



All Kids Covered Initiative Meeting Notes June 6, 2014

Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing (HCPF) Update

Colleen Daywalt provided the following updates by phone:

- Medicaid is now covering over 1 million Coloradans, and 61,000 children and pregnant women are covered with CHP+
- The Accountable Care Collaborative (ACC) has enrolled 554,000 as of mid-May, 2014
- New Medicaid clients, or clients enrolled in the ACC and who need to choose their Primary Care Medical Provider (PCMP), can now select a health plan and provider online.
 - Use the link, “Click Here to use the online form to choose your health plan” on the [HealthColorado website](#). Any request made by the 28th will take effect the first of the following month. More info in the May [At a Glance](#)
 - *Q/A: An AKC member asked if HCPF is tracking how many Medicaid enrollees are using these new technologies. Colleen responded that it is not yet being tracked, but she will follow-up with the contract manager to learn what is possible.*
- Northeast Colorado will be transitioning to a new Behavioral Health Organization (BHO): Colorado Access. All other BHO regions will remain the same. Colorado Access will be contracting with all previous providers. Benefits are not changing. For more information, reference the [FAQ](#) and the May [At a Glance](#).
 - *Q/A: An AKC member asked if having Colorado Access as the BHO and the Regional Care Collaborative Organization (RCCO) in the northeast region might help with care coordination in that area. Colleen answered that HCPF hopes so.*
- HCPF website redesign will go live sometime in July. The new website is being tested by clients, and is planned to be more client focused. FAQs are available [here](#). Only 20 of the current URLs will be redirected to the associated new pages, all other links will redirect to the HCPF website homepage. Stakeholders are advised to update links to HCPF pages on their websites.

Colorado Health Institute MAGI Primer Draft Workshop

Natalie Triedman of the Colorado Health Institute shared a draft of a short MAGI primer and asked for feedback from the group. The hope is that All Kids Covered members will be able to provide feedback and help vet the document for usability and content. Natalie is requesting feedback on the document until **June 20th** (please send feedback to TriedmanN@coloradohealthinstitute.org).

Natalie posed some main questions: Who are your audiences? Who will this best serve? Do we need to develop something simpler for clients?

- AKC members commented that potential audience members include Health Coverage Guides, Brokers, Connect for Health Colorado call center staff, community based organizations, safety net clinics, and membership organizations, etc.
- Comments included adding Presumptive Eligibility income levels, Marketplace income levels, information about household composition, and background on the number Coloradans who live within those income brackets.

Presentation: Experience of Children in the Marketplace

Jessica Dunbar, Eligibility Director for Connect for Health Colorado provided information about children's enrollment in Connect for Health Colorado individual plans.

Children's Enrollment

Jessica provided background on the difference between "enrollments" and "effectuated enrollments." Enrollment means the number of people who filled out an application, selected a plan, said how they would pay, and submitted the application. Effectuated enrollments means the person has paid their premium.

- Total number of children (0-17) with effectuated coverage: 10,719
- Number of children receiving subsidies is 4,332.
- It is not possible at the moment to identify the number of children whose parents have coverage through Connect for Health Colorado, and who have coverage via Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+). However, we can make some generalizations – there are 52,000 adults with incomes under 250% Federal Poverty Level (FPL) with Marketplace coverage. The average family size is 3, but only 3,700 children under 250% FPL are enrolled in a Qualified Health Plan through Connect for Health Colorado so it is assumed that the majority of kids in the same income bracket as the adults have coverage through CHP+ or Medicaid.

Qualifying Events:

Jessica provided additional information about qualifying events and shared a [new rack card](#) for clients that explain what counts as a qualifying event. As a reminder, open enrollment ended March 31, 2014, and clients without a qualifying event will need to wait until mid-November to shop.

People who have had a change in circumstances can use the "report my change" option under children and families on the Connect for Health Colorado website to shop for health insurance.

Q/A: Jessica was asked if she knows the number of plans that have pediatric dental included, or how many stand-alone pediatric plans were purchased. She will follow-up with the answer.

Partner Updates:

Kaiser Permanente's previous charitable health coverage program, KP Step, will be discontinued at the end of June. Those people will qualify for a Special Enrollment Period. As a reminder, Kaiser Permanente did launch a new program, the Colorado Bridge program. KP Step enrollees will not be automatically enrolled in Colorado Bridge program.

Denver Health School and Community Programs is adding its 16th School Based Health Center at Thomas Jefferson High School. Also, as a pilot, the Place Bridge Academy will be open all summer to any Denver Public Schools student, and their siblings. A dental program is also being added to the Place Bridge location and will offer cleanings, x-rays, and sealants. The Denver Health Enrollment Van is looking for new opportunities and partners with a focus on Southeast and Northwest Denver. Contact Audrey Hoener to learn more.