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Re-thinking Your Human Capital Strategy: Aligning Total Rewards to Attract, Retain and Engage the New Health Care Provider Workforce Andrea Deeb, Managing Director, Talent and Rewards Lisa Perlmutter, Director, Human Capital and Benefits

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Today's Discussion

- Total Rewards is Still Relevant
- The Total Rewards Journey
 - Insights
 - Strategy
 - Design
 - Implementation
- Ideas for Change

https://www.willistowerswatson. com/en/insights/2016/09/emplo yers-look-to-modernize-theemployee-value-proposition

Modernization, relevance and what's at stake

Market trends and realities from our newest research \rightarrow



Link to our 2015 Becker's article:

http://www.beckershospitalreview.com/human-capital-and-risk/5-ways-to-rebalance-the-total-rewards-portfolio.html

Baby Boomers are retiring at the rate of one every 9 seconds between now and 2029.

Source: USA Today Money

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The average U.S. student today will have 10 to 14 jobs before age 40.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor.

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Percent of children entering school today who will end up in jobs that do not exist yet 65%

Source: Scott McLeod and Carl Fisch, quoted by World Economic Forum Future of Jobs Report, Davos, 2016

Labor Force Distribution by Generation



Sources: 1985 and 2000 from OECD, 2015 from CPS, 2020 from BLS labor force projections and 2030 from Willis Towers Watson estimates based on Census population projections for 2030 and BLS labor force projections for 2024; Source: Pew Research Center tabulations of U.S. Census Data; WTW estimates

Employers face critical challenges...

Attraction	• 60% of health care providers report they're having problems attracting critical-skill talent	
Alignment	 Post-M&A / Post-rebranding difficulties encountered in aligning employees around a common purpose 	
Engagement	 25%+ employees intend to leave their employer in next 2 years <50% employees stay with their current employer by choice 	
Retention	• One-third of health care providers report they're having problems retaining critical-skill talent	J My Job

Getting it right starts with understanding the top drivers of attraction

Viewpoint →	Employer		Employee					
Drivers of attraction	НСР	НСР	<30	30-39	40-49	50+	All US	
Org's mission, vision and values	1						1	
Reputation of organization as a great place to work	2	3	5	7		6	4	
Health care and wellness benefits	3	7		5	5	3	7	
Challenging work	4	4	7			5	2	
Base pay/salary	4	1	1	1	1	1	6	
Career advancement opportunities	4	5	2	2	3		3	
Opportunities to learn new skills	7		3	4				
Job security	7	2	4	3	4	2		
Vacation or PTO		6		6	2	4		
Flexible work arrangements			6		6			
Length of commute					7	7		
Ability to have a real impact on the organization's performance							5	

You also need to understand why employees would choose to leave

Viewpoint →	Employer		Employee					
Drivers of retention	НСР	НСР	<30	30-39	40-49	50+	All US	
Base pay/salary	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	
Career advancement opportunities	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	
Opportunities to learn new skills			4	4			7	
Job security				3	3	4		
Flexible work arrangements	7	5	7	5			5	
Length of commute	5	7	6		5	7		
Relationship with supervisor/manager	2			7	6		2	
Ability to manage work-related stress	3	6	5		7	5	4	
Trust/confidence in senior leadership	6	4	3	6	4	3	6	
Physical work environment		3						
Retirement benefits						6		

Despite the clear importance of getting base pay right, many organizations struggle with it

Suggesting that old tools and approach to the annual merit cycle **may need to change**. As the **number one driver** of attraction and engagement, we need to **get base pay right** in the modern context



Over half of employers

expect to pay more for certain skill sets in the next 3 years

	Salary Range Position					
Performance Rating	Belor Mini Jum	Lower Third	Middle Third	Upper Third		
Unsatisfactory performance	0.0 5 – 2.0%	0.0% – 5%	0.0%	0.0%		
Performance needs improvement	2. % – 4.0%	J% – 3.0%	0.0 - 2.0%	0.0% – 1.5%		
Good performance	4.0% - 5%	3.5% – 6.0%	.5% – 4.5%	1.0% – 3.0%		
Excellent performance	7.0% – 11.	5.0%-0 /0	3.5% - 6.0%	2.5% – 4.5%		

Our managers execute our base pay program well 21% HCP 39% USA

Client Case Study

Identify leading edge compensation practices to support the system's migration to care delivery and reimbursement models

Problem:

Senior leadership concerned about the attraction, engagement and retention of core employees seeks solutions to address gaps in the organization's *Extraordinary Employee Experience*

Objective:

