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# Hedgeye Health Care Q&A

Labor Impacts, CA AB290, DXCM Tough Comparables, Guardant Health, and MS Conf. Notes

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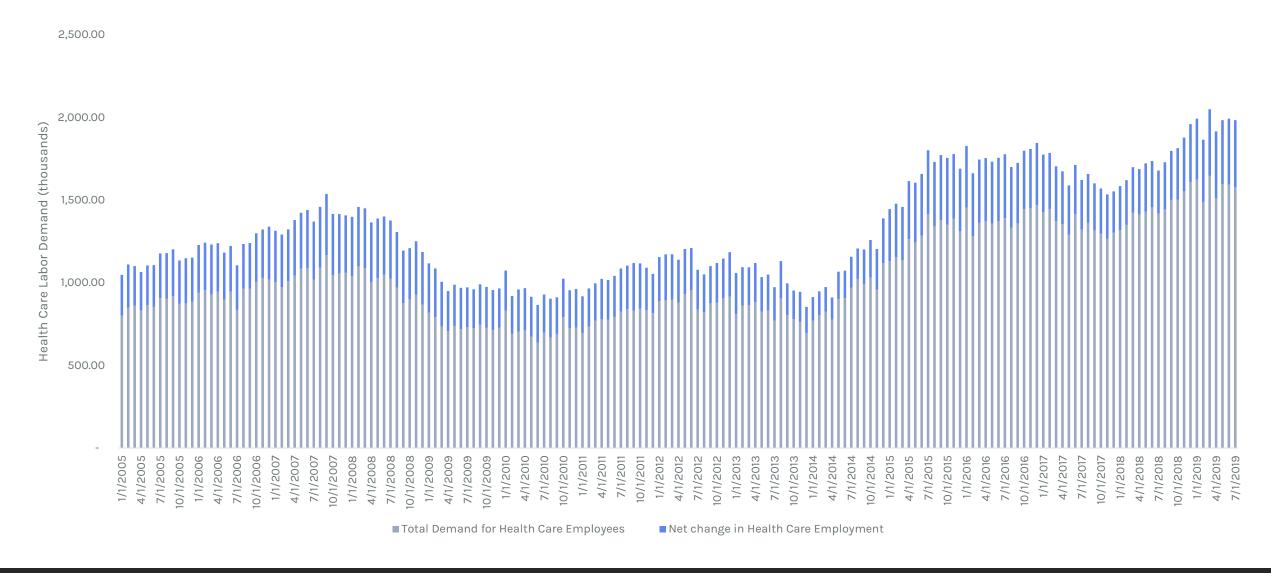
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# **Labor Impacts**



