

Orchestrating & Operationalizing Journeys

Journey Mapping, Service Blueprints and Stakeholder Maps



**In my work I'm searching for the magical balance
between...**

BUSINESS & DESIGN

STRUCTURE & CHAOS

LOGIC & INTUITION

EXECUTION & CONCEPT

FORMALITY & CREATIVITY

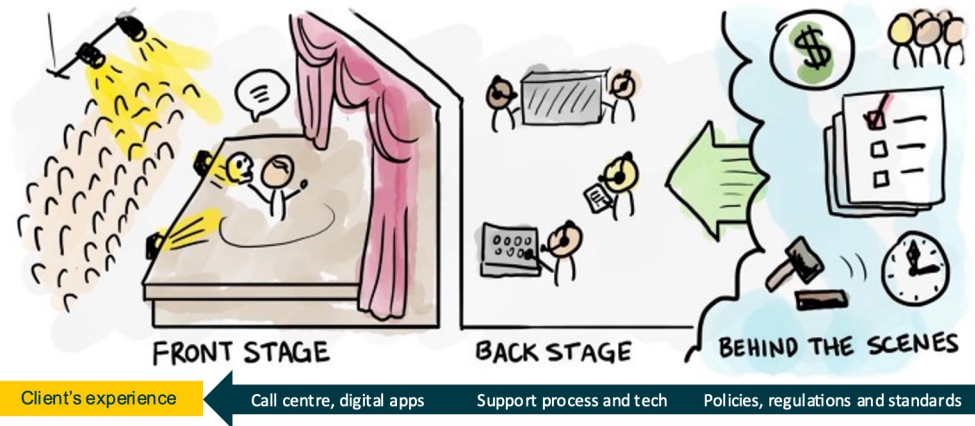
CONTROL & EMPOWERMENT



Making Experiences Visible

As a designer, I look at everything involved in delivering a service – *end-to-end, front-to-back, digital and non-digital*

We look at the people, process and technology – and how they work together – to deliver client experience.



Client Actions: What the Client is doing in this moment

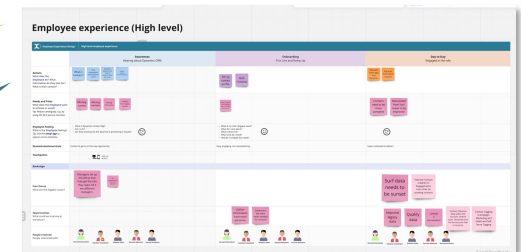
CXO Communications: Comms or content on the Evolve value proposition and supporting material being used by Advisors or sent to the Client in this moment

Advisor Actions: What the Advisor is doing in this moment

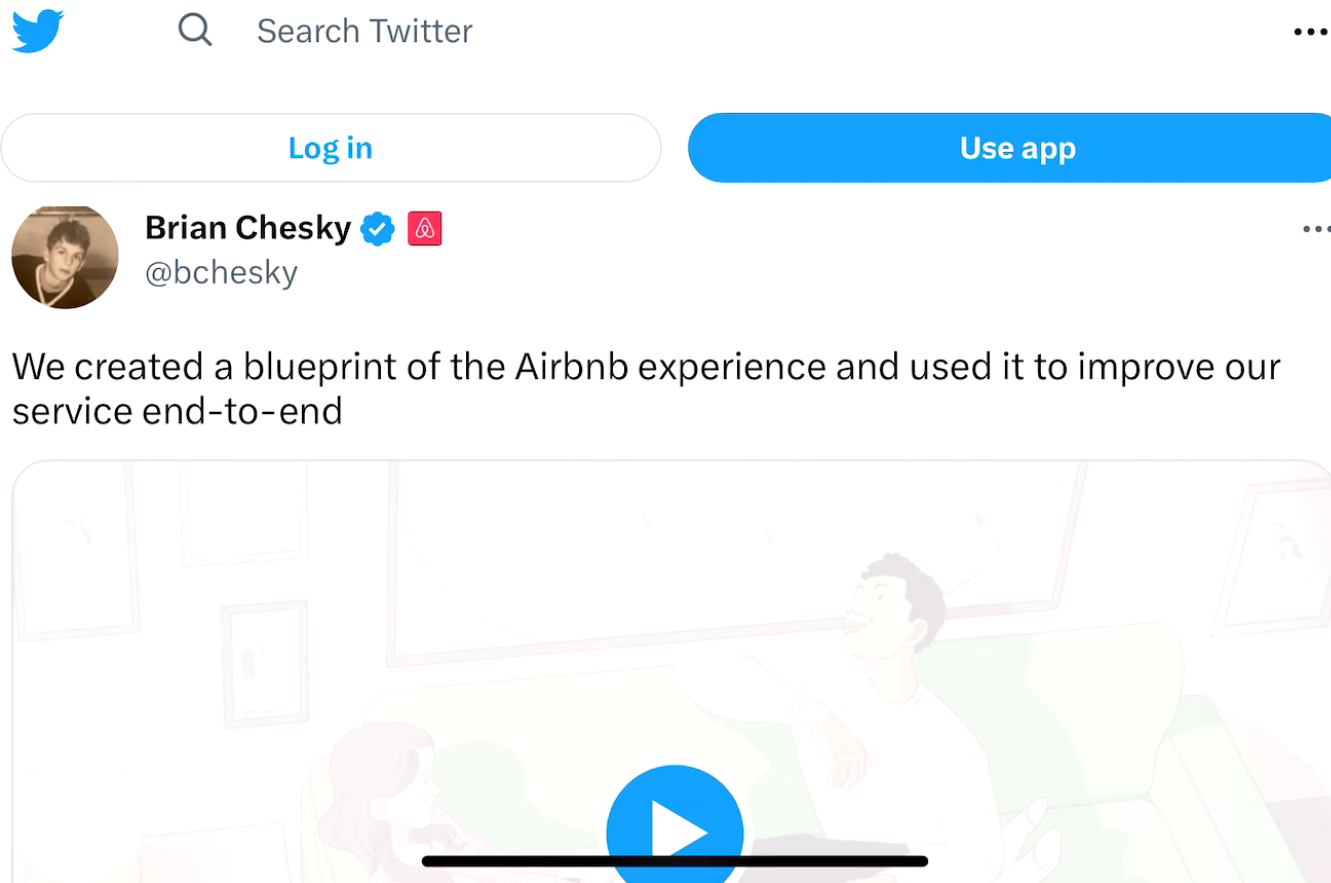
Dynamics Actions: What Dynamics teams are doing in this moment (often operations-based or back-stage)

Contact centre: Dynamics contact centre role and actions

Other Rows: Each moment can have business rules, pain points, operational data (e.g. % of clients who experience a certain pain point), projects which are relevant to the experiences and processes of that moment, and responsible teams who are most directly involved with the actions in that moment



Service blueprints have been adopted by many organizations –, IKEA, Walt Disney, Starbucks, Airbnb....and Dynamics!