Identify potential changes to base pay practices most likely to have a beneficial impact on the problem based on analysis of the organization's situation, competitive practice and Willis Towers Watson's experience and insights gained from leading integrated delivery systems

Key market insights:

- Market data reflects narrowing of the spread of actual pay rates for benchmark jobs; wider ranges may no longer reflect actual market pay rates; some job families have a reduced number of levels
- Industry slow to embrace practices shown to drive employee engagement and improve business results in other industries: workforce segmentation, differentiated pay programs, and effective performance management **Experience Zone Contribution Zone**

Solution:

- \rightarrow 50th %ile Two-zone base pay structure with:
- Experience zone aligned with new hire market, with steps to median over four years
- Contribution zone enabling performance-based increases up to market 90th percentile

 \rightarrow 90th %ile

Client Case Study

Conclusions and ROI of making changes

- Fixing base pay for core employees will help with attraction and retention, and reduce the degree to which pay is driving engagement lower but it is investments in talent management or pay-forperformance that will improve the organization's "EEE"
 - Talent management and pay-for-performance should follow and support the transformation of care delivery and reimbursement models, not the other way around
- Using our Financial Cost of Turnover study, Willis Towers Watson estimated that the system could amortize the cost of implementing market aligned salary ranges through reduced turnover:



\$74 million

Implementation cost (phasing in over two years smooths implementation costs to \$50 million in 2017 and \$24 million in 2018)

<u>- \$58 million</u> \$16 million Savings over two years due to reduced turnover

Net incremental cost



The Employee Value Proposition and Total Rewards Framework

While base pay is a critical foundation, employees have become astute consumers of your organization's Employee Value Proposition



An integrated total rewards strategy and design supported by a wellmarketed EVP have tangible and compelling outcomes, including...

Best practice EVP companies achieve better outcomes



Measurement, Change Management, Communication and HR Technology

... quality and patient satisfaction



The EVP defines the deal between the organization and its workforce



Purpose	People	Work	Total Rewards
 Company mission, vision and values Company image and reputation 	 Leadership Manager-employee relationships Peer relationships 	 Job content Work environment Tools and resources to do work 	 Foundational rewards Performance-based rewards Career and environmental rewards

Integrate Total Rewards strategy, design and delivery for a superior EVP



Insights are the first steps toward articulating a Total Rewards strategy, developing integrated designs and achieving effective delivery



INSIGHTS: Multiple perspectives provide a robust picture





- Total Rewards benchmarking paints an illustrative picture of your total compensation and benefits investment versus market, and provides a perspective to assess potential portfolio "trade-offs"
 - Potential portfolio changes must be considered in light of your organization's overall total compensation philosophy
 - Where possible, potential portfolio changes should consider employees' perceived value across compensation and benefit programs, in order to maximize the return on total rewards spend
- For purposes of this example, total rewards comprises the following elements:
 - Base Salary
 - Target Short-term Incentives
 - Retirement
 - Defined Benefit (DB)
 - Defined Contribution (DC)
 - Health & Welfare
 - Medical
 - Dental
 - Death and Accidental Death & Disability (AD&D)
 - Long-term Disability (LTD)
 - Short-term Disability (STD)
 - Vacation and Holidays

Note that additional examples and our detailed Total Rewards methodology are provided in the appendix

INSIGHTS: Total Rewards Benchmarking

Physical Therapist





Focus Groups and Executive Interviews: Provides solid qualitative data

Traditional Preferences Survey: Provides flexible question design, analysis and administration

Conjoint Survey: Provides detailed reward trade-offs and modeling capabilities

TRO: Provides detailed reward trade-offs, modeling capabilities and cost optimization



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Conjoint Analysis

- Is a surveying method used for many years in marketing to capture subjective preferences
- Asks associates to make trade-offs among program features as opposed to assessing the features individually
- Is a more reliable forecast of behavior than traditional survey methods

Financial Optimization

- Reflects cost constraints on investment
- Develops an efficient frontier of optimum allocation of investments
- Determines optimum investment level on the basis of program costs and turnover cost savings

Optimum solution may be to:

Optimum Level of Investment

Optimum Allocation

of Investment

Segment-Specific Strategy

- Improve outcome (e.g., motivation / perceived value / retention) by changing allocation while maintaining the current level of investment
- Maintain current outcome at lower level of investment by changing allocation
- Increase investment and outcome to economically efficient level

To maximize your Total Rewards, invest your resources where it makes the most difference

What is the best level of Other investment in employees? Career Dev Medical What is the best allocation of that investment to maximize **Base Pay** desired behavior (e.g., retention, motivation, Dental perceived value)? Retirement Do the answers vary by organization level, Bonus geography, business unit, other demographic characteristics?

