

Washington State Health Care Authority

HCA Tribal Affairs Monthly Meeting



Karol Dixon, HCA Tribal Affairs Office

October 7, 2013

Agenda



- **HCA Tribal Affairs Update**
 - *Staffing Update*
 - *Tribal Affairs Committee: Introduction*
 - *Billing Workgroup*
 - *Chemical Dependency Billing – Update*
- **Uncompensated Care Payment (UCP) Waiver**
- **Electronic Health Records**
- **State Health Care Innovation Planning (SHCIP)**
Proposed Meeting Schedule: 10/23 and 10/28
- **MAGI Income Exclusions: WAC 182-509-0340**
- **Alternative Benefit Plan (ABP) for 2014**
- **Experience with Washington's new Healthplanfinder** *Open Forum*
- **Tribal Centric Behavioral Health (TCBH) Update**

HCA Tribal Affairs Update: Staffing

Karol Dixon & Mike Longnecker

WELCOME:

Mike Longnecker, Tribal Affairs Medicaid Claims Analyst

- *10 years of experience with Medicaid working with Tribal billing, along with other duties*
- *Helped to adapt the ProviderOne system to pay Washington Medicaid claims*
- *Expertise in the areas of professional/HCFRA and dental/ADA claims billing*

HCA Tribal Affairs Update: TAC

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HCA'S NEW TRIBAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE:

- Comprised of subject-matter experts from each division within HCA
- TAC will meet regularly to discuss and resolve Tribal concerns and needs
- TAC will be an integral part of the Tribal Affairs Billing Workgroup

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COMPOSITION:

HCA Tribal Affairs Committee

- *15 members representing these HCA Teams:*
 - *Communications*
 - *Eligibility Policy & Service Delivery (EPSD)*
 - *Enterprise Technology Services (ETS)*
 - *Financial Services (FS)*
 - *Health Care Policy (HCP)*
 - *Health Care Services (HCS)*
 - *Legal and Administrative Services (LAS)*
 - *Program and Payment Integrity (PPI)*
 - *Public Employee Benefits (PEB)*

HCA Tribal Affairs Update

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- Billing Workgroup
- Chemical Dependency Billing – Update

Uncompensated Care Payment

Karol Dixon & Nathan Johnson

- Waiver submitted July 31, 2013
- Waiver sought payment to Indian health programs for uncompensated services
 - *Similar to requests from Oregon, California, and Arizona*
 - *Of greatest significance: Optional Medicaid services for non-emergent dental, chiropractic, and optometry care*
- Washington's waiver denied on October 4, 2013, because there are no "savings" to support budget neutrality

Questions?



ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS AND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE

- **Ginnie Odell-Eliason**, HCA Stakeholder Engagement Manager
- **Christine Chumley**, HCA Health IT Program Manager
- **Kelly McPherson**, HCA EHR MU Business Manager



HOSPITALS:

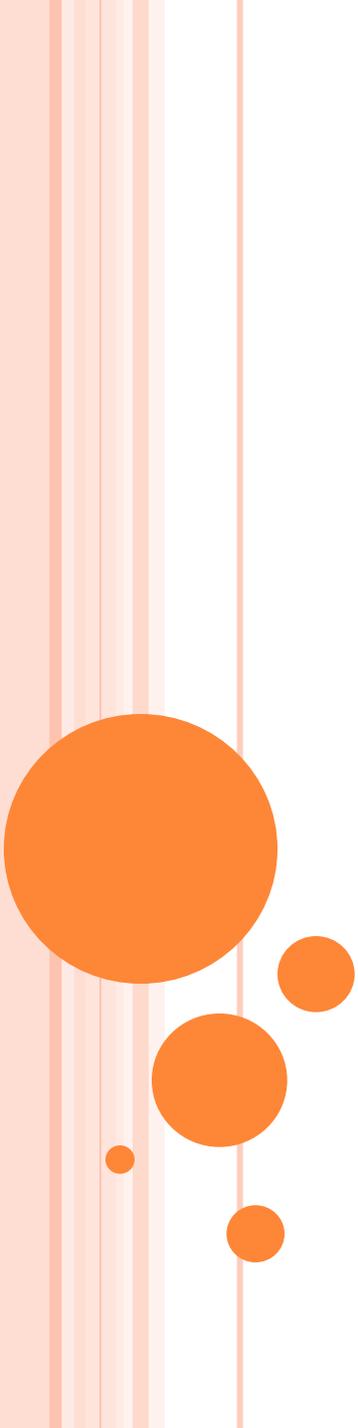
TOTAL PAID:	118	\$ 79,405,275.00
PAID FOR YEAR 1	82	\$
61,555,436.00		
PAID FOR YEAR 2	36	\$
17,849,839.00		

EPS:

TOTAL PAID	4,984	
\$93,069,361.00		
PAID FOR YEAR 1	4,017	
\$84,900,855.00		
PAID FOR YEAR 2	967	\$
8,168,506.00		

GRAND TOTAL PAID: \$172,474,636.00

**WA State's EHR Incentive Payments Through
9/30/13**



HELPFUL RESOURCES:

WEBSITE: HEALTHIT.WA.GOV

EHR HELP TICKETS:

HEALTHIT@HCA.WA.GOV

P1 PASSWORD HELP:

PROVIDERONESECURITY@HCA.WA.GOV

NATIONAL INDIAN HEALTH

BOARD WEBSITE:

[HTTP://WWW.NIHB.ORG/REC.PHP](http://www.nihb.org/rec.php)

State Health Care Innovation Planning

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Meetings planned for Western & Eastern Washington

- October 15, 11 am-12:30 pm: Webinar for the general public
Register at: <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/444595962>
 - *October 23, 1 hour at QBM in Lummi (*all Tribes*)
 - *October 28, 2 hours in Spokane (*all Tribes*)
- * Exact time and location to be announced*

Your Thoughts



MAGI Income Exclusions: WAC 182-509-0340

Jessie Minier

Emergency Exclusion, Effective October 1:

- Includes seven categories of income
- Will be filed under CR-102 to become a permanent rule
- Subject to public hearing

Questions?



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Medicaid Benefit Changes for 2014

Gail Kreiger, BSN
Manager, Healthcare Benefits and Utilization Management
Health Care Services
October 2013

Medicaid Benefit Package for Adults:

- 10 Essential Health Benefits *plus* benefits authorized by Washington's Legislature:
 - *Dental*
 - *Naturopathic Services*
- CMS providing guidance to states for completing 11 ABP Templates
- More information coming from HCA
 - *General webinar on Oct. 14, 1:30-3 pm*
 - *October 28 Tribal Affairs Monthly Meeting will focus on ABP*

The ACA's 10 Essential Health Benefits

1. Ambulatory services
2. Emergency services
3. Hospitalization
4. Maternity and newborn care
5. Mental health and substance abuse disorder services
6. Prescription drugs
7. Rehabilitative and habilitative services and devices
8. Laboratory services
9. Preventive and wellness services and chronic disease management
10. Pediatric services, including oral and vision care

Questions?



Open Forum

Experience with Washington's new Healthplanfinder



OPEN ENROLLMENT: OCTOBER 1, 2013 TO MARCH 31, 2014



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Tribal Centric Behavioral Health (TCBH) Update

- The most recent version of the TCBH report is available on the DSHS OIP website
- To locate the current report, go to <http://www.dshs.wa.gov/oip/index.shtml>. In the far right column, scroll down to “October 2013 Consultation handouts” and click on the 2nd item
- Tribal Consultation on TCBH scheduled for October 11, 9 am to 3 pm, OB-2 Lookout Room

Comments & Closing



For written comments, submit to:

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