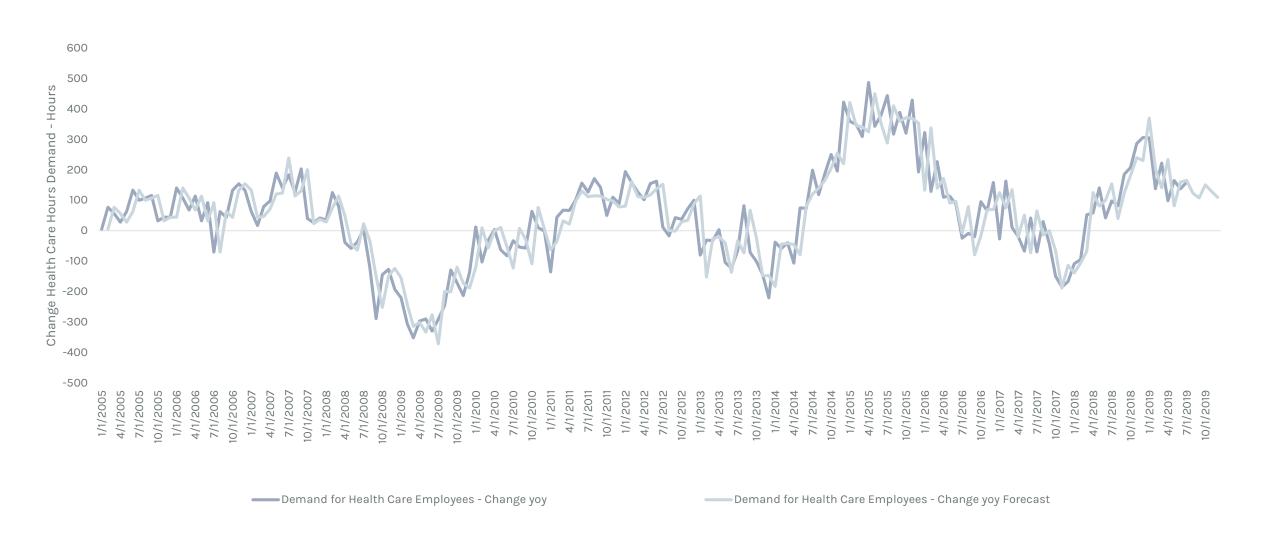
#### **Health Care Labor Demand**



### **Growth Metrics**

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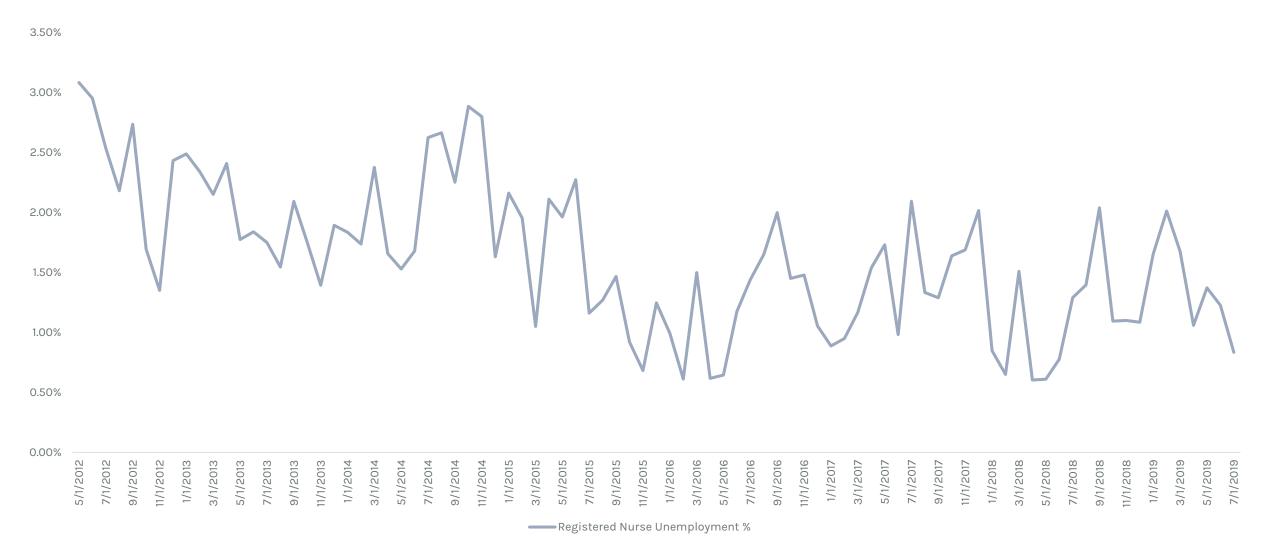
### Change & Forecast of Health Care Hours Demand



