



Dear Colleagues –

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CCB's Participant Survey - Better (and smaller) Than Ever

CCB maintains a comprehensive database that includes key facts with respect to our network of Participant organizations, including services, specialties, locations and technology, among other factors. CCB has revised the Participant Survey used to gather/update information to streamline and further improve the user interface. Our updated 2016 Survey will be available in the Resource Portal on **Tuesday, November 22nd**.

Important to know:

- All CCB Participants who signed a Master Services Agreement (MSA) are expected to complete the CCB Participant Survey –and a completed Participant Survey is a prerequisite to release DSRIP payments.
- For organizations who completed the Survey in 2015 (or whose data was imported from the 2015 OneCity Health PRAT survey), your 2015 responses are pre-populated in the 2016 Survey to make reviewing and updating faster and easier.
- For this update, all Participants must complete/update the Survey in CCB's Resource Portal.
- As with the 2015 Survey, CCB anticipates that Participants who respond before the deadline will be eligible for a bonus payment.
- CCB will be conducting webinars with Q&A in early December for organizations or designated respondents who are unfamiliar with the Participant Survey. Details, dates and times to be announced soon.
- Access to the Participant Survey through CCB's online Resource Portal is limited to those individuals designated to complete the survey for each organization. If you are unsure as to your designated recipient, please contact the CCB support team (see below).
- **The deadline for completing the 2016 Participant Survey is Tuesday, January 31, 2017.**

Please contact the CCB Support team at Support@CCBrooklyn.org or (718) 355-9693 with any questions related to the 2016 Participant Survey.

Measurement Matters: Child Access to Primary Care

CCB's focus has been on the development and implementation of DSRIP projects that will improve the health and utilization outcomes of Medicaid beneficiaries, which now number more than 600,000 patients attributed to our PPS. In year 2, achievement values and corresponding DSRIP payments shift from a focus on the organizational DSRIP requirements to more of a focus on quality measures and population health outcomes. In fact, for the current measurement period (which ends June 30, 2017), over \$46 million is at risk for payments to our PPS based on how we perform on these metrics.

To ensure that our network partners are kept informed of the metrics driving success going forward, CCB will be featuring a new segment in our newsletters titled *Measurement Matters*, shining the spotlight on one or more DSRIP quality measures. It is our hope and intention to work collaboratively as a PPS to achieve our targets on the quality measures that focus on such topics as access to care, patient experience of care, clinical outcomes and medication reconciliation. We are confident that working together we can achieve these population health changes.

The focus of this *Measurement Matters* segment is on child access to primary care. These measures monitor the percent of children who had a visit with a primary care provider in the last 12 months. The Statewide goal for the child access measures is quite aggressive—nearing 100%! While we soon will be working with pediatric practices in Brooklyn to address this metric, what are some things that your organization can do to help ensure that patients are receiving annual primary care visits? We see access to primary care as a priority opportunity for intervention with our PPS network and will need help from the entire community to achieve our ambitious goals.

DY2 Quarterly Reports Update

We are pleased to announce that CCB passed all milestones in our DSRIP Year (DY) 2 Quarter 1 Report! Payment for these milestones is expected in January 2017. As in all quarterly reports, CCB reported on progress towards achievement of our organizational and project milestones, and provided updates on those milestones that had been completed in previous quarters. CCB achieved several milestones during the first quarter of DY2, submitting such deliverables as the Community Engagement Plan and the Cultural Competency/Health Literacy Training Strategy. CCB also achieved several workforce milestones including the Target Workforce State and the Compensation and Benefit Analysis. CCB's final DY2, Q1 report has been posted to the NYSDOH's public website (available [here](#)). Additionally, at the end of October, our DY2 Q2 Report was submitted and we are currently awaiting feedback from the Independent Assessor.

Updates to Mid-Point Assessment Timeline

The New York State Department of Health has again adjusted the timeline for completion of the DSRIP Mid-Point Assessment. The primary changes pertain to the dates by which the initial Mid-Point Assessment recommendations will be released to the PPS and to the public for comment. The table below provides the original and new dates for key events of relevance to the Mid-Point Assessment.

Task	Original Schedule	Revised Schedule
IA Recommendations released for PPS review	11/10/2016	11/28/2016
IA Recommendations released for Public Comment	11/17/2016	11/29/2016
PPS response and public comment period ends	12/10/2016	12/21/2016
Mid-Point Assessment revised recommendations released for 2nd public comment period	12/23/2016	1/2/2017
Mid-Point Assessment 2nd public comment period ends	1/23/2017	1/23/2017
PAOP convenes to review Mid-Point Assessment recommendations (includes 1 day of public comment)	1/31/2017	1/31/2017

CCB Primary Care Plan

As part of its deliverables to the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH), Community Care of Brooklyn developed a primary care plan detailing strategies for six fundamentals, which included CCB's:

- Approach for expanding primary care capacity
- Support for primary care expansion and practice and workforce transformation through training and technical assistance
- Strategy for how primary care will play a central role in an integrated delivery system
- Plans for enabling primary care to participate effectively in value-based payments
- Funds flow to support CCB's primary care strategies
- Progress towards integrating behavioral and primary care

After an initial review, NYSDOH recognized CCB's primary care plan as a model and shared it with other PPS. To review CCB's Primary Care Plan, follow this link:

http://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/dsrp/pps_map/pc_plans/maimonides.pdf

Talent Needed – Join the Maimonides CSO Team!

We are looking to fill a number of positions in the Maimonides Central Services Organization. Open positions and requirements are listed on our website at: <https://www.ccbrooklyn.org/community-care-brooklyn/about-ccb/careers>. Qualified candidates should submit a cover letter along with their resume via email to CSOtalent@maimonidesmed.org.

Current opportunities include:

- Administrator, Participant Database (Salesforce)
- Manager, Network Support
- Senior Analyst, Population Health
- Director, CSO Project Management
- Associate, Network Support
- Director, Provider Engagement
- DSRIP Controller / Deputy Finance Officer
- Director, DSRIP Communications
- Director, Provider Engagement
- Community Engagement Specialist
- Coordinator, DSRIP Project Management
- IT Implementation Specialist



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