Rewards Optimization can be applied to compensation, benefits and non-financial rewards (work/life balance, for instance) or any combination of reward categories

Total \$ Investments in Selected Rewards



Three Points on the Curve

Each point along the curve represents the best allocation of the corresponding total investment:

- 1) To *reduce total cost*, the curve identifies which programs should be reduced to reallocate investments in other areas and maintain current levels of perceived value
- 2) To *maintain current investment levels*, the curve identifies how to reallocate investment across programs to increase perceived value without raising cost
- To *increase perceived value* dramatically and make the most of each reward dollar, the curve indicates the best ways to invest additional rewards funds

Unearthing "hidden gems" of opportunity

Changes in Va	Changes in Value of Total Rewards					
STI—2X		6.4	\$67.5M			
Merit Increase —+50%	-	5.4	\$6.5M			
401(k) Match—\$1-for-\$1 to 6%		5.3	\$9.0M			
Merit Weighting—Greater performance differentiation		4.6	\$0			
STI Weighting—Greater performance differentiation		4.5	\$0			
401(k) Company Contribution—6%		4.5	\$4.5M			
Medical—Premium -20%		3.9	\$2.4M			
Vacation—+2 days		3.7	\$3.1M			
STI—Half	-10.6		(\$34.7M)			
Merit Increase—Half	-9.5		(\$5.5M)			
Merit Weighting—COLA	-8.4		\$0.0			
401(k) Match—\$1-for-\$1 to 3%	-7.8		(\$4.5M)			
Medical—OOP +20%	-7.8		(\$1.1M)			
Medical—Premium +20%	-7.7		(\$2.4M)			
STI Weighting—Based on company performance	-7.5		\$0.0			
401(k) Company Contribution—4%	-7.2		(\$3.2M)			
Vacation— -2 days	-5.7		(\$1.9M)			

Note: Modeled impacts of various reward changes on value in Total Rewards are not additive due to the "portfolio effect." Modeled impact assumes all other programs stay the same. Changes in value of Total Rewards are point increments or decrements to current value of Total Rewards of 79.5 (from valid conjoint data only).

Health care TRO - reward value and cost analysis example



Health care TRO - reward value and cost analysis example



STRATEGY: Guides design and implementation

1. Guiding Principles for Design

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Guiding Pr	inciples for Design
Performance Orientation	 Programs will drive a high performance culture by rewarding employees for individual and collective results in driving XYZ's business performance
Competitive Positioning	 In aggregate, programs will be targeted at median of relevant external market; actual positioning should vary based on individual and/or company performance
Affordability	 Programs will align with business objectives in terms of affordability and scale and provide a balance of fixed and variable costs consistent with relevant external market
Shared Responsibility	 Employees will share in program costs and will be responsible for planning for their current and future needs; employees will own their careers
Career Orientation	 Programs will recognize education and work experience to the extent that it results in employee performance or the knowledge to take on increased responsibilities
Individual Flexibility	 Programs will provide flexibility to support the diverse needs of employees when solutions meet both business and employee needs
Workforce/ Business Group Segmentation	 The compensation and benefit philosophy will be consistent globally; programs may be customized where business or market necessitates
Delivery	 Program design will consider employee understanding, ease of administration and cost control while leveraging economies of scale and technology
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2. Gap Analysis



2a. Gap Analysis — Scorecard

Sample HCROI Deliverables

	Management View	Employee Satisfaction (relative to norm)	Impact on Engagement	Impact on Attraction/ Retention	Impact on Sales Productivity	Overall Business Impact (ROI)
Base (basic and basic guaranteed)	Belowmarket	Low	Medium	Medium	Low	Medium
Bonus/Variable	Below market	High	Medium	Medium	High	Medium
Total Cash Compensation	Above market	High	Medium	Medium	High	High
Retirement	Belowmarket	High	Low	Low/Medium	Medium	Medium
Death	At market	High	Low	Low	Low	Low
Disability	At market	Low	High	Low	Low	Medium
Medical	Above market	Low	High	High	High	High
Perquisites (including company cars)	At market	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium	Low
Paid Time-off Programs	At market	Low	High	High	High	High
Career Development Opportunities	At market	Low	Medium	Medium	Low	Medium
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3. Directional Recommendations