# **Shortage of Supply**



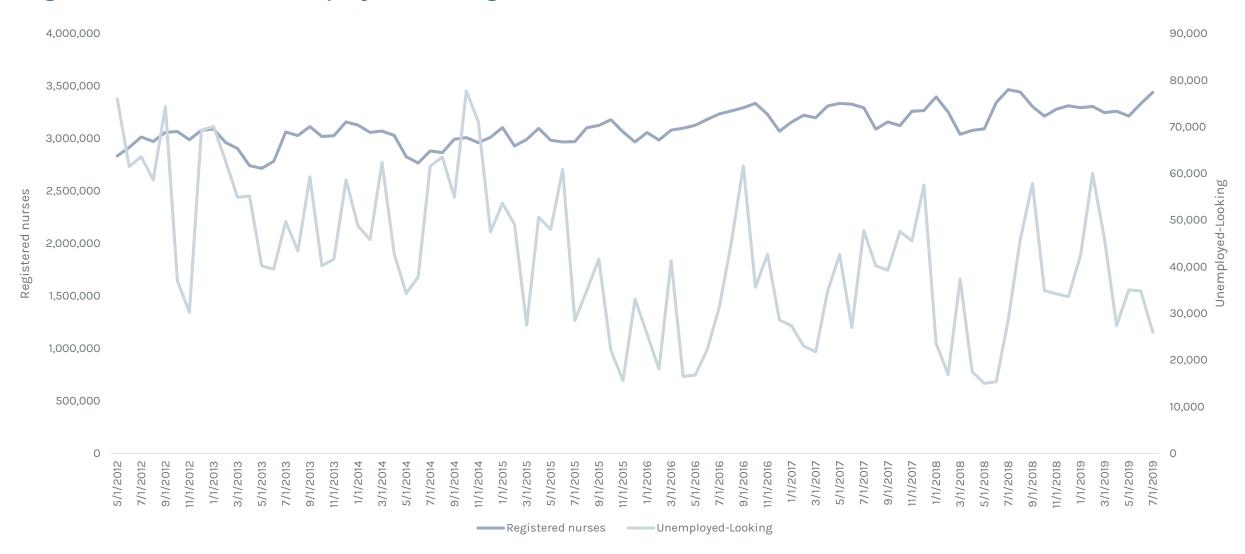
### **Registered Nurse Unemployment**



# Opportunity: AMN Healthcare Services, Inc. (AMN)



Registered Nurses & Unemployed-Looking Nurses



### **AB290 Provisions**



#### **Prohibits Steering**

- Prohibits dialysis clinic from steering, directing, or advising a patient regarding any specific coverage program
- Requires notice informing patients of Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program

#### Regulates Reimbursement

- Contracted providers reimbursement is the higher of Medicare rate or rate determined through an Independent Dispute Resolution Process
- Generally effective on Jan. 1, 2022

#### **Grandfather Clause**

- Change in law does not affect patients receiving AKF reimbursement prior to Oct. 1, 2019
- Grandfather clause is voided if enrollee changes health plan on or after March 1, 2020

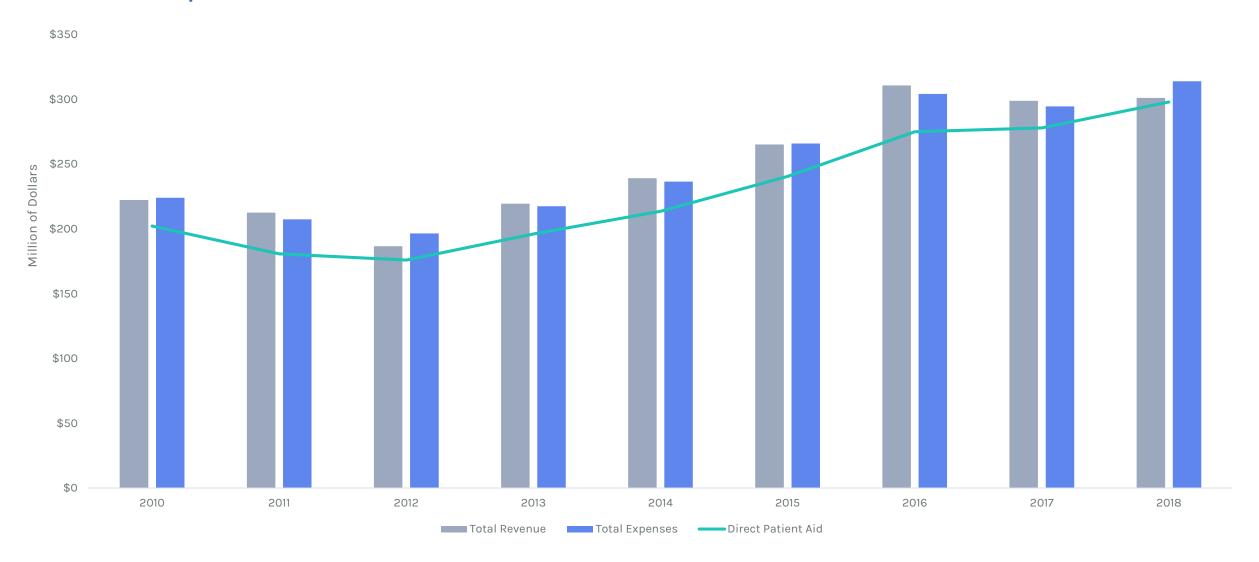
### **OIG Opinion**

- Delay designed to allow time for new OIG opinion
- Must be requested by July 1, 2020

