

THE UTILIZATION AND VALUE OF USING ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDERS (APPS) IN UROLOGY

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ARKANSAS UROLOGY



REASONS TO IMPLEMENT ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDERS

- Urologic Workforce Shortage
- Extend Access to Care
- Prevent Physician Burnout
- Improve Efficiency
- Increase Revenue
- Patient Satisfaction



APP UTILIZATION

- Clinic Duties
- Procedures
- Hospital



CLINIC DUTIES

- Established Patients
- Postoperative Visits
- Urgent Visits/Work-Ins
- Pathways/CDE



ARKANSAS UROLOGY PATHWAYS/CDE

- Advanced Prostate Cancer – Bone Health
- Active Surveillance
- BPH
- OAB
- TRT
- Stones
- ED/Peyronies
- Female Sexual Dysfunction



PROCEDURES DONE BY APPS

- Difficult Catheterizations
- Cystoscopy Stent Removals
- Prostate US/Bx.
- Testopel
- Drug Injections
- Urodynamics
- I&D
- Pessary
- Vasectomy
- Diagnostic Cystoscopy



APP HOSPITAL DUTIES

- Admissions (H and P)
- Consultations
- Discharges
- ED Visits (Catheters, Priapism, etc)
- **CALL!!!**

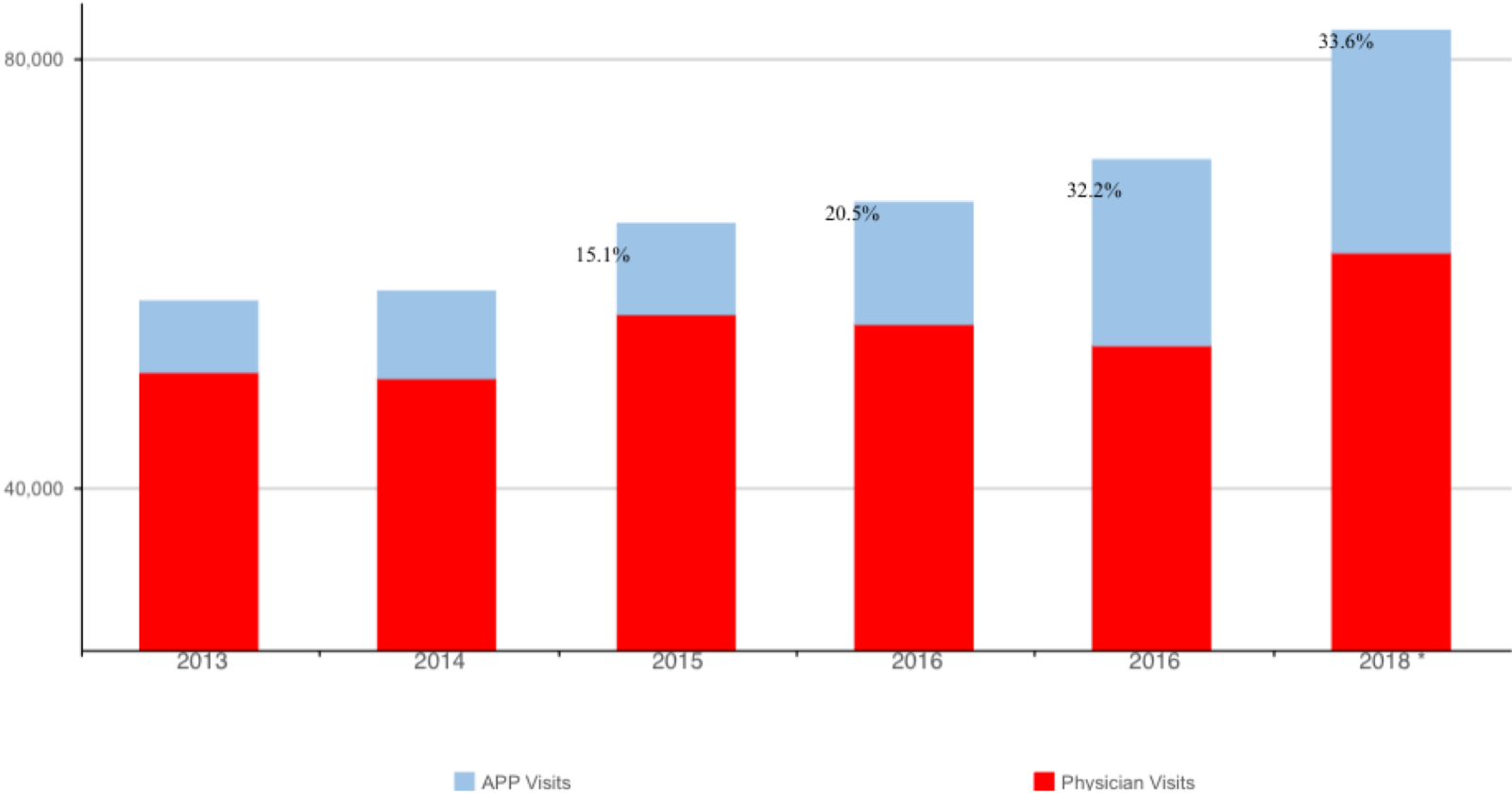


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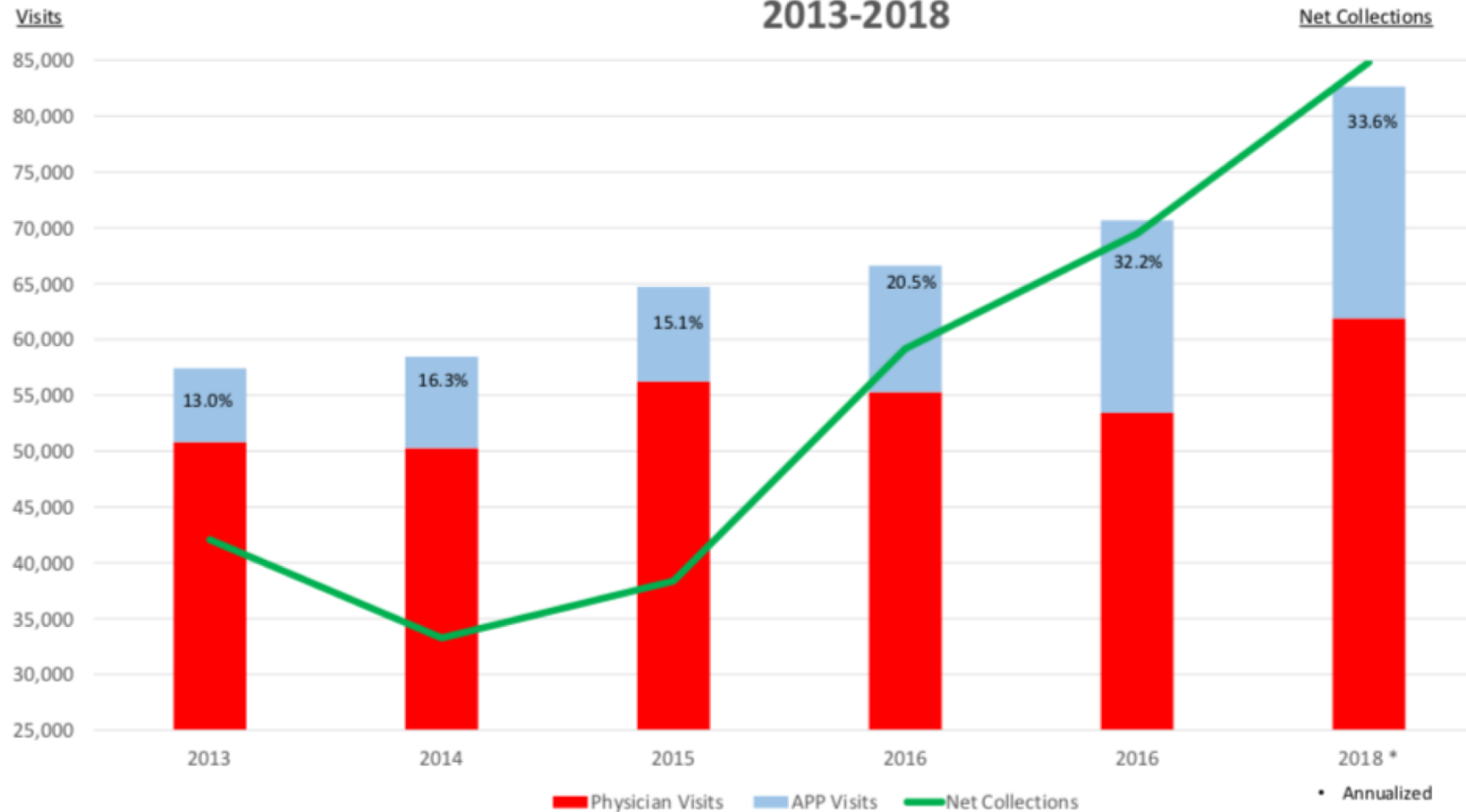
Visits

Net Collections



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AUA Consensus Statement on

ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDERS



**“Physician-led,
team-based approach
that provides the
highest quality
urological care”**

