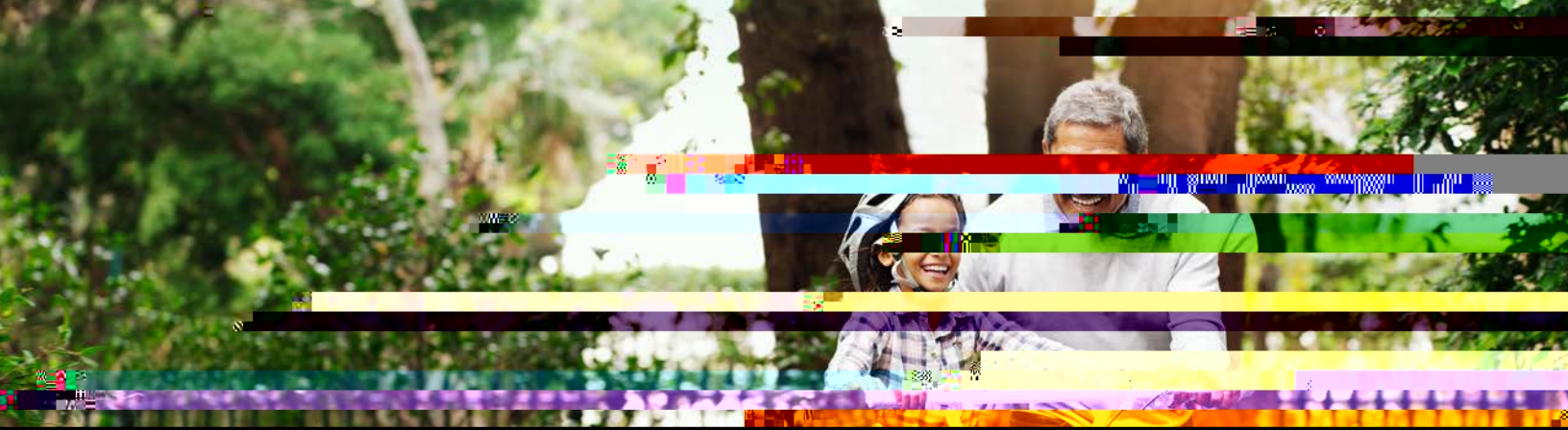


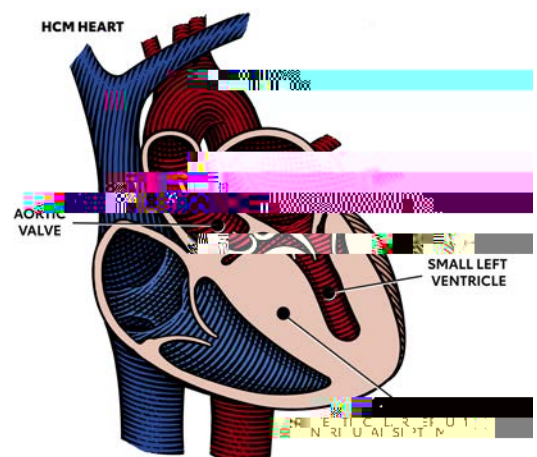
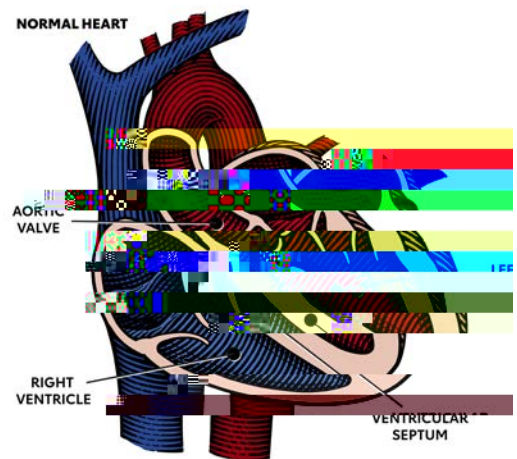


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stiffen, making it difficult for the heart's chambers to adequately fill up or pump out blood.

