OHP Contractors Meeting

Purpose: The OHP Contractors serve as an overarching policy group

including Fully Capitated Health Plans (FCHPs), Dental Care Organizations (DCOs), Mental Health Organizations (MHOs) and a Chemical Dependency Organization (CDO) providing

service for Oregon Health Plan Clients.

Chair: Rhonda Busek, LIPA

Co-Chair: Dayna Steringer, Providence

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: Third Thursday of each month / DHS DHS Contact: Michelle Helmer, DMAP, 503-945-6525

Scribe: Michelle Helmer, DMAP – meeting tape recorded

OHP Contractors Steering Committee

Purpose: In February 1997, the OHP Contractors Steering Committee was

formed to provide a formalized process of establishing the agendas for the OHP Contractor meetings; facilitated a uniform manner in which proposed agenda items were received and approved; served as a clearing house for items to be submitted to

various workgroups to assure the item was assigned to the appropriate workgroup and to eliminate duplication of efforts

Chair: Rhonda Busek, LIPA

Co-Chair: Dayna Steringer, Providence

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: First Monday of each month / DHS

DHS Contact: Michelle Helmer, DMAP, 503-945-6525

Scribe: Michelle Helmer, DMAP – meeting not tape recorded

Dental Contractor Organization (DCO) Meeting

Purpose: This is a stand-alone advisory group. Any decisions

affecting Prepaid Health Plans will be taken back to the OHP Contractors group. In October 1996, the Dental Care Organization formed this group to collaborate with DMAP on issues relating to the OHP, primarily dental benefit packages. They provide valuable insight as to what is clinically and

fiscally possible in a dental delivery system. They often discuss

issues or items of interest, i.e., contract issues, quality

improvement, and coordination with the FCHPs. They provide recommendations as they relate to the OHP Dental Program. This meeting offers the Dental Contractors the opportunity to

discuss and make recommendations about policy and billing issues, rates and quality assurance modification prior to implementation. For informational purposes only, this group

reports back to the OHP Contractor's meeting.

Chair: Charleen Yoder, ODS

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Thursday of the OHP Contractors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Dana Hill, DMAP, 503-945-6917 Scribe: Rotating – meeting not tape recorded

Encounter Data Workgroup (EDWG)

Purpose: This is a subgroup of the OHP Contractor's meeting. As

part of the OHP, the Managed Care Plans must submit data that

documents each medical/dental/pharmacy/mental

health/chemical dependency service provided to OHP clients. This data is also used to set the capitation rates that each plan receives. The mission of the Encounter Data workgroup is to instruct and facilitate the plans in the submission of accurate, usable data. DMAP informs the plans of current issues that may affect the accuracy of the data, validating the receipt of the data and the process for submitting the needed data. The plans often bring issues or items of interest to the other groups as well. This

group reports back to the OHP Contractors.

Chair: Rachel Ganzon, Clackamas Co. Mental Health

Co-Chair: Carolyn Anderson, Tuality Health

Audience: Prepaid Health Plan / ABCT / Oregon Community Health

Information Network / PH TECH / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Wednesday before the OHP Contractors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Mary Durrant, DMAP, 503-945-5164

Scribe: Mary Durrant, DMAP – meeting tape recorded

Enrollment/Disenrollment/Education/Marketing Workgroup

Purpose: This is a subgroup of the OHP Contractors meeting. In May

1997, the Enrollment / Disenrollment / Education / Marketing Workgroup was formed to work in conjunction with DMAP to

provide and enhance communication with DHS workers

concerning enrollment and disenrollment of members, market strategies and member education issues to optimize customer service while keeping costs in prospective. This group monitors client education relative to enrollment and disenrollment. This

group reports back to the OHP Contractors.