Making the “invisible” visible, at different levels

MVP Feature

e.g., Advisor Nudges MVP



Future-State Experience

e.g., Insurance: Wellness, Evolve, DSS



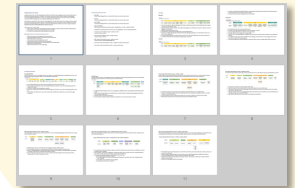
Future-State Go-to-Market

e.g., Evolve Term Launch



Future-State Business / Ecosystem

e.g., Financial Planning Advised and Self Serve Experiences



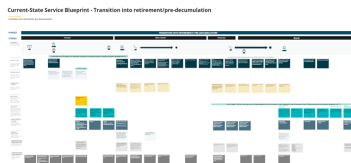
Current-State Feature

e.g., Appointment Booking Tool



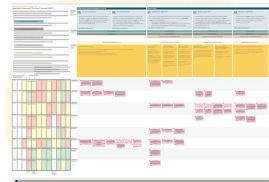
Current-State Experience

e.g., Decumulation – Transitioning into Retirement

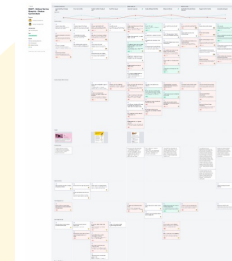


Current-State Business

e.g., SLGI “Purchase Stage”



Implemented Future-State (New Current-State – Cycle Repeats)

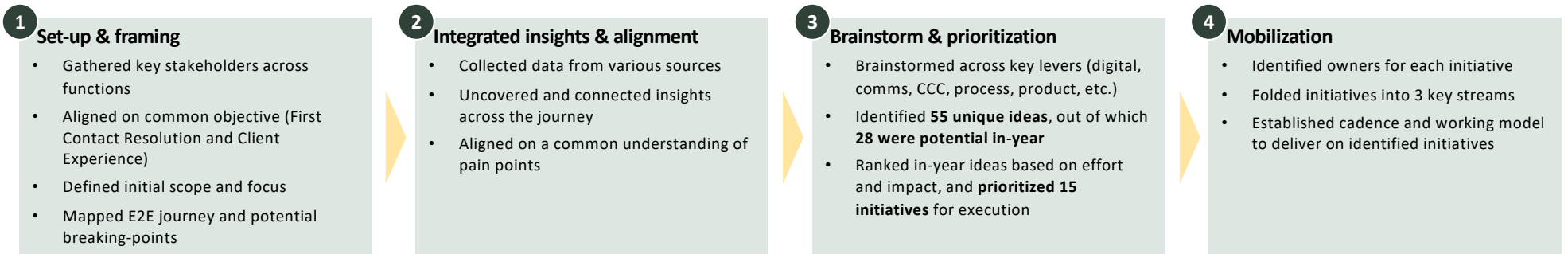


Service blueprints and journey maps as springboards for action

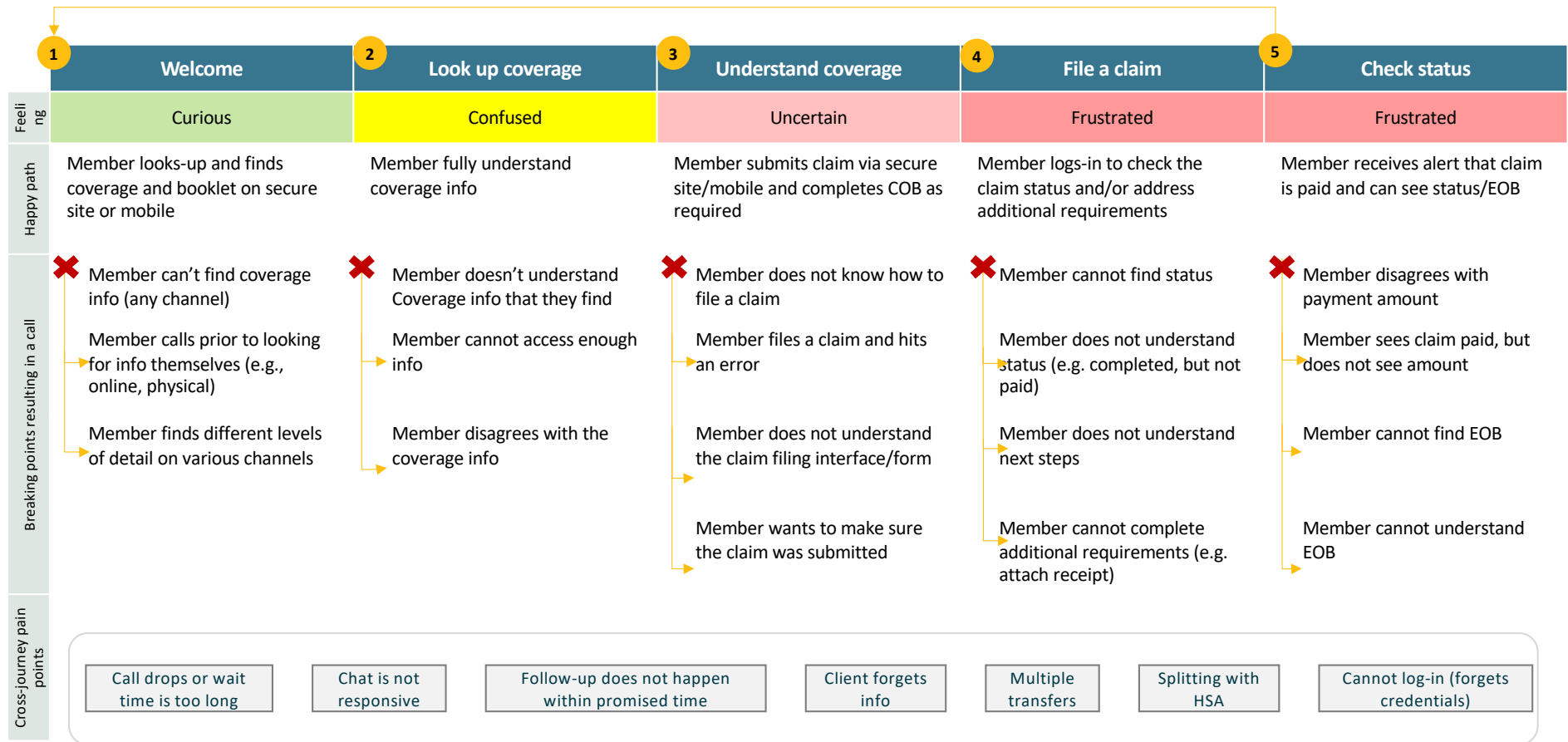


Hub-Level Thinking

My approach to service design and management aligns designers and non-designers alike on the problem, solutioning and roll-out



