

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Department of Health Care Finance and Department of Behavioral Health



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Public Forum on Integrated Care

January 24, 2024

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

WebEx Meeting

Link: <https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/j.php?MTID=m528f4d66e0e8b170f78681f9c9271779>

AGENDA

- **Welcome & Opening Remarks**
Dr. Barbara J. Bazron, Director, Department of Behavioral Health (DBH)
- **Beneficiary Engagement & Communication Discussion**
Dr. Bazron, Director, Department of Behavioral Health (DBH)
Melisa Byrd, Medicaid Director, DHCF
- **Service Updates**
Ellyon Bell, Special Projects Officer, Office of Rates Reimbursement & Financial Analysis, DHCF
- **Managed Care Plan Readiness Reviews**
Jennifer Joyce, Behavioral Health Coordinator, Health Care Delivery Management Administration, DHCF
- **Other Public Comments**
- **Adjournment**

Behavioral Health Integration

Welcome & Opening Remarks



Dr. Barbara J. Bazron
Director
Department of Behavioral Health



Beneficiary Engagement & Communication

Discussion



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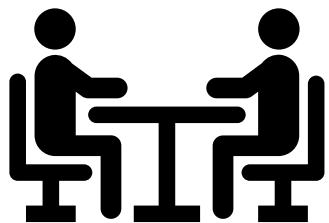


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Medicaid Director

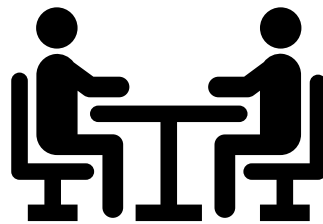
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Some questions to kick us off...

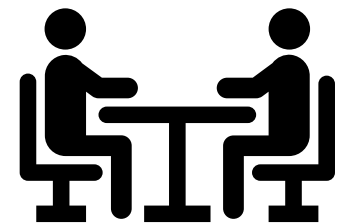
Where can and should Beneficiary **Outreach** happen?



What type of **materials or media** are most helpful?



What is the **need-to-know information** for Beneficiaries and Families?



Service Updates



Ellyon Bell
Special Projects Officer
Department of Health Care Finance



New Service, effective 2/1: Attachment & Biobehavioral Catch-up

- Ages 6 months to 2 years
- Disruptions in care givers and/or maltreatment
- (1) One-hour sessions, weekly, for (10) ten sessions

Service Description	Proc Code	Modifier	New Rate
Parenting classes, non-physician provider, per session	S9444	HS	\$ 108.76
Parenting classes, non-physician provider, per session	S9444	HA	\$ 108.76

New Payment Methodology, effective 2/1: Methadone

Current Structure

Service Type	Procedure Code	Modifier	Unit	Rate as of May 13, 2023
Medication Assisted Therapy, Clinic or Take Home	H0020		Dose	\$9.11
Medication Assisted Therapy, Administration	H0020	HF	Per Service	\$9.11

New Structure

Service Type	Procedure Code with Modifier	Modifier	Unit	Proposed Rate
Methadone: Daily Rate	H0020	HF	Per Service	\$18.57
Methadone: Weekly Rate (7 days)	H0020	TV	Per Service	\$129.99
Methadone: Two Weeks (14 days)	H0020	UB	Per Service	\$259.98
Methadone: Three Weeks (21 days)	H0020	TS	Per Service	\$389.97
Methadone: Four Weeks (28 days)	H0020	HG	Per Service	\$519.96

New Payment Methodology, effective 2/1: Clubhouse

Service Description	Proc Code	Modifier	New Rate
MH Clubhouse Services per 15 min (max 6 hours/day)	H2030		\$ 11.90

New Payment Methodology, effective 2/1: Day Rehabilitation

Service Description	Proc Code	Modifier	New Rate
BH prevention education service Per 1 (one) hour (max 6 hours/day)	H0025		\$ 54.82