# American Kidney Fund



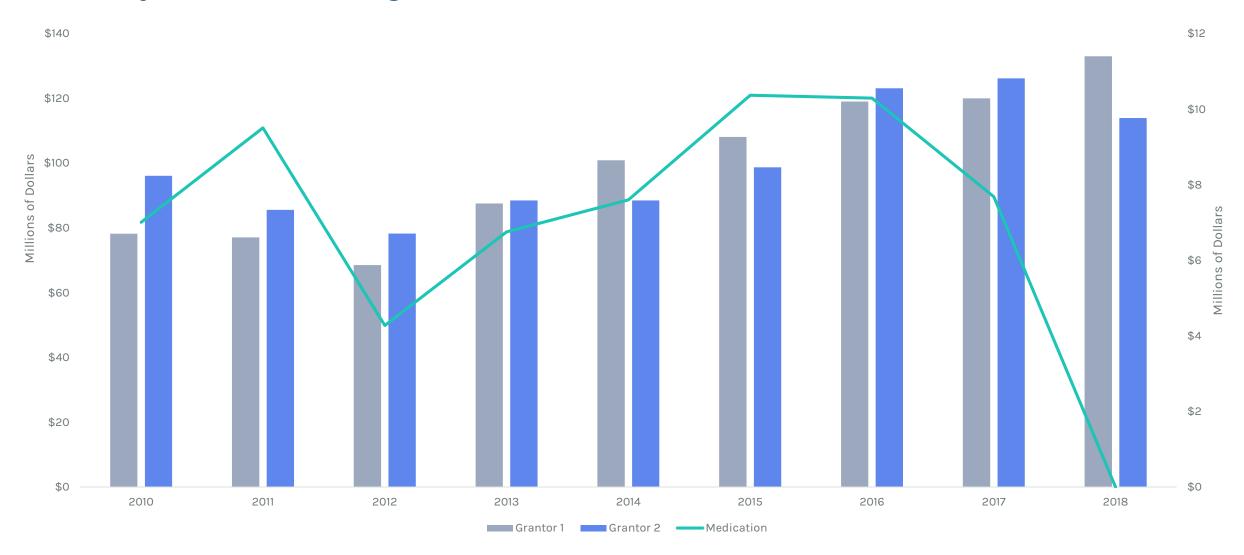
\$297 Million Spent on Direct Patient Aid in 2018



### Two Donor Gifts Classified as "Unusual Grants"



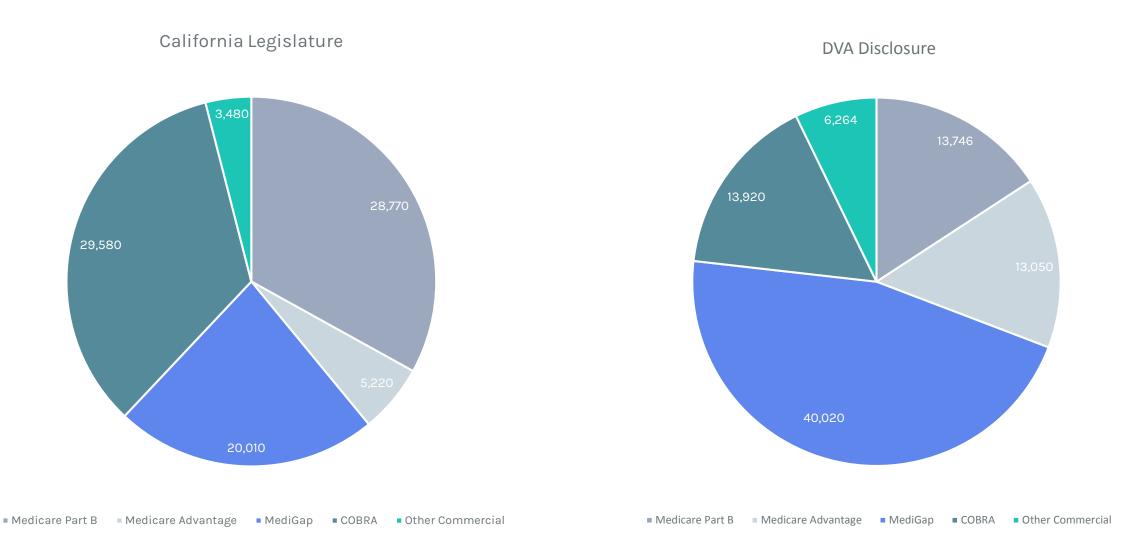
Presumably Davita and FMS; Large In-kind Donations in Medications



