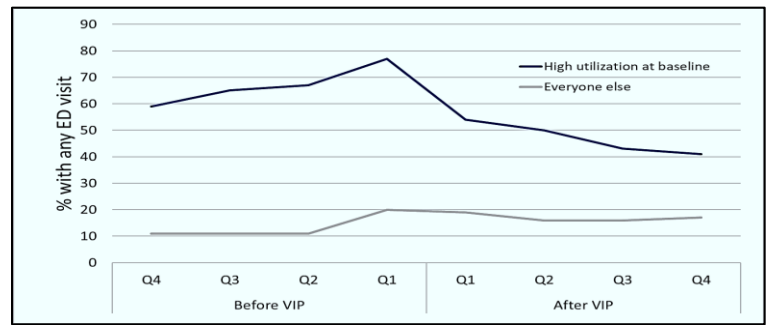
	VIP	Other patients at VA SLC
<b>Select clinical characteristics</b>	%	%
Any substance use disorder	52.3	9.2
Opioid use disorder	24.6	1.4
History of unstable housing	39.8	8.2
<b>Annual primary care visits (median)</b>	5	1-2
<b>Patients with OUD receiving medication (%)</b>	54.6	23.3

VIP RESULTS

RESULTS: Primary Care Encounters



RESULTS: ED visits



PARCKA PARLEYS

**Drug Demand Reduction Outreach Jesse Hudson, 2LT**  
**February 16, 2021 NOON (3rd Tuesday of each month)**  
 • All Faculty, Staff, Students & Community invited  
 Utah National Guard Counterdrug Program

**Guest Speaker: Jarrod Simmons, 17 year Army Veteran**

A brief overview of substance misuse prevention and the National Guard’s efforts to support Utah communities in creating local solutions to local problems. Also, a personal story of Substance Use Disorder by a 17 year army Veteran.

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We will post the CME code on ZOOM

Half & Half Medication for Opioid Use Disorder Waiver Trainings

Half & Half Medication for Opioid Use Disorder Waiver Trainings will be held on [February 12, 2021](#) from 2pm to 6:30pm ET. To receive credit, attendees must attend the whole training and have a working webcam. For registration details email [Anissa Danner](#) and [Matthew Dungan](#).

SCOUTT FEBRUARY EES CALL

**SAVE THE DATE NOTIFICATION!**

Establishing Different Models of Medication Treatment for Opioid Use Disorder – What is Necessary and Sufficient?

**February 10, 2021 1:00-2:00pm ET**

**Presented by:**

Jacob Baylis, MPH

Adam Gordon, MD, MPH, FACP, DFASM, CMRO

Register through TMS !

FEBRUARY 2020 VIP CHAT

Please announce to your networks our 30 minute, virtual VIP chat on Wednesday, February 24th, 2021 noon-1 PM MST: **“An interesting case of concurrent phenibut and alcohol withdrawal”**. If you have any questions you would like addressed, please submit it to [Nodira.Codell@va.gov](mailto:Nodira.Codell@va.gov)

For resources, guidances, past newsletters and presentations, visit our VIP SharePoint site:

<https://tinyurl.com/VISN19-VIP-Initiative>