Service design requires journey design to effectively understand the problem and identify the breaking points and resolution towards an ideal, happy future state



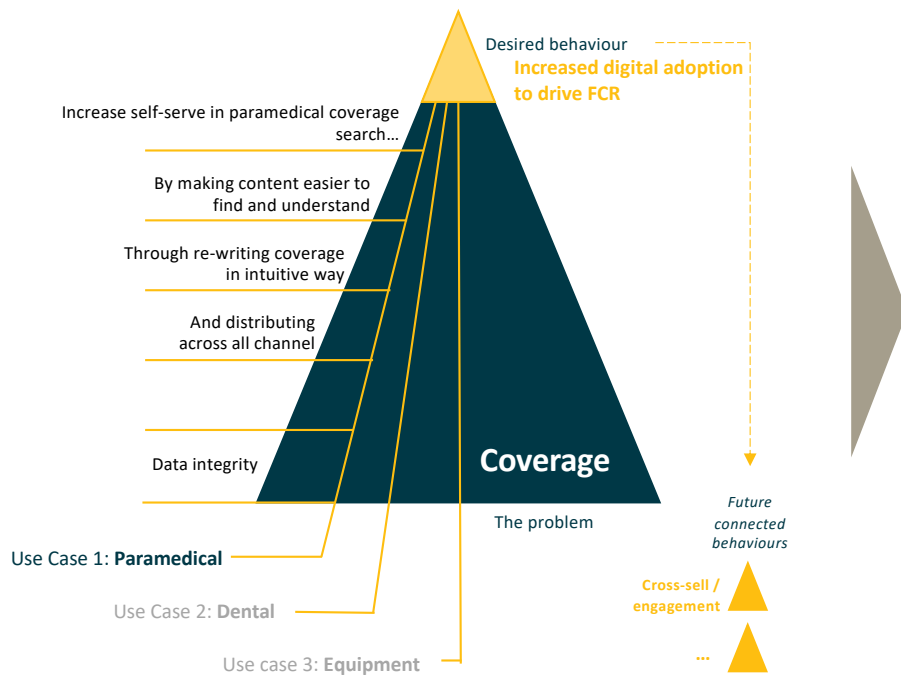
Similarly, using qualitative and quantitative data to better understand **client behaviours** is critical to aligning stakeholders

	Welcome/Look up coverage	Understand Coverage	Submit Claim	Check Status & Decision																																													
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	<p><i>"I was just wondering how much coverage I have for physio?"</i></p> <p>Many members want basic information but do not have ingrained digital habits when it comes to checking coverage</p>	<p><i>"I wanted to see what my coverage was and it's a bit confusing ... I had contacts. I saw there it said there \$44 ...My limit is \$200...I'm just confused..."</i></p> <p>Members find it hard to understand coverage and want to connect with a human to feel secure</p>	<p><i>"I have an orthodontic claim, to submit and I tried to do it online...I just wanted to confirm if you have received the treatment plan"</i></p> <p>Members have low confidence in the submission process and feel the need to confirm completion</p>	<p><i>"I feel like I've done my homework in the past and they've required more information, ...I shouldn't have to fight with my benefits provider."</i></p> <p>Members are often surprised by claim decisions and are frustrated by a lack of clarity up-front</p>																																													
Integrated Insights: examples	<p>Over 90% of members calling about coverage are digitally registered, but</p> <p>~70% of coverage callers did not sign-in to web or mobile 1 business day before call</p> <p>Natural language processing on calls reveals Members call out of curiosity (e.g. "just wondering")</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Caller type = Client</th> <th>Call Category = Coverage</th> <th>Number of calls = 77</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 0: ['client', 'ccr', 'confirms', 'asks', 'ccr confirms']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 1: ['just', 'just wondering', 'wanted', 'benefits', 'wondering']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 2: ['exception', 'form', 'medication', 'wants', 'just']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 3: ['know', 'wanted', 'claim', 'wanted know', 'hsa']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 4: ['dental', 'son', 'client calling', 'appt', 'dental appt']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 5: ['know', 'glasses', 'wants', 'benefit', 'exception']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 6: ['client calling', 'said', 'calling', 'letter', 'informs']</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3">Topic 7: ['just wondering', 'wondering', 'just', 'health', 'equipment']</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Caller type = Client	Call Category = Coverage	Number of calls = 77	Topic 0: ['client', 'ccr', 'confirms', 'asks', 'ccr confirms']			Topic 1: ['just', 'just wondering', 'wanted', 'benefits', 'wondering']			Topic 2: ['exception', 'form', 'medication', 'wants', 'just']			Topic 3: ['know', 'wanted', 'claim', 'wanted know', 'hsa']			Topic 4: ['dental', 'son', 'client calling', 'appt', 'dental appt']			Topic 5: ['know', 'glasses', 'wants', 'benefit', 'exception']			Topic 6: ['client calling', 'said', 'calling', 'letter', 'informs']			Topic 7: ['just wondering', 'wondering', 'just', 'health', 'equipment']			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only 1/3 of users are able to find and complete key tasks such as checking coverage and submitting a claim without difficulty² Call Listening³ analysis revealed top 2 reasons for Coverage related calls are: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> "Confirm" coverage: Do I have coverage, am I eligible for, how much will I get paid... (~45%) Unclear how to navigate web & mobile (e.g., find coverage, submit claim) (~25%) 	<p>~65% of declines are resubmitted, often because we require additional information (e.g., Dr.'s note)</p> <table border="1"> <caption>Volumes - Declines Additional Information</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Category</th> <th>Volume (Approximate)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Paramedical Practitioners</td> <td>180,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Medical Services & Equipment</td> <td>150,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Miscellaneous</td> <td>100,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Health Spending Account</td> <td>50,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Contact Lenses or Eyeglasses</td> <td>20,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Consultations and Visits</td> <td>10,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Personal Spending Account</td> <td>5,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hospital, in Canada</td> <td>5,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Category	Volume (Approximate)	Paramedical Practitioners	180,000	Medical Services & Equipment	150,000	Miscellaneous	100,000	Health Spending Account	50,000	Contact Lenses or Eyeglasses	20,000	Consultations and Visits	10,000	Personal Spending Account	5,000	Hospital, in Canada	5,000	<p>Top reasons for claims declined (based on reason codes):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reasonable & Customary charges (higher rate than standard market rate) Reached max in coverage Reached max in HSA Not covered
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Use-cases are critical to making services tangible for brainstorming and solutioning