## **AKF Supports Commercial Premiums for 20-33K**



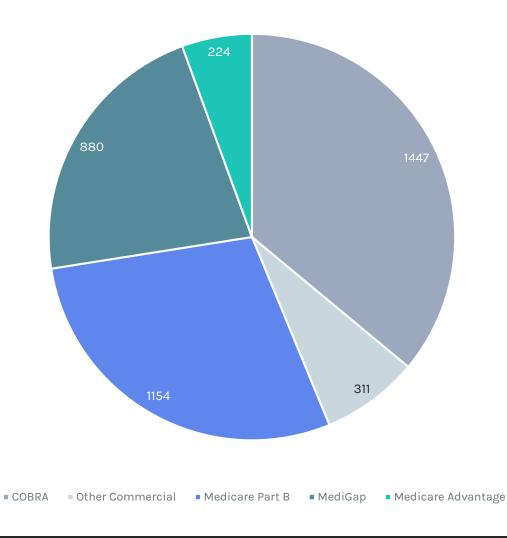
Estimated Based on DVA 2017 and AKF California Disclosure; 18-31% of all Non-Medicare Enrolled



## **AKF Patient Assistance in California**



AB290 Will Effectively End Support for COBRA and Other Commercial

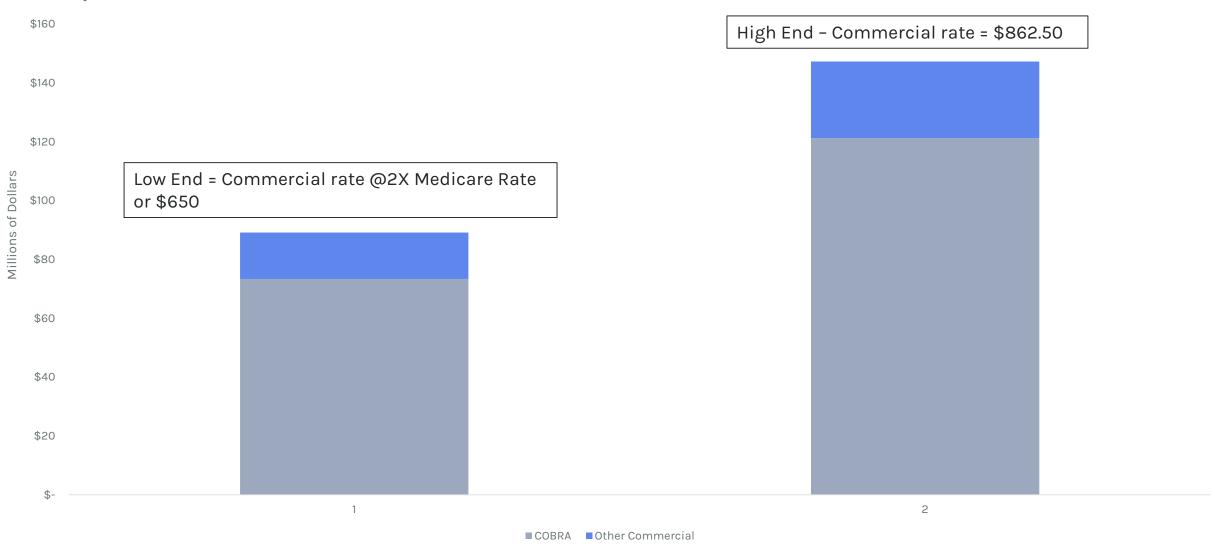


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# Range of Impacts on End to AKF Support



