

Secretary's Call October 2019



Outline

- 1) New team members
- (2) Gateway to Work/HIP update
- 3 Big Project Updates



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Gateway to Work

- Federal litigation 9.23.19
- Multiple elements of HIP
- Ongoing program, continuing services



- 1) DDRS HCBS Waiver Redesign
- 2 IEDSS completion
- (3) LTSS planning
- 4) NEMT stabilization and growth
- (5)SMI waiver
- 6 HIP Bridge
- 7 Preschool Development Grant



DDRS HCBS Waiver Redesign

Increase Person-Centered Planning

Improve Coordination of Care

Increase Community Engagement

Enhance Member Experience

Maintain Qualified Providers

Comply with HCBS Rule

Promote Efficiency

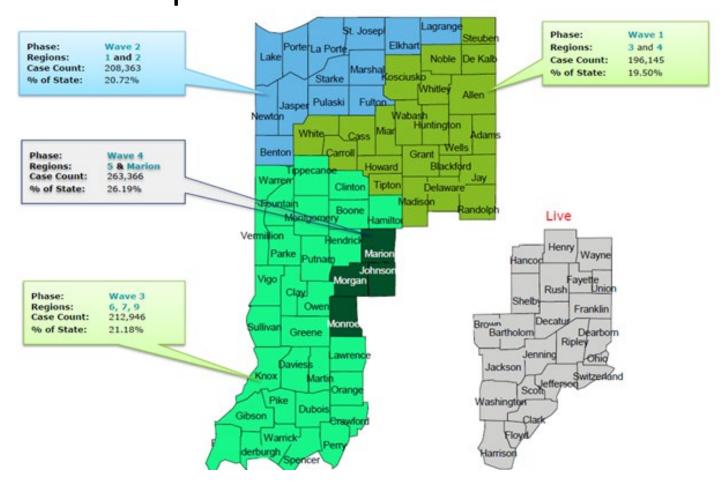


DDRS HCBS Waiver Redesign & Living Well





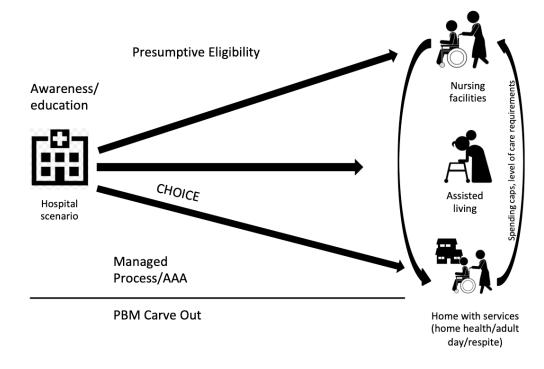
2019-20 Agency Priorities IEDSS completion





LTSS planning

Future State – Aging in Community
Goal: Members transition to services in 48 hours.



Eligibility post placement/AAA Options counseling



NEMT stabilization and growth

Q1	Q2	2019
1,301	1,146	Avg. # calls for ride requests/day
2,781	2,502	Avg. # all calls handled/day
11,670	11,249	Avg. # members served/month
53,321	50,777	Avg. # rides/month
85%	88.64%	Need met
3.14%	3.00%	Non-compliant send-backs
1,633	1,651	Active drivers
1,539	1,518	Active vehicles
168,006	167,150	Claims received
165,946	165,742	Claims paid
37.6%	39.37%	Ridership are high risk members
25.11%	21.61%	Provider no-show rate
74.89%	78.39%	Member no-show rate
93%	93%	Positive approval rating
7%	7%	Negative approval rating
94.13%	96.07%	Call center satisfaction rate



SMI waiver

- Current State
- Current §1115 waiver permits reimbursement for stays in an IMD for substance use disorder
- Managed care entities (MCEs) may also elect to reimburse for short-term stays for serious mental illness (SMI)
- FSSA reimbursing for IMD stays for presumptively eligible enrollees with 100% state funds
- Reimbursement not available for fee-for-service enrollees between the ages of 21-64

- Proposed Future State
 - Reimbursement for short-term acute inpatient stays in an IMD for all Medicaid enrollees between 21-64
- Short term stays are defined as 15 days or less
 - Based on medical necessity
 - Not a "hard stop"
 - Federal requirement for 30 day statewide average length of stay
- Ensures comparable access to IMDs for enrollees regardless of managed care or fee-for-service enrollment



Waiver Goals

Reduced utilization & length of stay in emergency departments

Reduced preventable readmissions

Improved availability of crisis stabilization services

Improved access to community-based services

Improved care coordination



HIP Bridge

- Gateway to Work will increase employment and education for HIP members
 - HIP members will have increased income and will need to transition to commercial coverage
 - HIP members face cost related barriers when transitioning to commercial coverage
- The HIP Workforce Bridge seeks to address the cost barrier and reduce the benefit cliff for HIP members
 - Supports member successful transition to commercial coverage reducing churn back to Medicaid
 - Promotes sustained economic mobility over the long-term



HIP Bridge

- Available to all HIP enrolled members who have an increase in income and are no longer eligible
- \$1,000 to cover health care and health insurance costs during transition from HIP to commercial insurance
 - Covers premiums, prescriptions, and HIP covered services while waiting for coverage to kick-in
 - Covers copayments, coinsurance and deductible costs for HIP covered services following commercial coverage enrollment
 - Member directs account spend to premium payment or services most essential to their health
- Account is available for up to 12-months following HIP disenrollment or until the account balance is \$0



Preschool Development Grant

Strategic plan has been completed and submitted to the Administration for Children and Families

Thank you to the large stakeholder group that helped to support the writing of the grant and to the over 1,000 families who provided input through the parent survey.

Updates regarding PDG can be found at:

http://brighterfuturesindiana.org/indiana-preschool-development-grant-pdg/



Next Round of Preschool Development Grant

The grant has been released and can be found at:

https://ami.grantsolutions.gov/HHS-2019-ACF-OCC-TP-1567

OECOSL in conjunction with stakeholders will be writing a new application to build upon the strategic plan that has been developed

Applications are due November 5th



On My Way Pre-K

We are rapidly approaching our goal!

- To date over 3,300 children have been enrolled state wide
- 57 counties have had children enrolled and are beginning in their Pre-k journey
- Since 2014 OECOSL has enrolled 875 OMW providers who are ready to support young learners
- OECOSL has issued \$3.79M in capacity building grants to 43 applicants in 37 different counties serving 99 different locations in three rounds of funding requests.
 - The fourth RFF was released 9/23/19. Grant Applications and information can be found on the website:
 https://www.in.gov/fssa/carefinder/5465.htm. Grant applications are due by Friday, November 8, 2019 at 5:00pm EST.



New Support for Early Childhood Programs: Spark Learning Lab

This model of support is intended to:

- Help child care programs prepare children for early elementary school
- Capitalize on new technology options for learning and connecting
- Allow Early Education programs to be the driver of their own change, at the pace they desire and delivered in a way that works for each of them
- Provide support specific to the needs of Child Care Home programs that recognizes their unique training and technical assistance needs



SPARK Indiana will provide new options for learning!

SPARK in Action



Coaches



Content specialists



Web-based resources



In-person Trainings



Digital learning



Professional learning communities



Cohort learning opportunities



Call Center





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For more information on Spark Learning lab please go to:

http://indianaspark.com/

For all updates on changes and supports please go to:

https://www.in.gov/fssa/2552.htm

We want to hear your voice! To apply to be a part of your Regional Advisory Council please go to:

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