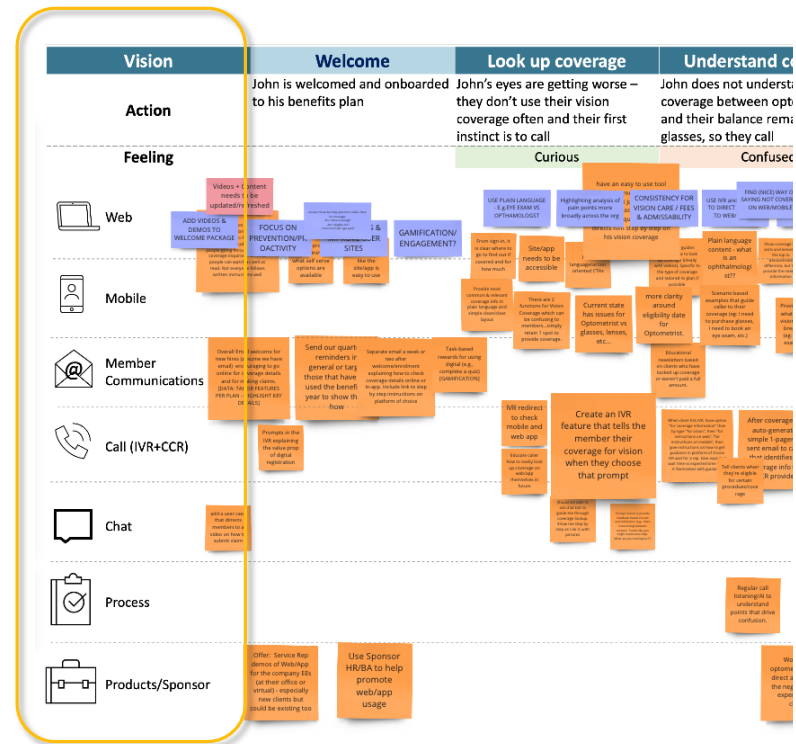
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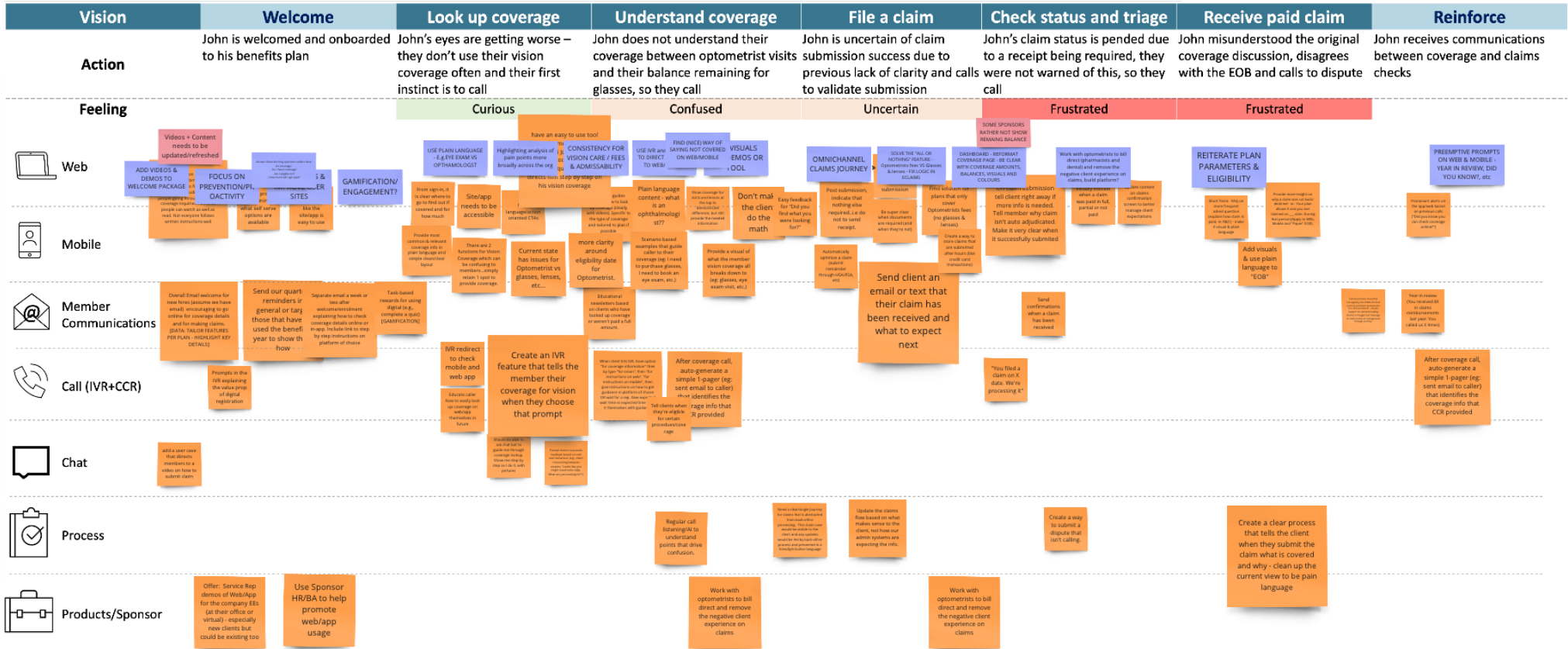
Focusing on use-cases allow time-bound, focused and overall efficient delivery to key moments that driver client behaviour, desired journeys and business strategy/outcomes.