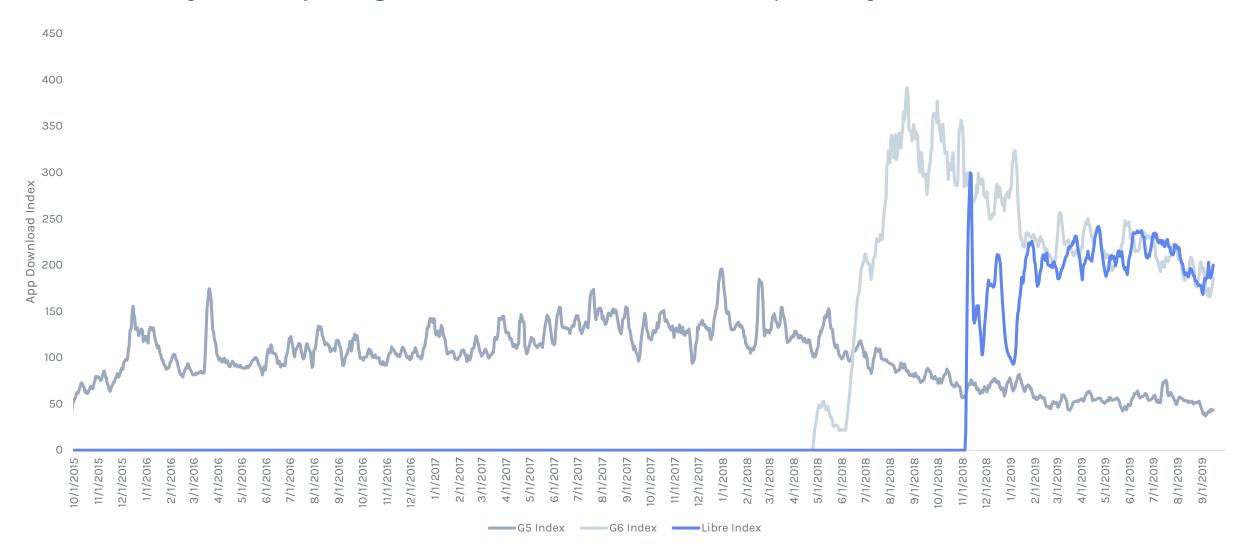
### **About 1,700 Commercial**



# **CGM App Download Index**



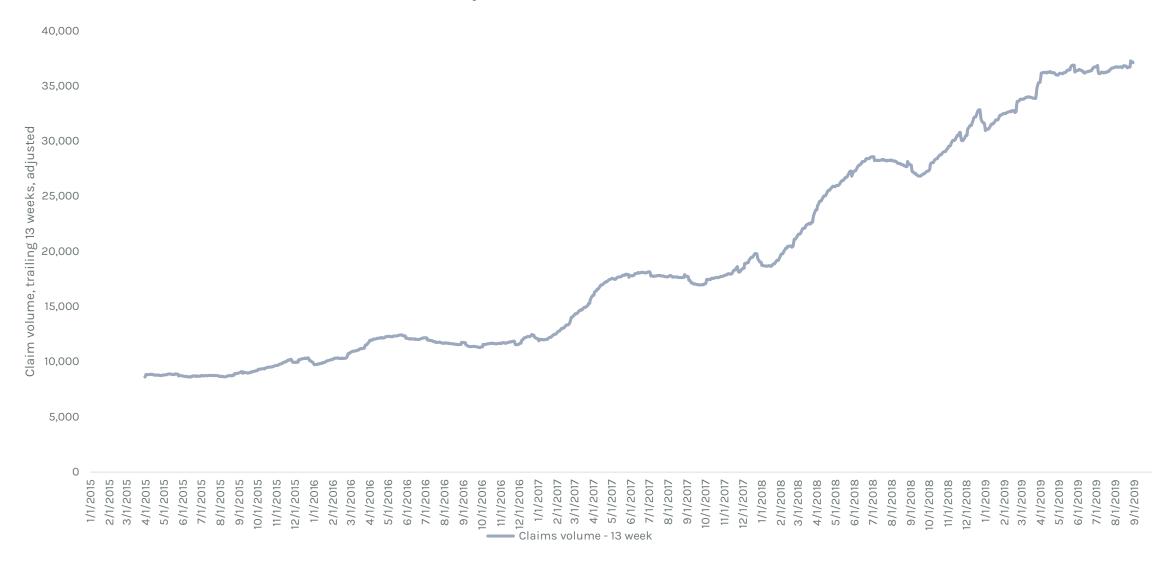
Abbott's Freestyle Libre splitting share with Dexcom's G6, both sequentially lower



