While opportunities at NNMC grew due to provider LA, et al. Cost Pharmacist involvement in ambulatory patient care: Growing primary care provider shortages Limited To assess the u In - Offers inpatient and Limited Pharmacists became a specialist in ambulatory care: Anticoagulation Chronic Care Clincian demonstrated higher rates of guideline monitoring compared with primary care (79% vs. 58%). same day (walk-in clinic, new acute complaints, and chronic follow-up). To help alleviate provider shortages, Pharmacist Practitioners began seeing patients in Same-Day Clinic. Within this role, Practitioners work alongside other providers in a diagnostic capacity. To date, Practitioners have evaluated nearly 2,500 patients in this setting.

### Conclusion

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