Solutioning across channels

I brainstormed ideas across channels in each scenario to identify solutions at across all stages of the journey





My brainstorming revealed **55** unique ideas (28 in-year, 27 medium & long term) that will help us close the gap between current and future state across journey stages

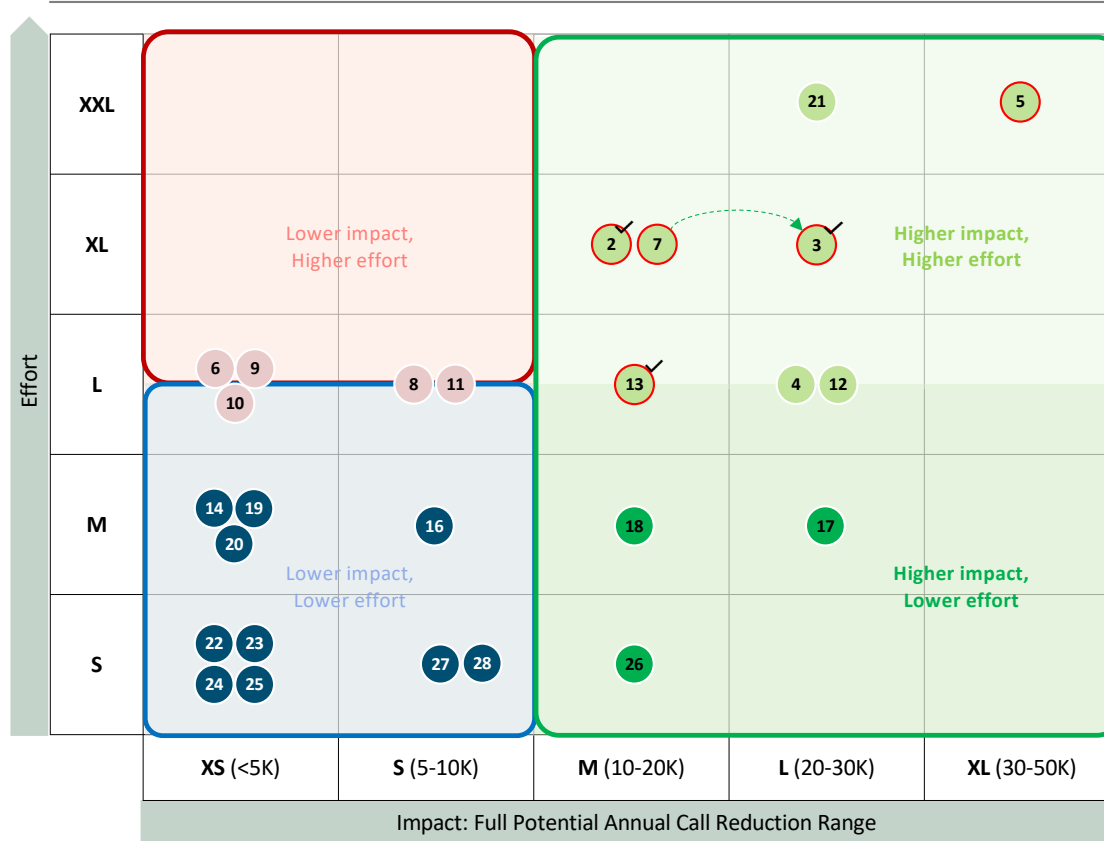
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In-year ideas	Journey stages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Encourage digital habits during onboarding (e.g. use value prop language to promote digital, email campaign after 1 week, push email based on when people make their first claim) Ensure accurate and complete member data collection at onboarding (e.g. emails, etc.) Enable people to setup banking in mobile app, allowing for initial claim to be setup/completed in mobile-only 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create tool to easily search coverage eligibility and amount (eligibility calculator) Reorganize coverage pages and to prioritize most relevant information and rewrite in plain language Add ability to lookup dental coverage on the mobile app 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reveal claim submission requirements and mandatory document upload based on policy Visualize coverage breakdown and consolidated balances Re-write drug look-up content (e.g., clear outline of process, use user centric language, describe alternative drugs and tiers) Redesign and simplify benefits booklet in line with Bill 96 requirements Rewrite optometrist eligibility coverage date using plain language Clarify meaning and consequences of "reasonable and customary amounts" with plain language across paramedical, devices, etc. Use scenario-based examples to explain coverage through members' perspective (e.g. I need to purchase glasses, I need to book an eye exam) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a 'Repeat my last claim' feature driven by previous claims interactions Trigger an e-mail closer to drug renewal date and give clear instructions, links, and forms for renewing drug approvals Auto-generate and send simple 1-pager with coverage info after coverage call Create an on-screen celebratory moment to confirm claims submission and next steps (e.g. how long, what to expect) Send out plain-language confirmation and next steps email following a digital claim submission (e.g. how long, what to expect) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rewrite status updates on mobile and web in user-centric language 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rewrite decline e-mails with more detail and plain language (e.g. "immediate action required", be more specific on the reason for decline)
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Medium/long-term ideas	Journey stages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offer demos of Web/app for the company EEs (at the office or virtually) - for new and existing Clients Create a place to store and put information from doctors/physicians including photos of prescriptions, recommendations and voice notes 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have an automated read out of the category balance while on hold ("Calling about coverage? We see you recently claimed Chiropractor; you have \$\$ remaining across all paramedical) Clarify when a member should go to Dynamics with questions vs their Sponsor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work with Optometrists to bill direct and remove the negative Client experience on claims Work directly with Pharmacy/Pharmacist to flag that approval is required Reduce the amount of repeat paperwork for renewal; remove member from this process Inform claim wait times at various channels (e.g. on claims screen, in IVR) Email confirmation campaign with BD & Sponsor (Make sure you confirm your email address by X date, otherwise you may not receive xyz comms!) Create a way to store claims that are submitted after hours (e.g., credit card transactions) A feature to capture doctor's visit notes through voice or text 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optimize claim automatically e.g., submit remainder through HSA/PSA Notifications (email, push, text) on all claim status with estimated dates Inform Client immediately upon submission if NIGO and what additional info is needed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create educational newsletters based on Clients who have looked up coverage or weren't paid a full amount Declined email deep link to your claim details (Face ID) Create an online dispute process to prevent calls
	Cross-cutting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Push sponsors to promote digital adoption Make product changes to make it easier to use; rethink pooling of topics per category Leverage Ella to capture Clients' thoughts and proactively use information to address the concern Task-based rewards for using digital (e.g., complete a quiz) Smart call routing and using account history data In-journey support through Ella, clear steps, and dynamic instructions 				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a one-click renewal button or push the renewal notification Create app/web based notifications based on previous calls (e.g., did you know you can check coverage online?) Create spousal/dependent access to web/mobile channels to allow for checking coverage After coverage call, auto-generate a simple 1-pager with coverage info and send to caller 	

The results of my rankings reveal three key segments of ideas to review

Idea ranking by Impact & Ease

6	Re-write drug look-up content (e.g., clear outline of process, use user centric language, describe alternative drugs and tiers)
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Dynamics

