

Department of Human Services
Addictions and Mental Health Division
MHO Contractors Meeting
February 15, 2007

In Attendance: Kevin Campbell, GOBHI; Kathy Ottele, PhTech; Kim Burgess, Washington; Deborah Friedman, Clackamas; Barbara Trione, JBH; Jim Russell, MVBCN; Susan Montgomery, GOBHI; Seth Bernstein, ABHA; Bruce Able, LaneCare

AMH: Ralph Summers, Jay Yedziniak, Kellie Skenandore, Alondra Rogers, Tracey Robichaud, Terry Mastin, Janet Zeyen-Hall (Note taker)

DMAP: Chris Barber, Eileen Riley

Accumentra: Bret Asmann

TOPIC	KEY DISCUSSION POINTS	ACTION/TASK DECISION	RESPONSIBLE PARTY	Due Date
Introductions				
Announcements / Agenda Revisions / Minutes Approval	No Announcements. January Minutes Approved	Motion to approve minutes by Kim, seconded by Barbara, Passed		
Mental Health Organization Issues	National Provider Identification (NPI) – Clinic vs. Individual Provider Numbers – Kathy Otelle (handout provided) Nothing changed in the accounting procedures. If you are not assigned an individual NPI number, must use the Provider Level identification. MHOs are			

	<p>not required to use practitioner specific NPI number. Verify provider is Medicaid certified.</p> <p>AMH Agreement does not allow for the use of default numbers (ie. 9's, 2's, or 1's) in the performing provider field when submitting MHO encounter data.</p>			
	<p>CMS Site Visit – general information</p> <p>The visit will occur primarily at AMH. CMS will also want to visit a few MHOs. The primary focus will be related to state agency responsibilities for oversight, EQRO and QIP. As soon as planning call occurs, MHOs be given the details of the summer visit.</p>			
	<p>AMH Meeting Structure – multiple meetings held other than the Wednesday and Thursday set aside for each month (ie. QDIG, QI Coordinators) – Barbara Trione</p> <p>Due to the location of many of the MHOs, personnel is spending a lot of time in travel status in order to attend these meetings. Different personnel attend different meetings, is it possible consolidate meetings on same days to cut down on travel time, and personnel out of the office?</p>	<p>AMH will check with program staff to see if is feasible.</p>		
	<p>Distribution of Public Documents (ie. CSCI, Rate Setting documents)</p> <p>Documents were handed out at the CSAC meeting that the MHO Directors had not</p>			

	<p>seen previously. The data used in the document was old data, which caused a lot of confusion. The data was not presented by anyone from the Medicaid Policy Unit. Directors request that any information being distributed at any public meeting on MHO performance be seen by the MHO Directors first. They will review the data to insure it is correct. AMH assured that if there was lead time that they would see the data first. In some instances there may not be sufficient lead time to provide MHOs with copies of materials in advance. In those cases AMH will send courtesy copies to Mhos with information about when the documents were shared. In all cases AMH will attach a cover memo that provides a brief description of the data.</p>			
	<p>Supporting Housing Grant – Terry Mastin Terry gave a PowerPoint presentation, provided handouts and answered questions about the CMS Real Choices Grant AMH is using to increase the availability of treatment and supports for people in supported or supportive housing settings. An RFP is being planned to select pilot sites. MHOs would like to see AMH require a letter of support from the area MHO as well as the CMHP. Those participating in</p>			

	<p>this grant will need to work closely with MHO and CMHP. MHOs would also like to see a resource manual consistent with the direction from MHOs on encounter data and other resources in the community.</p> <p>NOTE: Terry Mastin has responded to the mhos in letterform. It will be provided as a handout at the March MHO meeting</p>			
	<p>MHO Performance Measures – Ralph Summers AMH and DMAP use two different ways to measure. Consider where the system needs to be in 5 years as the measures are set. Move this forward to the next months meeting and to the lunch meeting next month.</p>	<p>Place on agenda for March 2007 meeting</p> <p>Put on agenda for Lunch Meeting</p>	<p>Kellie Skenandore</p>	
	<p>Jay’s Data Validation Reports When reports are produced that are plan specific, plans wish to see all the data across all the plans, not just their own data. Kim Burgess spoke for all the plans and waved their right to privacy requesting all data be presented.</p>			
<p>CSCI Implementation Update</p>	<p>No Updates</p>			
<p>DMAP Updates</p>	<p>NPI update – 41% of all provider types have NPI’s. Still have over 19,000 providers needing NPIs. NPI progress report is available on the web page.</p>			

<p>AMH Update</p>	<p>DHS Caseload Forecasting staff will be at the meeting next month.</p> <p>Auto-Enrollment placing kids in wrong plans when an Exemption has been placed. Contact AMH when this occurs.</p> <p>FCHPs noticing a decline in TANF cases. The TANF case loads are going down.</p> <p>AMH Enrollment Update – Jay Yedziniak Looking back on January approximately 11 thousand clients had enrollment problems. Joe Henry is working at putting in a fix. Will be looking at client status at this moment and then at the end of the month. The Auto-Enrollment process will no longer be looking ahead. MHOs are asked to provide Jay with feedback.</p> <p>Contract Revisions - Kellie Skenandore (handouts). Exhibit D one change made from yesterday.</p> <p>BRS/Child Welfare language – This is not clear. Plans state they need to know the operational details before MHOs sign off.</p>	<p>Put Forecasting Staff on Agenda March.</p> <p>Update in March.</p> <p>Update in March.</p> <p>Update in March.</p> <p>Revised language to be sent out by email.</p> <p>Follow up discussion on operation details at the March MHO Meeting.</p>	<p>Kellie Skenandore</p> <p>AMH</p> <p>AMH</p>	
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