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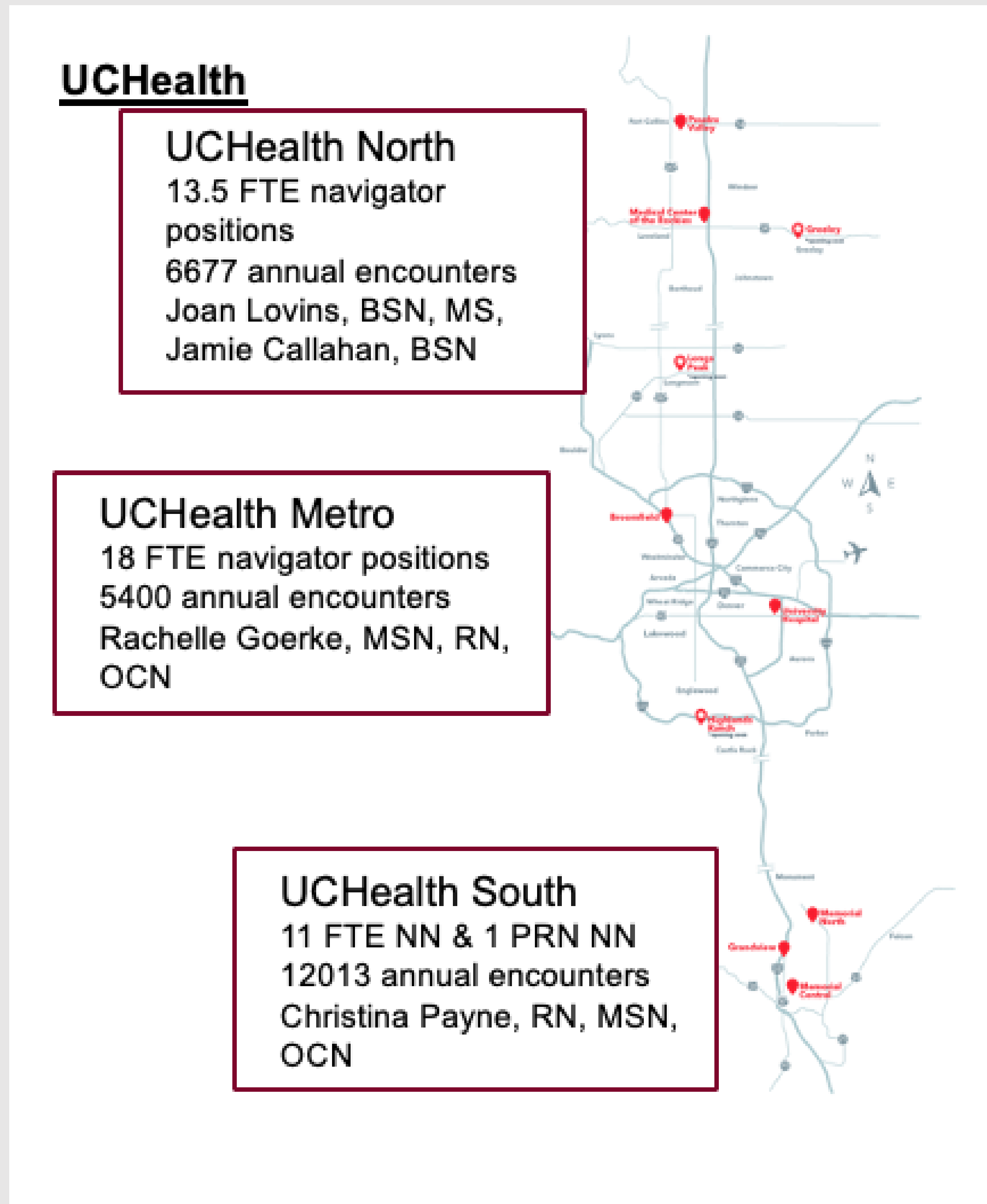
Background

- This grant aims to train and specifically expand the scope of the patient navigator (PN) responsibilities to include education about clinical trials to patients and families
- 3 geographic sites are participating (image to the right)

