

NEWSLETTER

Dear Colleagues -

In this newsletter, you will find updates on the following:

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CCB's 2016 Participant Survey - Deadline for Bonus Eligibility January 31st

The CCB 2016 Participant Survey is available in CCB's online Resource Portal. Access to the Participant Survey is limited to those individuals designated to complete the survey for each organization. Authorized respondents have been notified by email. If you are unsure as to the individual designated to complete the Survey for your organization, please contact the CCB Support team (see below).

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 OneCityHealth PRAT survey), your 2015 responses are pre-populated in the 2016 Survey, to make reviewing and updating faster and easier.

The deadline for completion of the Survey is Tuesday, January 31, 2017. Participants who respond on or before the deadline will be eligible for a bonus payment.

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

New Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) Technical Assistance

CCB is excited to announce the availability of a brand-new resource for primary care practices not yet receiving technical assistance to implement the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) Patient-Centered Medical Home (PCMH) standards. The HealthTeamWorks PCMH platform is an online library of webinars, templates, gap analysis tools and guides. This resource will help practices prepare for NCQA PCMH recognition, advance team-based care, improve the patient and staff experience, streamline patient flow, and work on other areas of practice transformation.

Eligible practices received emails in late December and early this month with information about the new resource and instructions for signing up. Sign up today if you have not already! CCB will also host a webinar in the coming weeks to provide more information about the PCMH recognition process, the HealthTeamWorks platform, and instructions for signing up. Please be on the lookout for an email with the link to sign up for the webinar. Please contact the CCB Support team at Support@cCBrooklyn.org or (718) 355-9693 with any questions related to this new resource.

Mid-Point Assessment Final Reports & PAOP Meeting

The Independent Assessor (IA) has completed its review of the PPS response and public comments to the initial Mid-Point Assessment recommendations and has generated final reports for all 25 PPS. The final Mid-

Point Assessment reports and revised Companion Document are posted on the DSRIP website at https://www.health.ny.gov/health.care/medicaid/redesign/dsrip/pps_map/midpoint/index.htm.

Following the conclusion of a second public comment period on January 23, 2017, IA will prepare its final recommendations for review by the Project Approval and Oversight Panel (PAOP) at its upcoming meeting (from January 31 – February 3, 2017.) The Department of Health will hold a public comment day on the DSRIP Mid-Point Assessment process and findings on Tuesday, January 31, 2017. The public comment day will be held in Albany, New York in the Swyer Theater at The Egg from 10:30am – 5:00pm. No pre-registration is required. Please note that anyone wishing to speak must be signed up by 3pm at the onsite registration desk. Speakers will have up to 5 minutes for public comment. The remainder of the PAOP meeting days will be set aside for the IA to present its recommendations, for PPSs to provide updates and for Q & A.

IRS 1099-MISC Forms Coming Soon

At the end of this month, Maimonides Medical Center will be issuing Internal Revenue Service (IRS) 1099 forms to certain CCB Participants and vendors, as required, documenting payments made during calendar year 2016. Please note that not all CCB Participants who received payment during 2016 will receive 1099s. If you have any questions about this, please contact Support@CCBrooklyn.org.

Webinar Available: Using PSYCKES to Support DSRIP

The purpose of this webinar is to orient the provider/partner networks to the Psychiatric Services and Clinical Knowledge Enhancement System (PSYCKES) for Medicaid application. PSYCKES was developed by the New York State Office of Mental Health (OMH) as a database for providers to access Medicaid claims for patients whose medication regimens flag potential safety or quality concerns. Protected health information is available for those Medicaid members who have given consent, with the exception of certain categories of protected information, including substance abuse history. PSYCKES can be utilized by clinicians to both review clinical information on a patient level and to run quality indicator reports at the state, region, county, agency, site and program levels to review performance.

This webinar will provide an overview of the PSYCKES application, procedures for provider and partner access, review of quality improvement reports as well as using patient level data via the clinical summary to improve care and direct DSRIP project implementation at project sites. The webinar will demonstrate tools for identifying DSRIP patient populations and cohorts as well as individual patients for intervention. More information about PSYCKES can be found at https://www.omh.ny.gov/omhweb/psyckes_medicaid/.

This webinar will be offered live at two different times and will also be recorded and posted for future viewing.

Thursday February 9th, 10 am to 11 am Click here to register

Wednesday February 13th, 12 pm to 1 pm Click here to register

New DSRIP Whiteboard Videos

The New York State Department of Health announced two new installments in its NYS Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment (DSRIP) Program whiteboard video series. In the first video, titled, "DSRIP: Looking Ahead to 2017," NYS Medicaid Director, Jason Helgerson, talks about what is ahead for the Delivery System Reform Incentive Payment (DSRIP) Program in 2017, including the importance of the mid-point assessment. He also describes how Value Based Payment (VBP) will fit into and align with DSRIP and how it affects Medicaid in general in 2017. Click here to view.

In the second whiteboard video, titled, "Myths and Facts of Value Based Payment," Jason Helgerson also discusses common myths and facts about the Value Based Payment (VBP) initiative. He debunks common misunderstandings about the program and promotes the facts of what VBP actually means to those who are and will be participating in it. Click here to view.

Talent Needed - Join the Maimonides CSO Team

We are looking to fill a number of positions in the Maimonides Central Services Organization. Requirements may be found 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:

- Senior Analyst, Population Health
- Director, CSO Project Management
- Associate, Network Support
- Director, Provider Engagement
- Director, DSRIP Communications
- Coordinator, DSRIP Project Management
- IT Implementation Specialist



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