Updated Rates, effective 2/1

Service	Procedure Code	Modifier	Proposed Rate
Transition Planning	G9012		\$ 1,435.37
Multisystemic therapy for juveniles, per 15 minutes (MST or CBI Level I)	H2033		\$ 62.28
Community-based wrap-around services, per diem (CBI levels II and III)	H2022		\$ 59.95
Multisystemic therapy for juveniles, per 15 minutes (FFT or CBI Level IV)	H2033	HU	\$ 52.77

Transition from HCPCS to CPT Codes, effective 2/1

Service	Provider Types	New Procedure Code/Rate	
Brief Screening Assessment	MHRS	96127 (15 mins or less)	\$11.96
	ASURS	99408 (15 – 30 mins)	\$55.01
	FSMHC	99409 (30 mins or more)	\$95.67
Counseling/Therapy (previously H0004, H0005, and H2027 for MHRS and ASURS providers)	MHRS	90846	\$121.11
	ASURS	90847	\$121.11
	FSMHC	90845	\$145.34
		99401	\$36.33
		99402	\$72.67
		99403	\$109.01
		99404	\$145.34
		90832	\$72.67
		90833	\$58.13
		90834	\$109.01
		90836	\$87.20
		90837	\$145.34
		90838	\$96.89
		90839	\$145.34
		90840	\$72.67
	90849	\$36.33	
	90853	\$36.33	

Managed Care Plan Formal Readiness Review



Jennifer Joyce
Behavioral Health Coordinator
Department of Health Care Finance



Phase 1 (January 2024)

Desktop Review:

- Request for Information (RFI) to each MCP
- Seeks to collect information about general compliance with operations, staffing, and governance necessary to perform the contracted requirements
- Will also include priorities for behavioral health integration into the MCPs' scope of coverage and responsibility
- The RFI and the review of documents is performed by designated DHCF staff who will provide final determinations regarding Readiness Certification to the Contract Administrators (CAs) of the managed care contracts.

Phase 2 (February 2024)

On-Site Review:

- Opportunity for DHCF to visit the offices of the MCPs, meet and interview points of contact (POCs) in-person, and participate in presentations and discussions with their designated staff.
- MCPs are expected to provide an overview and key highlights, as applicable, of each respective area of oversight and monitoring, and to address or resolve any last-minute questions or concerns for a determination of Readiness by DHCF.

Phase 3 (March 2024)

CMS Readiness Review Report:

- The Contract Administrator's opportunity to summarize and report our final determinations to CMS for each MCP.

Reminder- Bridge Policies

- MCPs shall enroll all DBH-certified providers who wish to participate in the network, as of April 1, 2024, for a minimum period of eighteen (18) months.
- For the first eighteen (18) months, the MCP shall pay, at minimum, the rates for behavioral health services established via regulation and published on the DHCF Medicaid Fee Schedule and supplemental Fee Schedules as identified by DHCF.
- MCPs shall reimburse MHRS and ASURS services reflected in all enrollees' active and current prior authorizations and/or treatment plans spanning April 1st, as well as one additional episode of care at the same level of care.



Reminder – Policies on Standardized Tools

- DLA-20
- ASAM
- GAIN-I
- CAFAS/PECFAS

Other Public Comments



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INTEGRATED CARE DC

A learning community for District of Columbia Medicaid providers

New Learning Opportunity!

Supporting Practice Leaders Navigating Unfamiliar Waters – Leadership Through Change Learning Collaborative

Who: Leaders in DC Medicaid's Provider Organizations

Why: To provide technical assistance and support to help your practice manage change toward an integrated and financially sustainable model for improved performance.

What: Small groups led by subject matter experts to achieve agreed-upon goals.
Individual practice coaching also available to participants.

When: February–May 2024; combination of 6–8 virtual and in-person sessions

Save the Date! There will be an in-person session planned for February 21st.

[Application Form - Due February 2, 2024](#)

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Next Public Forum



February 28, 2024
4:00 – 5:00pm



Act Now. Stay Covered!

Don't miss out on important information. If you haven't already, take time today to update your address, phone number, and/or email address at **districtdirect.dc.gov**, so that DHCF knows where to send your Medicaid renewal letter.

If you need help, please call us at **202-727-5355**.

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Adjourn



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