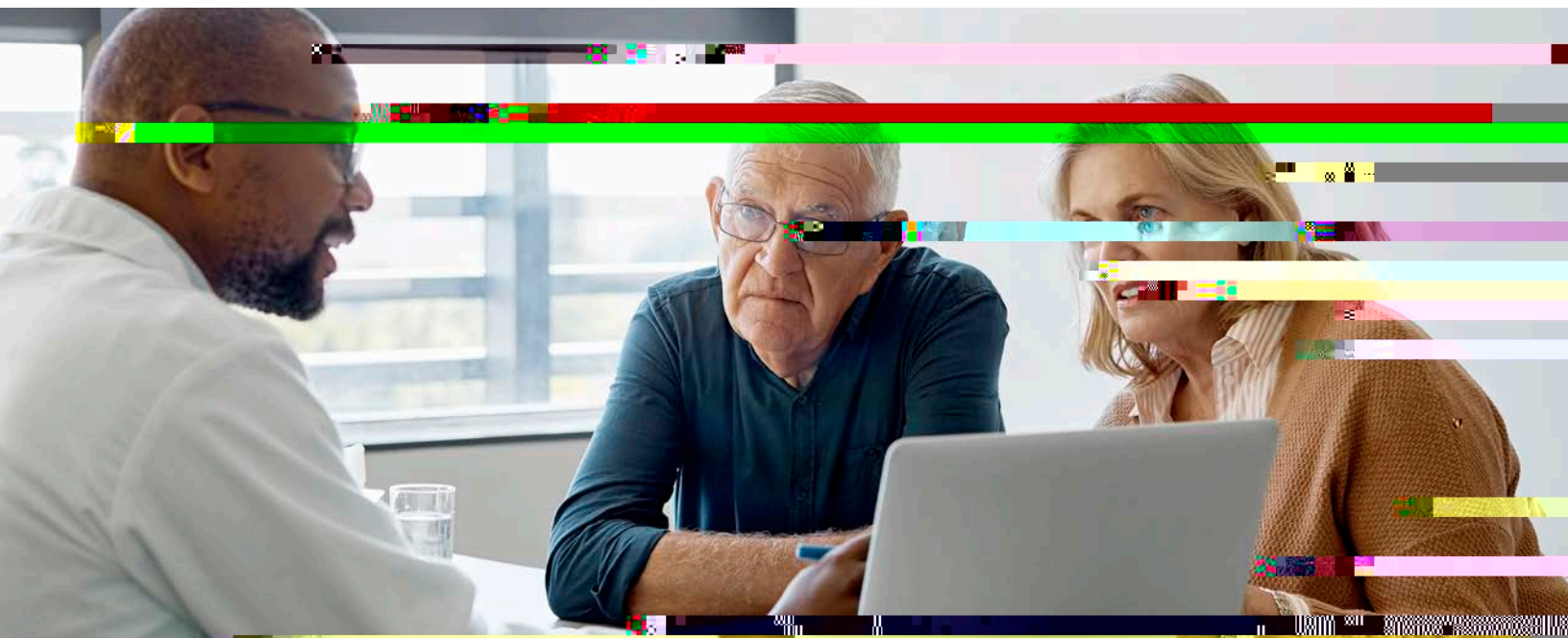


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A timely diagnosis is an important part of an HCM patient's care journey to ensure access to effective treatments that are key for extending length and quality of life.

*...but even before they have access to
a knowledgeable clinician,*

**overcoming barriers to a timely
HCM diagnosis emerged from the
roundtable.**



It can be challenging for to HCPs to treat and help their patients manage HCM.

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Assuming you have a team that thinks it's important, I think you or another [unclear]

. Different EMRs can cause a lot of miscommunications.... patients often have providers at different hospitals, different systems, different places. And so, trying to keep everyone on the same page is challenging.

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Roundtable participants identified the key collaborators and contributors for delivering optimal care and



Resource gaps can have a negative impact on the timely diagnosis and provision of guideline-directed treatment of HCM. So there was discussion about current patient and HCP resource gaps and steps that can be taken to address them.

*I wish that I had had
someone...put it in perspective. Not that it's
not serious and not that I can be cavalier*



As I last looked, there are
about 4,500 to 5,000 genetic
counselors in this country and
maybe about a thousand
geneticists...
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