Chair: Chris Norman, Intercommunity Health

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Wednesday before the OHP Contractors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Manuel Rivera, DMAP, 503-947-5239

Scribe: Rotating – meeting is recorded

Financial Solvency Workgroup

Purpose: This is a subgroup of the OHP Contractors meeting. The

Financial Solvency Workgroup serves as a forum for information sharing and general discussion of financial solvency issues, financial operations and reporting requirements relating to the OHP program. Identifies issues, researches, reviews and makes recommendations on matters relating to the reporting requirements for the Oregon Health Plan (OHP), financial solvency requirements and associated monitoring, financial solvency requirements proposed by DMAP, on financially

related data and files provided to plans from DMAP. Reviews

and recommends changes where necessary. Reviews OHP reporting requirements and makes recommendations in light of concurrent requirements of the Oregon Division of Consumer and Business Services, the federal government, and the NAIC when applicable. Collaboratively with DMAP, identifies needed clarification, performs, reviews and develops recommendations on the requirements included in the annual contract and all amendments relating to financial solvency issues and reporting.

Prepares research and input on issues identified and directed by the OHP Contractors. This group reports to the OHP

Contractors.

Chair: David Cole, LIPA

Audience: Prepaid Health Plan / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Wednesday before the OHP Contractors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Ted W. Johnson, DMAP, 503-945-6959

Scribe: David Cole, LIPA – meeting is tape recorded

Medical Director's Meeting

Purpose: This is a stand-alone advisory group. Any decisions

affecting Prepaid Health Plans will be taken back to the OHP Contractors group. The Medical Directors group meets to develop practice guidelines for evaluation and continuous

quality improvement of the health plan. This group provides guidance on program and policy changes and reports back to the

OHP Contractors.

Chair: Rob Richardson, DO, FamilyCare

Audience: Prepaid Health Plan Medical and Dental Directors / OMPRO /

Health Services Commission / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: Second Monday of each month / DHS DHS Contact: Dr. Walter Shaffer, DMAP, 503-945-5770

Scribe: Carol Camfield, DMAP – meeting is tape recorded

Quality and Performance Improvement Workgroup (QPIWG)

Purpose: The Quality and Performance Improvement Workgroup is

an advisory body for quality and performance improvement

activities under the directive authority of DMAP.

DMAP/The State is directed by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to have a QI strategic plan.

This meeting is a forum for quality and performance

improvement activities undertaken on behalf of OHP members to facilitate ongoing and timely quality improvement programs

among OHP Prepaid Health Plans. The purpose of the

workgroup is to improve access and quality of health and dental care services for OHP clients, and to improve the health of OHP members. They identify topics for OHP statewide quality and performance improvements efforts, quality and performance improvement, plan development and evaluation, sharing "Successful Practices", problem solving, technical assistance

and coordination among plans, quality and performance improvement partners, and DHS staff. This group provides informational updates to the OHP Contractors, Medical and

Dental Directors and Rules and Contracts Workgroup.

Co-chairs rotating: Walter Shaffer, DMAP, Lyle Jackson,

MRIPA, L. Kay McDonald, Hayden, Ann Blume, Care

Oregon, Tom Morris, OHMS

Audience: Prepaid Heath Plan Medical and Dental Directors / QI

Coordinators / OMPRO / State of Oregon / DHS / Prevention

partners.

Chair:

Meeting: The Monday of the Medical Directors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Leona Schelb 503-945-6964

Scribe: Leona Schelb, DMAP – meeting is tape recorded

Rules and Contracts Workgroup

Purpose: This is a subgroup of the OHP Contractors meeting. The

Rules and Contracts Workgroup meets to review and discuss

interpretation of federal and state regulations to develop

language for Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) and prepaid health plan contracts. The group reports back to the OHP

Contractors

Chair: Sue Fillmore, FamilyCare

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Thursday of the OHP Contractors meeting / DHS

DHS Contact: Manuel Rivera, DMAP, 503-947-5239

Scribe: Manuel Rivera, DMAP – meetings are tape recorded

Rules & Contracts Workgroup Steering Committee

Purpose: The Rules and Contracts Steering committee is an agenda

setting committee for the Rules and Contracts workgroup including Fully Capitated Health Plans (FCHPs), Dental Care Organizations (DCOs), Mental Health Organizations (MHOs) and a Chemical Dependency Organization (CDO) providing

service for Oregon Health Plan Clients.

Chair: Manuel Rivera (Contracts), DMAP

Audience: Prepaid Health Plans / State of Oregon / DHS

Meeting: The Monday of the OHP Contactors Steering / DHS DHS Contact: Manuel Rivera (Contracts), DMAP,503-947-5239

Scribe: Manuel Rivera (Contracts), DMAP – meetings are not tape

recorded