CXO digital team

✓ Currently on CXO digital roadmap

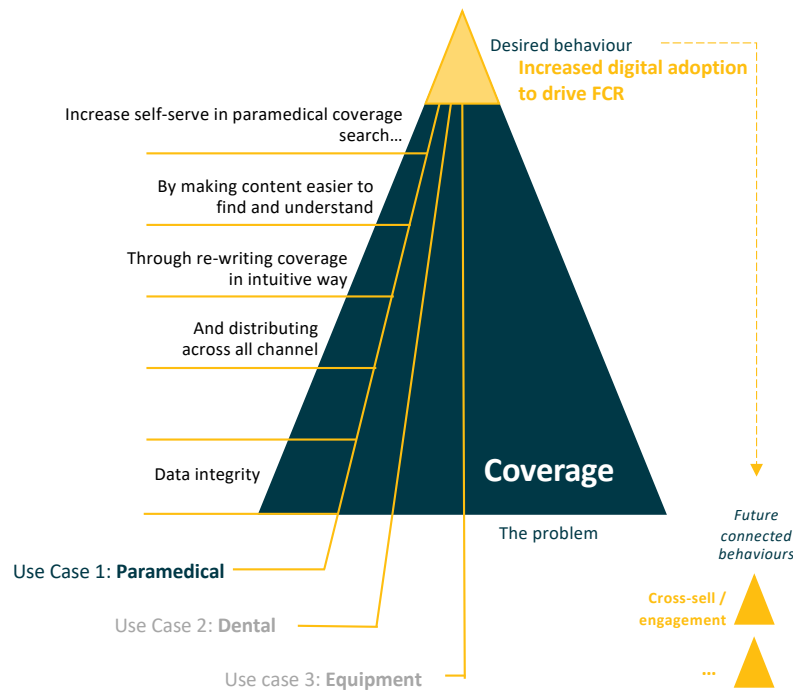
-----▶ "Piggy-back" opportunity

Service Management and Solution Implementation

I continue to evolve the way I work, with deeper collaboration centred around the E2E journey and focused on tackling strategic 'slivers' of problems to drive behavioural change

RECALL: Sliver approach to define the use case

Focusing on use-cases allow time-bound, focused and overall efficient delivery to key moments that driver client behaviour, desired journeys and business strategy/outcomes.



Service implementation: build the use case

Pods (a.k.a services teams) enable key elements of each sliver to be delivered. The structure of the pod should depend on the requirements of the use-case. For example, a heavy process or back-end focused use case may not require participation from web and mobile teams.

Element	Team representation required
Use case: Paramedical We want to increase insurance conversion...	
by reinforcing the value of Evolve term during application	RA&S product development
Through delivering personalised content during onboarding	CXO marketing
Based on existing client and policy data collected during onboarding	Data and analytics (XP) Operations
Delivered through web, mobile and email	Web, mobile, UX

We've already established a cadence and working model to deliver on identified initiatives

Cadence to coordinate and track progress

Rhythm	Meeting	Attendees
Monthly	Program check-in FCR/CCC check-in on initiative statuses (update before meeting)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drivers: Robert and James
Quarterly	Program reflection/prioritization Review progress to date and explore adjustments based on new information, impact, learnings etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sponsors: Yan and Varesh Attendees: Key initiative drivers and decision-makers across BUs involved
Weekly/ bi-weekly	Stream groups Frequent updates on findings, blockers, changes to initiatives and alignment within pillar on dependencies and new information – to adapt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Execution teams

KANBAN boards and task lists established across streams

The image displays two sets of project management tools. On the left, two Kanban boards are shown. The top board is titled 'KANBAN BOARD GB CCC Coverage' and features columns for 'Backlog', 'In Progress', and 'Complete'. Below it is another board titled 'KANBAN BOARD GB CCC Claims' with similar columns. On the right, two 'TASK LIST' tables are shown. The top one is for 'GB CCC Coverage' and the bottom one is for 'GB CCC Claims'. Both task lists have columns for 'Idea', 'Channel', and 'Task', listing various project activities and their associated channels.

Recap on learnings and next steps

Learnings

- Rich and integrated insights allow us to better frame the opportunity and yield fruitful and data-driven discussions (Client data, business data, ops data, call listening, etc.)
- Holistic and common understanding of pain points across E2E journey is critical to ensure we have the same understanding of the problem
- Cross-functional collaboration drives deeper understanding, innovation, better solutions, and enables synergies in execution
- Bias for action and assigning ownership of outcomes holds teams accountable
- Service design requires service management and ownership

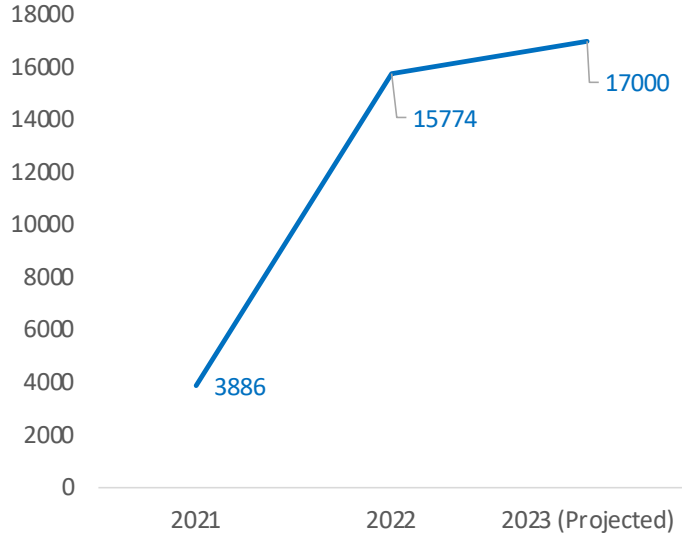
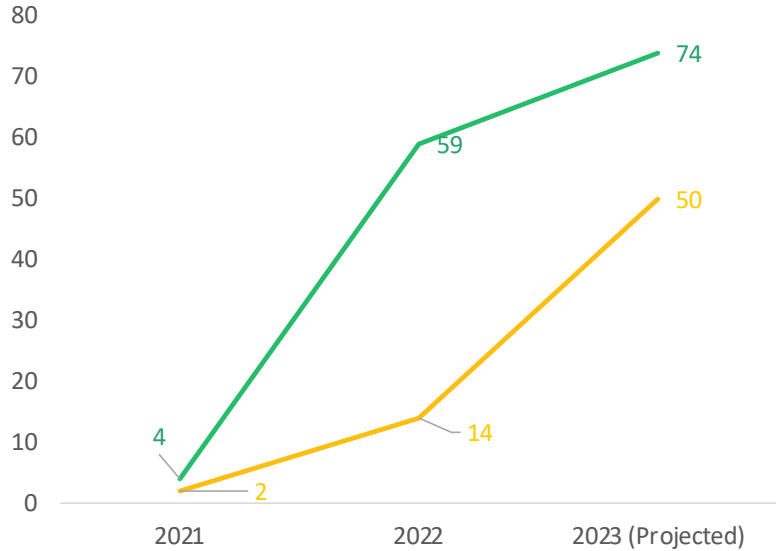
"[I am]...super encouraged by this approach...and want to do it more often...trying to do this again."

