In this newsletter, you will find updates on the recently released Participant Survey, the Project Advisory Committee, and other upcoming activities.

CCB's Participant Survey is Now Available

On September 22, CCB launched our online Participant Survey. Your responses to the Survey will allow us to better understand Participants' capacity, areas of special focus, and where each might best engage in and benefit from participation in CCB's DSRIP initiatives.

If you have any questions about the Survey or need assistance in completing it, please contact our support team at (718) 355-9693 or support@CCBrooklyn.org.

Completed surveys are due Wednesday, October 7.

Project Advisory Committee Meeting

On September 10, the Project Advisory Committee (PAC) met. Discussed at this meeting were overall DSRIP program updates, the CCB Participant Survey (see above), project planning and budgeting/funds flow.

Master Services Agreement / Schedule B

The Master Services Agreement (MSA) was distributed in late June for review and execution by each Participant entity in the CCB network. As noted in previous newsletters, we are now working to finalize program plans and budgets for CCB's initiatives and specific DSRIP projects. Requirements for participation will be documented in 'Schedule B' of the MSA.

Attachments to Schedule B will be specific to different types of Participant entities, and will include both performance and reporting requirements. Schedule B will also document the funding that will be provided to support a Participant's contributions to the achievement of DSRIP goals. As discussed at the recent PAC meeting, our focus at this time is on how to make most effective use of funds available for implementation, specifically during the remainder of DY1 and through DY2.

The execution of an MSA and completion of the CCB Participant survey are essential prerequisites to the development of project-specific schedules. If your organization has not yet executed the CCB
Master Services Agreement, please sign and return immediately to support@ccbrooklyn.org or fax to (718) 355-9735.

**Other Updates**

**Re-opening of PPS Networks**
NYSDOH has recently announced that the window to add providers to a PPS network will open at some point during the week of October 19th and remain open through the end of this month. Please contact us ASAP at support@ccbrooklyn.org with the names of any organizations or physicians that you would suggest be added to the CCB network.

**Webinar on DSRIP Mailing to Medicaid Recipients**
On Tuesday, October 6th from 10:00 - 11:30am, the NYS Department of Health will host a webinar to discuss the planned release of letters to Medicaid beneficiaries explaining the DSRIP program and the procedure that they would need to follow to opt out of related sharing of PHI.

**Capital Restructuring Financing Program (CRFP) Grants**
We have been advised that the NYSDOH will complete its review of CRFP grant applications this month, and that funding recommendations will be presented to the DSRIP Project Approval and Oversight Panel (PAOP) for consideration and approval at its meeting on November 9th and 10th. Please stay tuned for additional information.