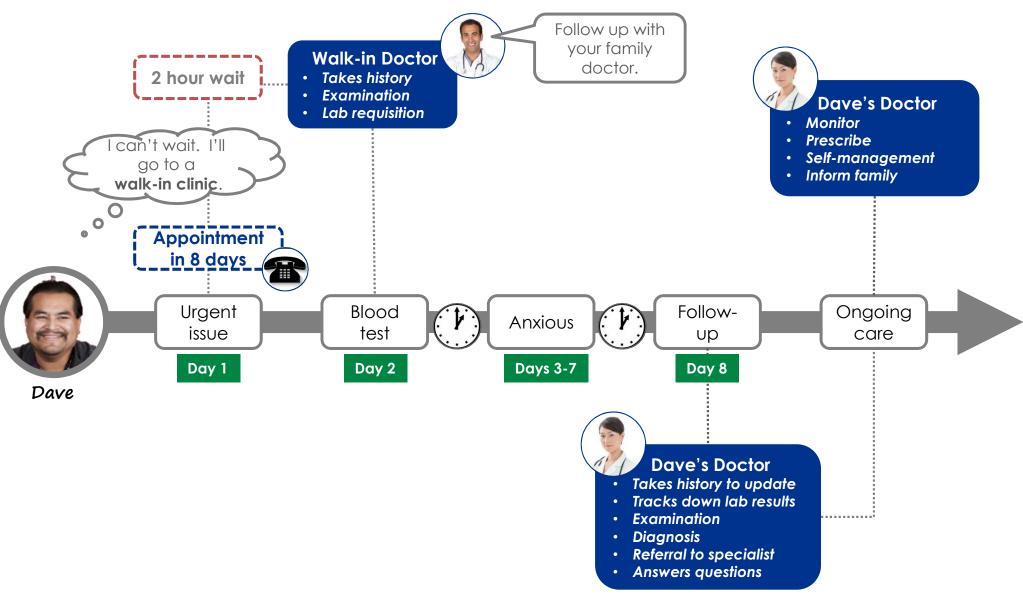
	Traditional Approach	PMH Approach
Patient's Role	 Consumer, not participant Receives advice/direction from physician 	 Active participant in care and treatment option discussions
Decision-maker	 Physician is 'solo act' and decision maker No team support for the physician to deliver comprehensive care Options not typically offered 	 Physician, care team and patient work together to make decisions Physician describes recommended treatment options and discusses pros and cons of each
Focus	 Disease-centred and event driven Physician is required to focus on treating just the current problem or diagnosed medical disease 	 Patient-centred, with an emphasis on prevention Physician and care team engage with patient to actively exchange ideas and look for solutions on how to improve his/her quality of life – beyond treating the symptoms
Communication	 Physician has little time available for discussion or for patient to ask questions No team support to inform and educate patient on physician's behalf 	 Physician is able to spend more time listening Ample time for questions and to discuss the pros and cons of recommended options Care team members support physician with patient/family education, follow-up support
Treatment Plan	 A problem-specific treatment plan is recommended and provided to the patient 	 The patient and physician discuss available treatment options Once they have agreed on next steps, the family physician and care team create a comprehensive treatment plan that considers the patient's situation, concerns, and preferences
Technology Used	 The practice may have an EMR system in place, but is not fully utilizing its features 	 Patients' information is secured in an EMR system that is accessible by the team EMR tools are used to track the patient's progress The EMR is used to anticipate patient needs and offer care proactively The patient has access to his/her own information and appointment scheduling opportunities through a patient portal
Providers of Care	 Patients are seen only by their family physicians 	 Patients have access to a team of health care providers, which may include family physicians, nurses, pharmacists, behavioral health consultants, and others, who work together to create the best possible action plan for treatment

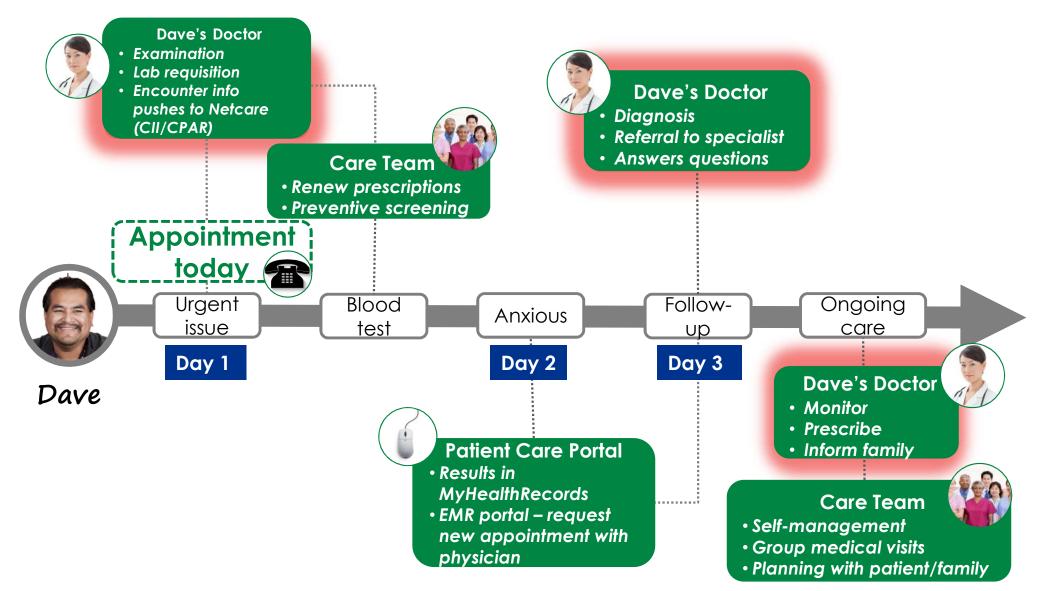
Traditional Approach



FEATURES

- > Dave coordinates his own journey, and often waits for care and information.
- > He has to repeat his story and his care is partially provided by someone who doesn't know him.
- > Dave's doctor is solely responsible to help him understand and self-manage his condition.

Patient's Medical Home Approach



FEATURES

- > Dave receives care and information at the right time, from people he trusts who know his story.
- > Dave's doctor and care team help him and his family to understand and self-manage his condition.
- > The role of the physician has not changed; Dave's care is augmented by the team and the system.