

Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics (CCBHC)
Stakeholder Engagement Committee
Meeting Notes
June 22nd, 2023
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Iowa Utilities Board Building
1375 E Court Ave. Des Moines, IA 50319

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

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| Leslie Carpenter | Jen Pearson |
| Chad Jensen | Cynthia Steidl-Bishop |
| Kathy Johnson | Rich Whitaker |

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT VIA ZOOM:

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| Andrew Allen | Devon McClurken |
| Emily Blomme | Sarah Nelson |
| Samantha Cannon | Rebecca Peterson |
| Leslie Carpenter | Laura Semprini |
| Tracy Gryp | Lauren Vorwald |
| Peggy Huppert | |

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

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| Rod Courtney | Rudy Papakee |
| Mae Hingtgen | Rebecca Peterson |
| Todd Jacobus | Mak Suceska |
| Mary O'Neill | |

OTHER ATTENDEES:

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| Rachel Adams | Paula Connolly | Kevin Gabbert |
| Darci Alt | Jacque Coulson | Danielle Gates |
| Jacob Appel | Rebecca Curtiss | Sue Gehling |
| Annalisa Baker | Penny Cutler Bermudez | Julie Gibbons |
| Kelly Bakewell | Elizabeth Dahl | Kelly Grunhovd |
| Falicia Beck | Michelle De La Riva | Jason Haglund |
| Dave Becker | DeAnn Decker | Sheila Hansen |
| Tasha Beghtol | Bre Degelau | Cara Henley |
| Laura Bell | Karen Dowell | Vienna Hoang |
| Katie Boatman | Tom Eachus | Chris Hoffman |
| Stephanie Boesenberg | Lori Elam | Jim Irwin |
| Teresa Bomhoff | Malaak Elhage | Theresa Jochum |
| Lynn Bopes | Jenny Erdman | Bonnie Johnson |
| Maranda Buckley | Mark Feilmeier | Grace Jones |
| Amy Campbell | Maggie Ferguson | Julie Kalambokidis |
| Kevin Carroll | Mike Fidgeon | Kim Keleher |
| Rachel Cecil | Alyssa Fruchtenicht | Clare Kelly |
| Amber Champine | Patty Funaro | Jess Kelly |

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| Nicole Kilburg | Dawn Mentzer | Renee Schulte |
| Brenna Koedam | Brenda Miller | Lindsay Stack |
| Breanna Kramer | Marcia Oltrogge | Anne Starr |
| Robert Kruse | Mona Onken | Megan Taets |
| Todd Lange | Jerilyn Oshel | Michele Tilotta |
| Audrey Larson | Cindy Palmer | Tina Tran |
| Adrienne LaToure | Tracy Peden | Annie Uetz |
| Bob Lincoln | Mary A Petersen | Suzanne Watson |
| Julie Maas | Paul Phares | Tammy Wetjen-Kesterson |
| Stacie Maass | Elizabeth Puls | Kerry Wiles |
| Shannon Mahnke | Eric Richardson | Jack Willey |
| Carrie Malone | Dan Ries | Russell Wood |
| Patti Manna | Jennifer Robbins | Ryanne Wood |
| Missy Martini | Jennifer Robertson-hill | Charlie Woodcock |
| Leisa Mayer | Joshua Rubin | Bobbie Wulf |
| Pat McGovern | Wendy Saathoff | Chaney Yeast |
| Aaron McHone | Christina Schark | Lorrie Young |
| Crystal McHugh | Stephanie Schmidt | |
| Mary McKinnell | Flora Schmidt | |

Materials Referenced

CCBHC Stakeholder Committee Meeting 2 Presentation June 2023

Welcome and Introductions

Theresa Armstrong, Bureau Chief, welcomed the Stakeholder Engagement Committee and thanked them for their participation. Laura Larkin, CCBHC Project Director, and Health Management Associates consultants, Josh Rubin, and Cara Henley, were introduced and reviewed the presentation materials.

Presentations

There was discussion on the Prospective Payer System (PPS). PPS is a Medicaid per-encounter rate set based on a cost report that documents a CCBHC's allowable costs and qualifying patient encounters.

CCBHCs complete a cost report including both current costs and anticipated future costs associated with becoming a CCBHC. The costs are divided by the number of qualifying encounters to arrive at a clinic-specific rate, which is paid to the CCBHC each time a monthly or daily encounter occurs, regardless of the number or intensity of services provided. There are two different options available with daily threshold encounter rates or monthly rates paid in any month with an encounter. Proposed changes to the payment rule at the federal level creates two new PPS options for states and adds at least one special crisis services rate. Considerations of each rate were discussed.

There was discussion on CCBHC scope of services and partnerships. SAMHSA establishes minimum standards for all CCBHC services, and states are permitted to add more stringent or additional service requirements. Iowa HHS has proposed a preliminary, general approach to establishing service requirements for CCBHCs which was reviewed, including partnerships allowed.

The allotted time did not allow for a discussion on proposed Iowa specific services and Evidence Based Practices, which will be moved to a future agenda.

Committee Discussion

Committee members were given the opportunity to discuss and ask questions. Questions that arose were captured in the following document: [CCBHC Frequently Asked Questions July 2023.pdf \(iowa.gov\)](#)

Public Comment

Members of the public were given the opportunity to discuss and ask questions. Questions that arose were captured in the following document: [CCBHC Frequently Asked Questions July 2023.pdf \(iowa.gov\)](#)

Adjourn

Meeting notes respectfully submitted by Patti Manna.