Proposal

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 Single competitive positioning philosophy across company 	 Ability to vary competitive positioning if needed for mission-critical jobs; variation in benchmark companies based on relevant market for broad job groupings
 Aggregate compensation levels targeted at or above market	 Aggregate compensation levels targeted at market, with significant
median for median company performance, with some	differentiation for individual performance and significant upside for total
differentiation based on individual performance	compensation levels based on company performance.
 Varying use of technical ladders and inconsistency in global job	 Global job structure that provides consistent management leveling across the
leveling; limited management of job level distribution	company; targets set for leveling distribution based on business need
 Pay increases and in-line promotions viewed as the only effective	 Focus on total compensation; include use of tools beyond compensation to
tools to motivate/retain employees	motivate and retain employees
 Annual merit program is primary vehicle to reinforce pay for performance; increase amount viewed by employees as indication of their value to the business 	 Use of compensation package (base pay level, bonus plan, equity) to reinforce value of employee to the business; annual process redefined to evaluate overall pay relative to employee performance and market – may or may not result in base salary increase
 Use of promotions to reward individual skill development and	 Primary use of promotions to reward movement to a higher level job with
tenure	significant increase in responsibilities
 Corporate bonus plan with differentiation for individual	 Corporate bonus plan with significant flexibility to differentiate for individual
performance rating. Variable pay used for all employees in U.S.,	performance. Increased use of non-sales bonus plans for employees OUS
but only selectively outside the U.S.	based on company/region/affiliate performance where market supports

4. Roadmap for Change

Proposal



Insights and strategy inform program design



Implementation is critical to a successful Total Rewards program and a superior EVP...

Program Delivery					
COMMUNICATION	PROCESS	TECHNOLOGY	GOVERNANCE		
 Manager readiness to communicate & support Total Rewards decisions Employee & manager understanding of and trust in Total Rewards processes & outcomes 	 Accurate & efficient delivery processes Alignment with other HR programs, with EVP as the compass Decisions informed by understanding of what employees actually value 	 Efficient and effective decision making Robust analysis and reporting Enhanced employee experience 	 Clarity on decision making System vs. entity Defined success metrics and proactive course correction Leadership that stands behind Total Rewards principles and decisions 		



...but as you know communicating Total Rewards in healthcare is unique

Make an emotional connection with your employees on the EVP to get higher performing, more engaged employees

- Recruiters create candidate records to enhance the job offer
- Candidates model their potential total rewards
- Candidate specific content and experience
- Exposure to the total rewards value proposition before day one

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		Retirement Savings 🟴	\$1,560			
		Total	\$50,503		LI \$7.10	LI \$10.15

Vignettes about total rewards communications from other organizations:

https://www.towerswatson.com/en/Videos/2013/Total-Rewards-at-South-Shore-Hospital

https://www.towerswatson.com/en/Videos/2014/video-how-does-the-online-total-rewardssolution-differ-from-the-paper-based-statement



- Regional healthcare system with limited talent pool
- Recruitment and retention challenges
- Need to communicate to many different audiences
- Utilize the platform to communicate annual pay/bonus statements as well

We have seen some interesting design themes for 2017

Focus on specialized value proposition and employee consumerism



- Redefine "buckets" around employee value points ("theirs, not ours")
- Health care and retirement changes drive shift to a focus on the portfolio
- Focus on true Total Rewards spend (all buckets)
- Technology-enabled analysis, design and administration
- Digital access for managers and employees
- Articulation of employment and Total Rewards brands
- Targeted communication to defined segment categories
- Consumer-grade employee experience (message and medium)

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responsibility

9. Increased focus on

physical work

environment

10.Unique company-

specific perks/

discounts

programs

social recognition

9. Wellness

10.Company

incentives

performance-

based retirement

matches/funding





Appendix

Willis Towers Watson's Total Rewards Benchmarking Methodology

- Total Rewards benchmarking is an analytical process that illustrates the median total compensation value for compensation levels and the set of benefit plans for each job, as well as the percentage of the total rewards package that each element comprises
- Further, each job is populated by a typical employee profile so that the demographics are applied against the benefit plans as part of the modeling process
- The analysis is based on competitive market total cash (or total direct) data for each position, as well as the benefits values based on the individual employee profiles with varying demographic information
- The data presented only represent the quantitative total rewards calculations pertaining to the employee profile for each job
- Willis Towers Watson calculated the DB, DC, Medical, Dental, Vacation/Holiday, Death, STD and LTD benefit values for the set of peer health care organizations using Willis Towers Watson's BDS database and BENVAL methodology (see pages 45-47 for additional information about our proprietary BENVAL methodology, as well as the health care organizations included in this analysis)
 - Benefit values for each of the peer companies represent employer-paid benefits only
- Data are displayed by each grouping of total compensation (e.g., Base Salary, Retirement, Health & Welfare)
 - Market median Health & Welfare values were calculated by summing the market median Medical, Dental, Death and AD&D and LTD values

