

Proven pathway: Living with Asthma survey implementation

Goal: Implement use of patient self-assessment tool (Living with Asthma survey)

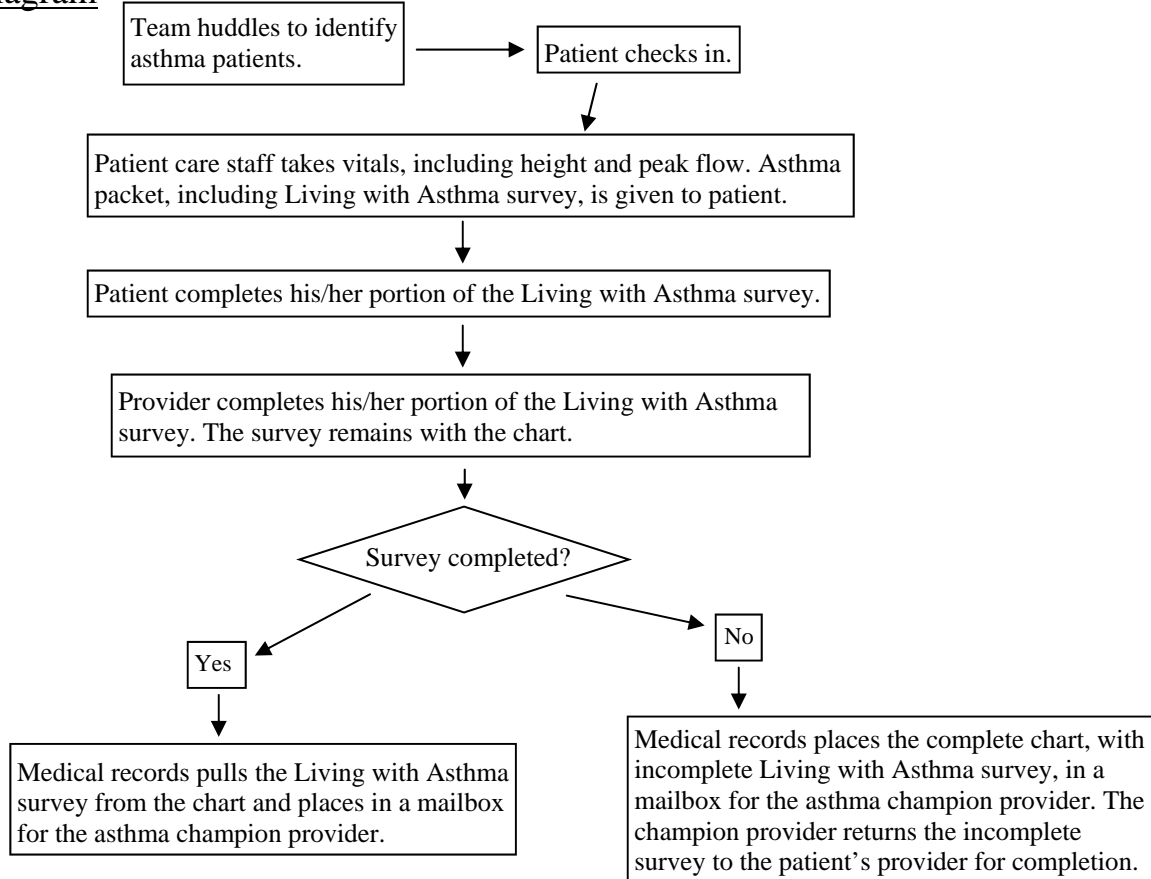
Chronic care model: Delivery system design, decision support, self-management



Snapshot

1. Medical assistants give to patients during rooming
2. Patient completes his/her portion of the survey
3. Provider reviews patient portion and completes during the visit
4. Nurse reviews the survey for completeness
5. If the severity rating is not completed, the survey is returned to the provider

Flow diagram



Implementation details/considerations

Outcomes from Smiley's Clinic—severity rating documentation increased from 32% to 100% in 12 months from use of the above Living with Asthma survey protocol.

The Living with Asthma survey is available in

- four languages: English, Spanish, Hmong, Somali
- several versions from the American Lung Association of Minnesota