Project Design/Methods

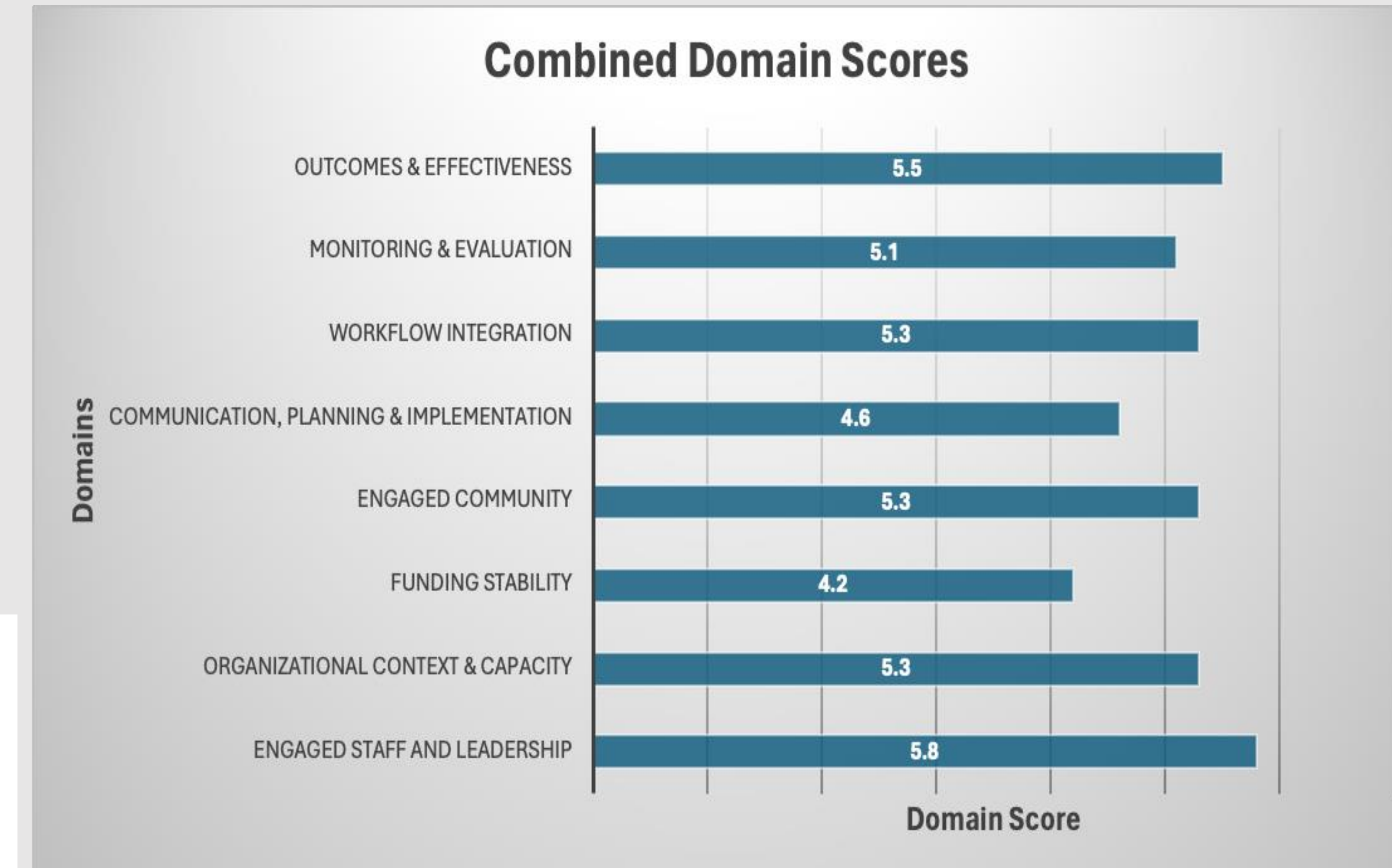
- One aspect of our grant proposal and implementation involves the sustainability planning approach
- Additionally, we have the following:
 - Engaged Staff & Leadership:** Engaged the senior leadership in the PN sustainability planning activities.
 - Organizational Context & Capacity:** Systematically with UCHealth sites and UCCC, we are building out the resources for clinical trial education and processes
 - Funding Stability:** As a system, we are engaging in discussions about the CMS and Medicaid funding opportunities.
 - Engaged Community:** The intent is to ensure that the patient advisory boards and patients see the value of the navigation and share their perspectives about satisfaction and impact.

- Communication, Planning & Implementation:** The focus of this grant is to engage all UCHealth systems for common scopes and workflow processes
- Workflow Integration:** Design and Integration of Clinical Trial Workflows
- Monitoring & Evaluation:** EMR data and other data capture opportunities to capture consistent and routine data elements
- Outcomes & Effectiveness:** Utilizing the Power BI and data report-outs to show impact and measures



Interim Results

- 24 total people took the PNSAT from all 3 regions: UCHealth Metro, North, & South
- Overall Score: 5.1 (out of a max score of 7)



Innovation

Expected national impact: Members within ColoradoSPH and the UCCC will adapt or have adapted evidence-based sustainability planning and assessment tools for a focus on PN delivery

Implications for Sustainable Practice

Findings and experience will be disseminated throughout the Colorado PN community; inform statewide implementation of standardized PN and deploy lessons learned

Next Steps:

- We are providing technical assistance
- Each site is deciding focus of sustainability
- Long Game: This sustainability planning process will live on after the grant; there's commitment from leadership to continue to examine and implement