Comparison to Market: Total Rewards

Account Representative



Comparison to Market: Total Rewards Radiation Tech



Comparison to Market: Total Rewards RN

\$100,000 \$7.506 \$5,735 \$80,000 \$9,189 \$7,835 \$3,657 \$2,000 \$3.195 \$60,000 \$40,000 \$71,000 Healthcare \$69,700 Employee System XYZ Demographics Median Age 42 \$20,000 Median Service 12 Gender F Healthcare \$0 Healthcare System **Differential to** Market Median System % of Total Market % of Total XYZ XYZ Median Rewards Market Rewards 2% Base Salary \$71,000 87% \$69,700 82% Short-Term Incentive \$0 \$2.000 2% N/A 0% -13% Retirement 4% 4% \$3.195 \$3.657 Health & Welfare \$7,835 10% \$9.189 11% -15% \$82.030 100% \$84.546 100% Total Rewards -3% N/A N/A Vacation and Holidays \$5,735 \$7,506 -24% Note: Vacation and Holidays are excluded from the Total Rewards summary value since they are already considered a part of Base

Comparison to Market: Total Rewards Pharmacist



Health care organizations included in our Total Rewards Analysis

- Advocate Health Care
- Allina Health
- Asante
- Avera Health
- Barnabas Health
- Baylor Scott & White Health
- Baystate Health System, Inc.
- BJC HealthCare
- Brigham and Women's Hospital
- Broward Health
- Carolinas HealthCare System
- Children's Health System of Texas
- Christiana Care Health System
- Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

- Cleveland Clinic
- Community Medical Centers
- Cook Children's Health Care System
- Cottage Health System
- Covenant HealthCare
- Dartmouth-Hitchcock
- DaVita
- Dignity Health -Dominican Hospital
- Elliot Health System
- Emory Healthcare, Inc.
- Essentia Health
 - Fairview Health Services
 - Fresenius Medical Care North America
 - Gwinnett Health System
 - Hanger, Inc.
 - Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation

- HCA Inc.
- HealthEast Care System
- INTEGRIS

- Lehigh Valley Health Network
- LifeBridge Health
- Maine Medical Center
- Massachusetts General Hospital
- Mayo Clinic
- Memorial Hermann Health Svstem
- Mercy Health
- Methodist (Dallas)
- MidMichigan Health
- Nationwide Children's Hospital
- Nemours
- Northside Hospital

- OhioHealth
- Park Nicollet Health Services
- Intermountain Healthcare
 Piedmont Healthcare. Inc.
- Lancaster General Health
 Presbyterian Healthcare Services
 - Regions Hospital
 - San Antonio Regional Hospital
 - Sanford
 - Select Medical
 - Shriners Hospitals for Children
 - Spectrum Health
 - SSM Health Care
 - St. Anthony's Medical Center
 - St. Luke's Hospital of Duluth
 - Sunrise Senior Living

- Tanner Medical Center, Inc.
- Tenet Healthcare Corporation
- Texas Health Resources
- Texas Scottish Rite Hospital
- The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
- The Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society
- The Mentor Network
- University Hospitals
- University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
- Verity Health System -O'Connor Hospital
- Visiting Nurse Service of New York
- WakeMed
- WellStar Health System

Willis Towers Watson's BenVal Valuation Methodology

- Willis Towers Watson's BenVal is a method for determining the value of benefits across a set of organizations by applying a standard set of actuarial methods and assumptions to a common employee population
- BenVal results provide a quantitative evaluation of each company's benefit provisions and overall benefit program, and facilitate a comparison of these benefit values against peer organizations
- The valuation methodology reflects the timing of benefits -- whether deferred or immediate
 - Retirement benefits such as pension and retiree welfare benefits are valued using projected unit credit (service prorate) methodology
 - Values for defined contribution plan benefits reflect amounts expected to be contributed for the year
 - Benefits potentially payable immediately such as death and disability benefits are valued on a term cost basis, reflecting the probabilities of the various events occurring within the year, multiplied by the value of the benefit

Note that the relative values generated are not intended to represent actual costs incurred by plan sponsors. Plan sponsors may experience differences in benefit costs due to factors not reflected in BenVal -- varying participant demographics, regional cost differences, or differences in funding or provider arrangements

Willis Towers Watson's BenVal Valuation Methodology

Benefit Provisions Reflected

- The benefit provisions reflected in BenVal are those applicable for new hires at each member company
- BenVal assumes that these plans have been in place over each employee's full career and does not reflect the value of any transition or grandfathered provisions
- Benefit plan provisions are regularly updated, with update requests going out to all participating companies each year

Demographics

 Benefit values depend on a number of factors including age, pay, sex and length of service of the employee population

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