"I couldn't tell who was on GB/CXO or Ops - the purpose was to solve for the client"

Embracing Journey Management at Scale

As I scale XD activities across Dynamics, need to better connect and organize journeys and insights at a whole company level

Client-Focused and Cross-Functional Design Activities Across Dynamics Canada



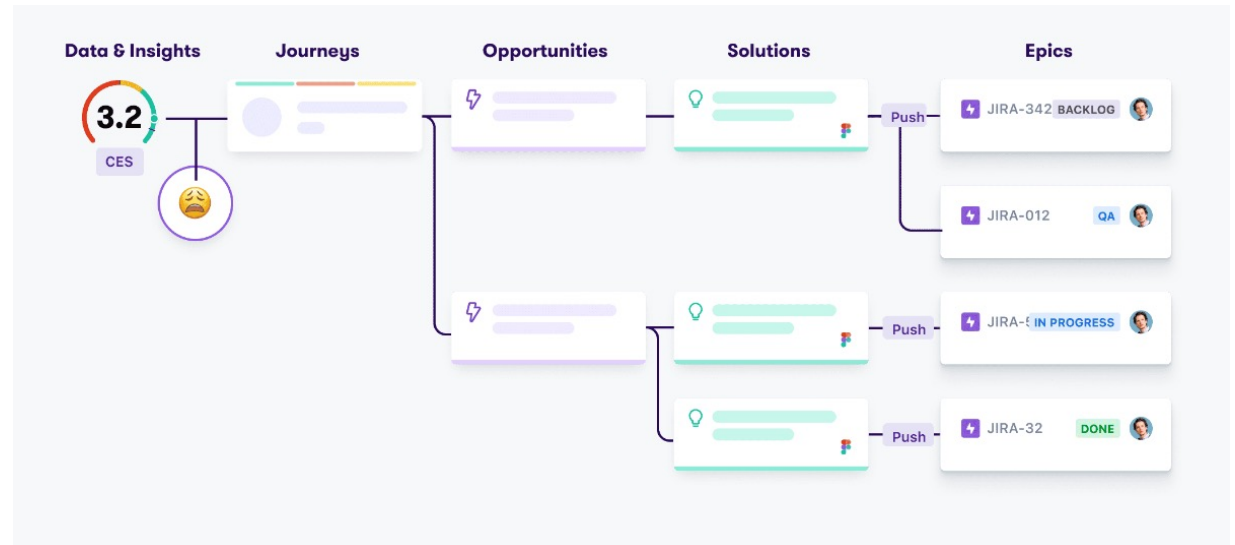
— Blueprints / Journey Maps
— Design Sprints / Workshops

— Research Participants

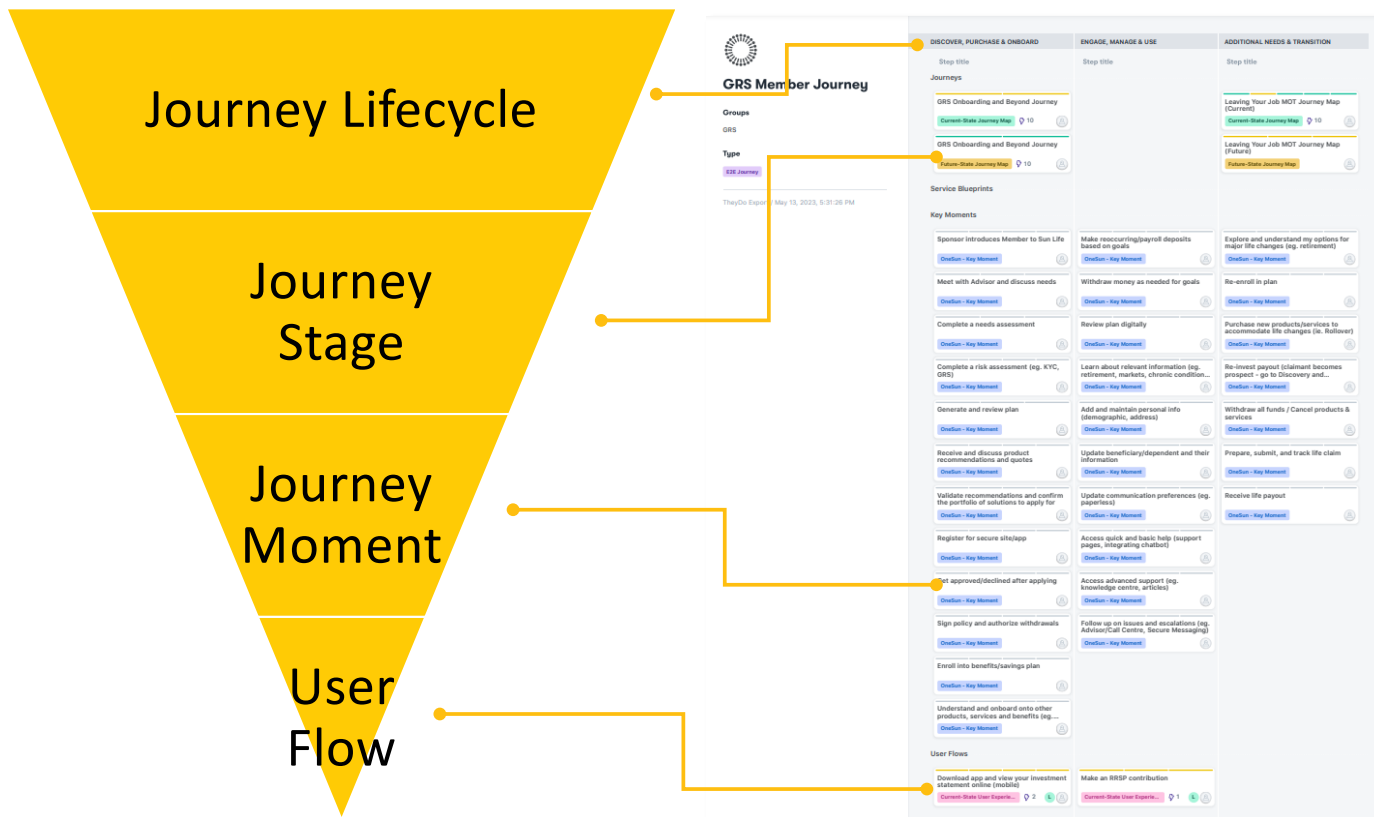
What is Journey Management?

