

Washington State Health Care Authority

Monthly Medicaid Meeting

December 17, 2014
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Agenda

- Medicaid Administrative Claiming
- Medicaid Plan Selection
- Medicaid Estate Recovery
and American Indians/Alaska Natives
- Tribal Foster Care and Medicaid Eligibility
- State Health Reform Updates
- Upcoming Tribal Consultations
- Medicaid SPAs and Waivers
- Schedule for M3 Meetings for 2015

Medicaid Administrative Claiming

- Cost Allocation Plan (CAP)
 - Update
- Next Steps
 - Training for Implementation

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Medicaid Plan Selection

Project Status

- Software Design: Complete
- Software Development: In Progress
 - Expected to be complete in January
- Testing: January – April
- Medicaid Managed Care Plans have loaded test data for their provider networks
- On Target for April 25, 2015 Implementation

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Medicaid Plan Selection

- **Screen Shots for Mixed Household**

- Alex is Native
- Jenny and John are Non-Native

- **Order of Screens**

1. Non-Natives Select Plan

- o No option for Fee-for-Service

2. Natives Select Plan

- o Option for Fee-for-Service: “No Managed Care Plan”

➤ We would appreciate your advice: How to describe this

Medicaid Plan Selection

Non-Native Screen

- No Option for Fee-for-Service

The screenshot shows the 'Plan Selection' screen for a non-native user. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'HOME | EN ESPAÑOL', 'WELCOME, ALEX SMITH (SIGN OUT) | CUSTOMER SUPPORT', and a progress indicator with steps 1 (Browse), 2 (Apply), 3 (Select), and 4 (Finalize). Below the navigation, it says '3 Plans Found' and provides navigation options like 'Previous', 'Show 5 Per page', 'Next', and 'Sort by Name'. The search criteria are listed as 'Looking for a Plan to Cover: Jenny Smith, 39, John Smith, 39'. There are search filters for 'Health Care Provider' and 'Clinic/Hospital'. The 'Customize My Search' section includes checkboxes for 'Insurance Company' (CHPW, Molina, Coordinated Care, CLP, AMG, United) and 'Plan Type' (Apple Health Coverage - No Managed Care Plan, Apple Health Coverage - Managed Care Plan). Three plan cards are displayed, each with the Washington Apple Health logo and a partner logo (coordinatedcare, UnitedHealthcare, MOLINA HEALTHCARE). Each card includes 'Consumer Rating' and 'Star Rating' fields and a 'Select' button. At the bottom, it says '3 Plans Found' and 'Skip Plan Selection'.

Medicaid Plan Selection

Native Screen

- Option for Fee-for-Service:

No Managed Care Plan

- Is there a better way to describe this?
- Any change here will apply to other screens with this text.

Medicaid Estate Recovery

- WAC 182-527-2754**
 - ...
 - (4) Certain properties belonging to American Indians/Alaska natives (AI/AN) are exempt from estate recovery if at the time of death:
 - ...
 - (5) Protection of trust and nontrust property under subsection (4) is limited to circumstances when the real property and improvements pass from an Indian (as defined in...) to one or more relatives (by blood, adoption, or marriage),...
 - (6) Certain AI/AN income and resources (such as...) are exempt from estate recovery by other laws and regulations.
 - (7) Ownership interests in or usage rights to items that have unique religious, spiritual, traditional, and/or cultural significance or rights that...
 - (8) Government reparation payments specifically excluded by federal law in determining eligibility are exempt from estate recovery as long as...

Medicaid Estate Recovery

Issue: All American Indian/Alaska Native estates should be exempt (Andrew Shogren)

- Office of Financial Recovery
 - Does not seek recovery from Tribal enrollees
 - Supportive of broader exemption
- Health Care Authority
 - Planning to amend Chapter 182-527 WAC
- CMS
 - Any change will require State Plan Amendment

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Tribal Foster Care & Medicaid

Issue: HCA staff having difficulty determining from Tribal Court documents if children placed in guardianship are still in Tribal foster care

- Research: Complete
- Currently working with 1 Tribe
- Planning to send invitation to other Tribes after we complete process with 1 Tribe

Please let me know if you would like to start now

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State Health Care Reform Updates

State Innovation Model Grant

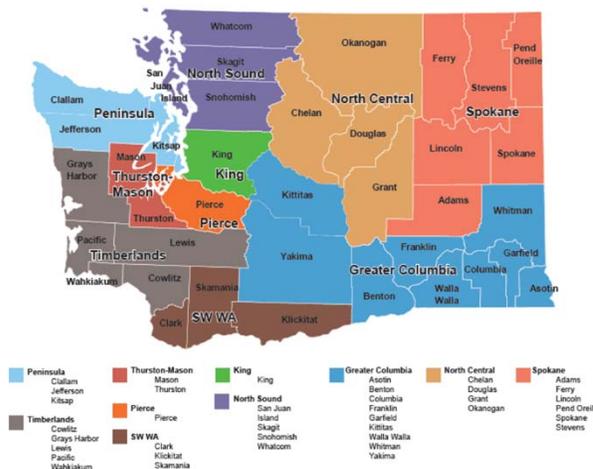
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services yesterday awarded \$622 million in State Innovation Model Test Awards to 11 states

- Washington will receive \$65 million over 4 years beginning in February 2015
- HCA will serve as lead agency for the grant
- The grant will support work to implement the Healthier Washington project, with its focus to achieve better health, better care, and lower costs.