## **Patient Medical Claims for CGM**



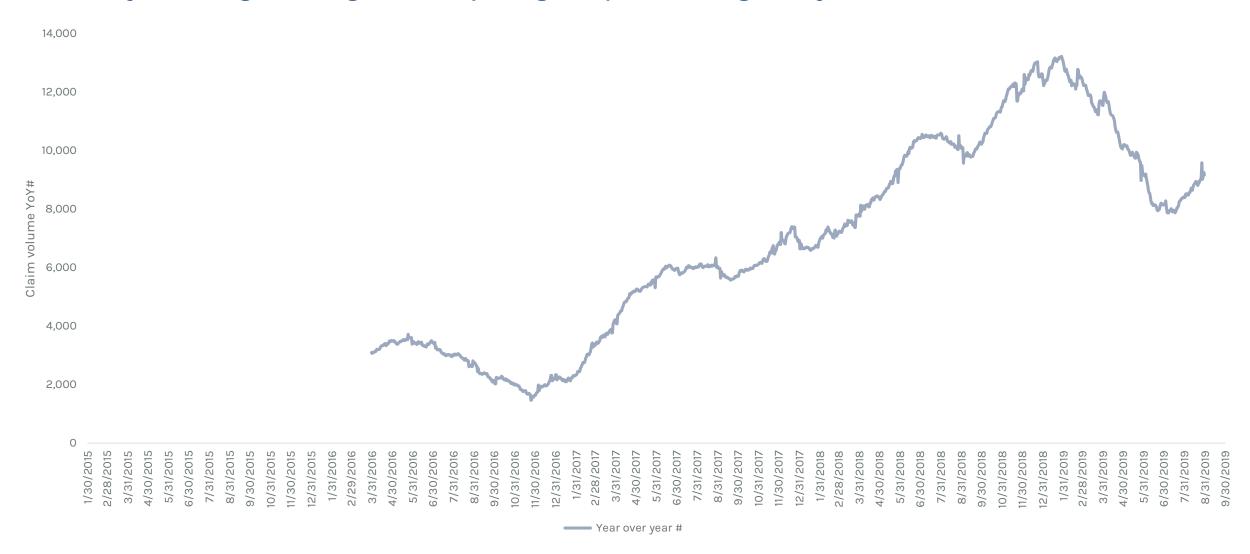
Physicians submit claims for CGM data interpretation



## **Patient Medical Claims Data for CGM**



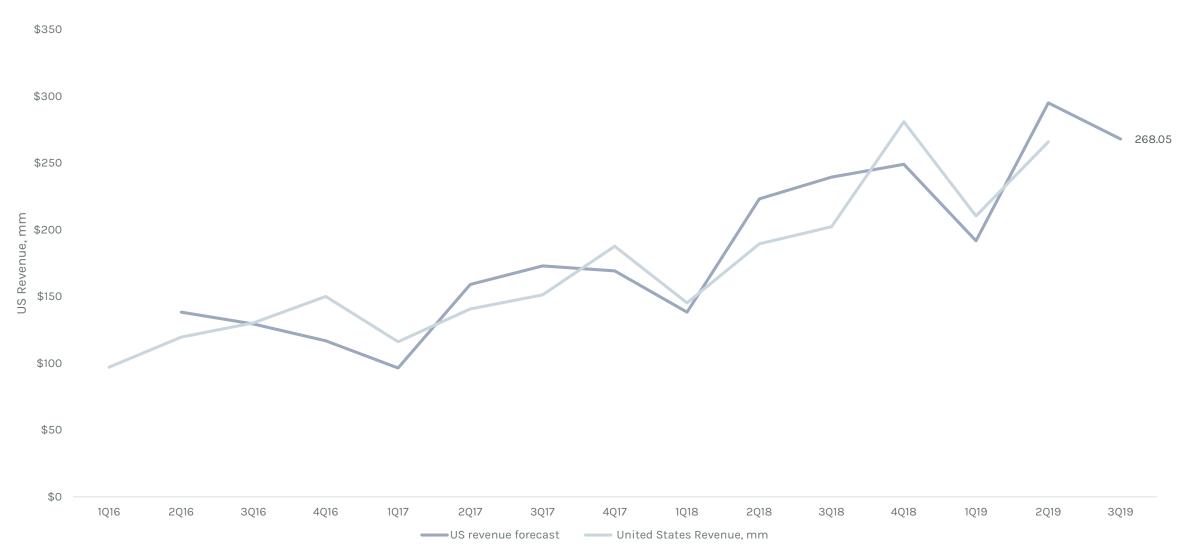
Year over year change slowing with steepening compares through early 2020