Journey Management consists of 3 key parts:

- **Visualizing:** Mapping Client journeys and blueprints in a standardized and collaborative way.
- **Structuring:** Structuring journeys and data / insights in a common hierarchy to create an overview of the full Client lifecycle.
- **Orchestrating:** Collaborating together to improve the experience, from gathering insight to implementing.



It's XD's responsibility to deeply understand ALL the journeys My Clients go through, and to champion high-quality experience design

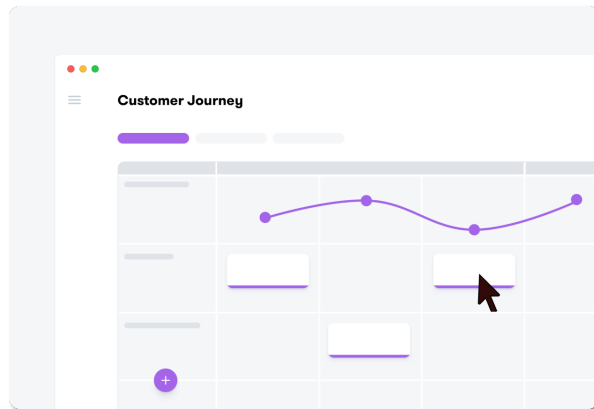


We now have a tool to help manage the complexity of ALL journeys.

I will continue to pioneer Journey Management practices that unlock efficiency, E2E orchestration, and experience consistency

Efficiency

From “knowledge harvest” to “knowledge buffet”

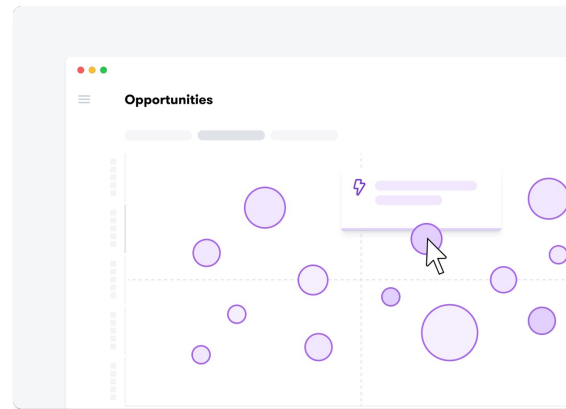


Future Examples:

- Ability to search and immediately build on prior journeys and insights instead of starting from scratch.
- Reporting and on-going governance to maintain a high-quality system of journeys.

Orchestration

More systematic ways of connecting discovery to development

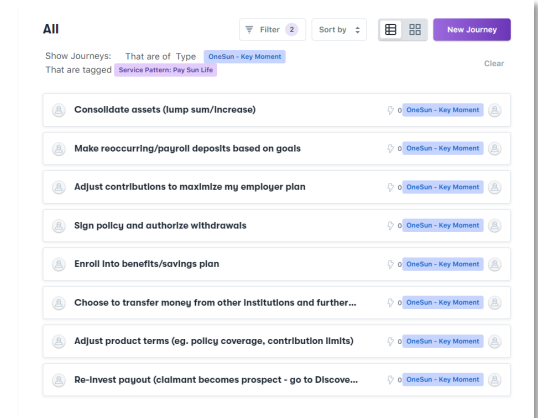


Future Examples:

- Ability to systematically log and categorize opportunities and tag to multiple journeys / segments across BUs.
- Early and ongoing identification and prioritization of opportunities and solutions.

Consistency

Identifying common service patterns across Key Moments



Future Examples:

- “Service Pattern: Pay Dynamics” has been tagged to 8 Key Moments within My Journey Hierarchy.
- Connect measurement data (e.g. Qualtrics) to journeys for comparison across areas.

Takeaways, Questions & Discussion

Key Takeaways



Service Design at Dynamics
Canada

Making Experiences Visible

Hub-Level
Thinking

Service Management &
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Embracing Journey
Management at Scale

- From no service design to a team of experts
- From “invisible” to “visible”
- From silos to collective
- From mappers to orchestrators
- From knowledge harvest to knowledge buffet

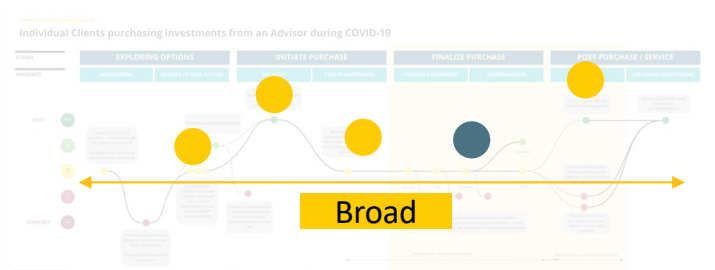
Appendix

CX and UX practitioners work in a human-centered, co-creative, and iterative way - key differences are scope, activities and deliverables between the two roles

What is CX / Journey Design?

SCOPE

- **Journey Design** refers to everything that affects a user's end-to-end journey (multiple touchpoints)
- CX professionals are interested in how Clients and businesses can achieve their desired outcomes
- Journey Design also considers how the various elements among Client Experience, Employee Experience, and back-end system should be aligned
- **Activities / Deliverables:** e.g. User research and insight development, mapping current-state journeys, envisioning "north star" journeys

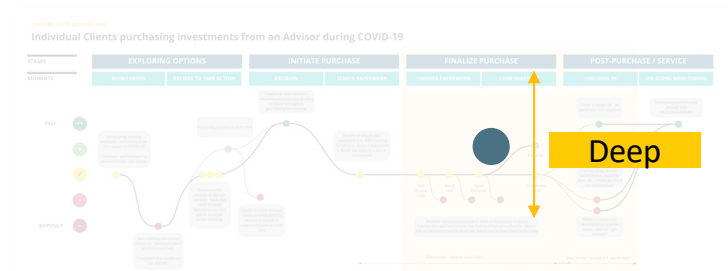


*Multiple touchpoints - end-to-end journey design
Interactions outside of Dynamics too*

What is UX Design?

SCOPE

- **User Experience (UX)** refers to everything that affects a user's interaction with a digital product
- UX professionals are interested in the what, why, and how of digital product use
- UX Design also focuses on balancing user needs with business goals and technology constraints
- **Activities / Deliverables:** e.g., Information architecture, interaction design, content design, visual design, usability testing



*Single touchpoints - digital product design
Primarily Dynamics Interactions*