State Health Care Reform Updates

Regional Service Areas (RSAs)

- DSHS and HCA announced RSAs last month



State Health Care Reform Updates

Accountable Communities of Health (ACH)

- Grant Opportunity Announcement on November 7, 2014 for new round of ACH pilot and planning grants to be awarded on January 2, 2015
- Separately, HCA will provide support for statewide Tribal coordination with ACHs

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State Health Care Reform Updates

Behavioral Health Integration

- DSHS is the lead planning agency for Behavioral Health Organization (BHO) RSAs
 - BHOs will be very similar to RSNs, but responsible for mental health and chemical dependency
- HCA is the lead planning agency for Early Adopter RSAs
 - In Early Adopter RSAs, there will no longer be RSNs; Medicaid managed care plans will contract with providers (or possibly counties)

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Upcoming Tribal Consultations

January 5, 2015

- Topic: State Health Reform
- Formal Invitations Sent Last Wednesday
- Dorothy, MaryAnne, & Nathan Plan to Attend
- Planning for More Tribal Consultations on This Topic

January 15, 2015

- Topic: HCA & HBE Budget Request
- Formal Invitation Not Yet Sent
- Dorothy, MaryAnne & Richard Plan to Attend

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Medicaid State Plan Amendments and Waivers: Notices Since October 29, 2014

SPA # or Waiver # (Date of Letter)	Brief Description
SPA 14-0041 (10/30/2014)	Rate increase for inpatient services by 25% effective January 1, 2015 for hospitals designated as Sole Community Hospitals and meeting other criteria as designated by the Legislature. Hospitals that participate in the State's Certified Public Expenditure program will not be eligible for this rate increase.
SPA 14-0042 (10/30/2014)	Rate increase for outpatient services by 25% effective January 1, 2015 for hospitals designated as Sole Community Hospitals and meeting other criteria as designated by the Legislature.
SPA 14-0043 (10/30/2014)	Disproportionate Share Hospital payment decrease to \$200,000 for the period of January 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015.
SPA 15-0004 (11/26/2014)	Federal Benefit Rate (FBR) increase for Medicaid programs that are based on this income standard. This FBR increase will raise SSI cash grant amounts, certain resource limits associated with long-term care coverage, and certain out of pocket expense limits for Medicare Parts A and B.

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SPA # or Waiver # (Date of Letter)	Brief Description
SPA 15-0004 (12/10/2014)	<p>This SPA updates the Alternative Benefit Plan section of the State Plan to conform to recent changes to other sections of the State Plan as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add Applied Behavior Analysis/intensive behavior services provided by Lead Behavior Analysis Therapists and Therapy Assistants to Early Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) services and as “other licensed practitioners”. Add Naturopathic Physicians and Licensed Social Workers as “other licensed practitioners”. Add Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) as a preventive service without cost-sharing. Add reference to Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) Part C services provided under the School-Based Health Care Services program.



Medicaid State Plan Amendments and Waivers: Notices Since October 29, 2014

SPA # or Waiver # (Date of Letter)	Brief Description
SPA 15-0004 (12/10/2014) (Continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Add telemedicine as a delivery system for services under fee-for-service for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The following providers: Physicians and Physician Assistants, Dentists, Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners, Psychiatric Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners, Independent Clinical Social Workers, Advanced Clinical Social Workers, Mental Health Counselors, Marriage and Family Therapists, Psychologists, Certified counselors acting as a Lead Behavior Analyst Therapist; The following services: Consultations, Office or other outpatient visits, Psychiatric intake and assessment, Individual psychotherapy, and visit for drug monitoring; and The following originating sites: The office of a physician or practitioner, a hospital, a Critical Access Hospital, a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC), a home, and a school.



Medicaid State Plan Amendments and Waivers: Notices Since October 29, 2014

SPA # or Waiver # (Date of Letter)	Brief Description
SPA 15-0005 (12/10/2014)	This SPA clarifies that covered fluoride treatments for clients 20 years old and younger are <i>per client per provider/clinic</i> . The language in italics was inadvertently omitted from the State Plan.

M3 Schedule for 2015

Last Wednesday of the Month, 9 – 10 am

- January 28
- February 25
- March 25
- April 29
- May 27
- June 24
- July 29
- August 26
- September 30
- October 28

Calendar invitation for recurring meeting to be emailed

Thank you!

Please send comments and questions to:

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