## **Patient Medical Claims Data for CGM**



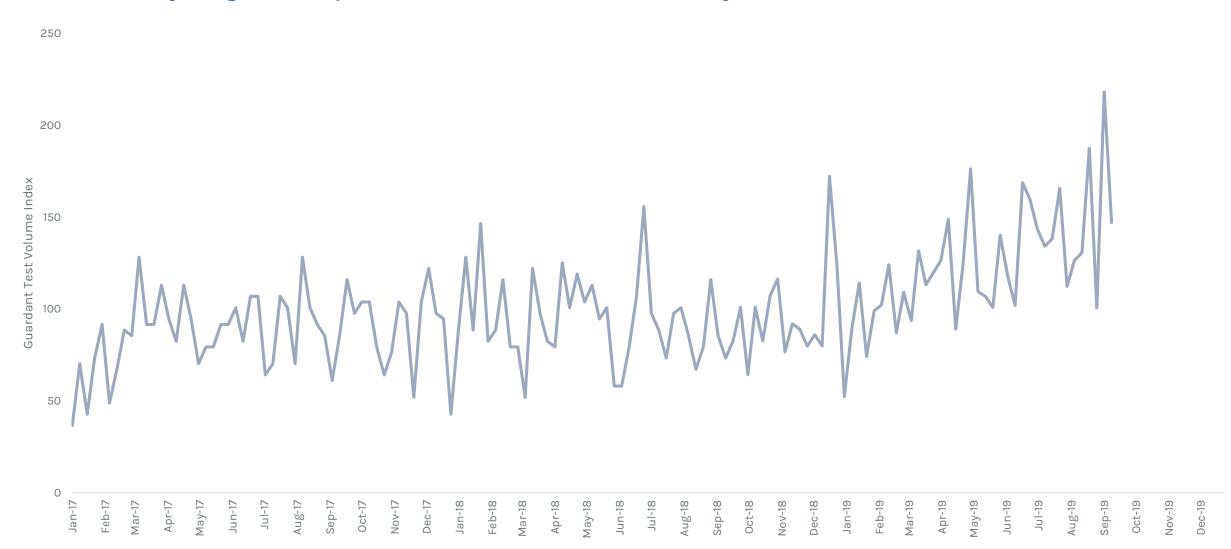
### Regressing claims to revenue



## **Guardant Test Volume Index**



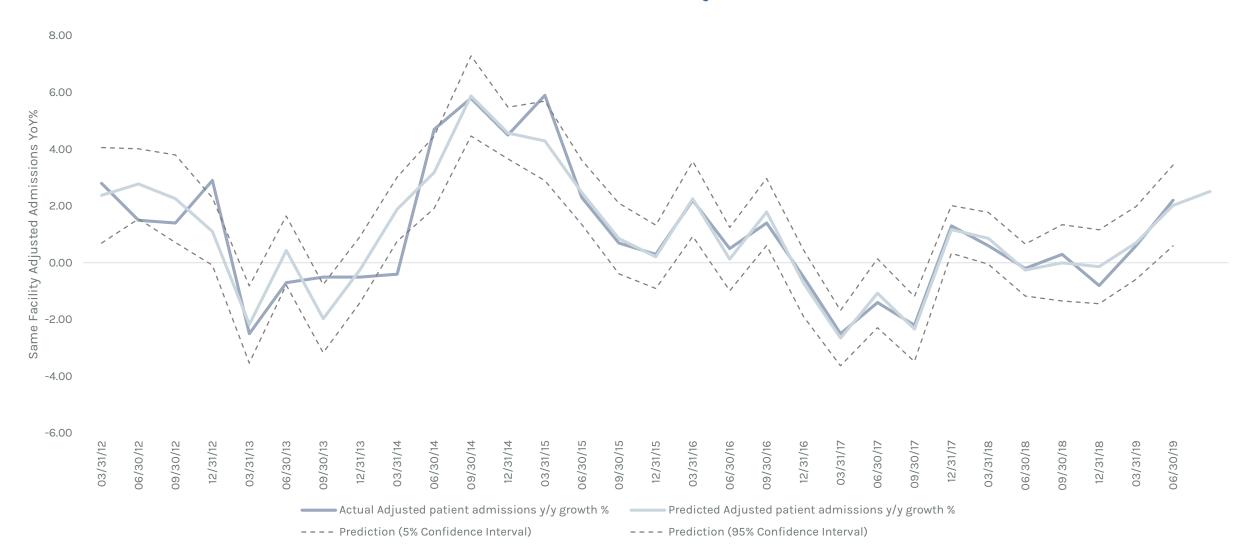
Predominantly lung cancer, positive inflection since NILE study



# **THC Adjusted Admissions**



Guidance is 0-2% for 2019 versus our estimate of 2.5% for 3Q19





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