

PCS Stakeholder Meeting

Kirby Building – Conference Room 297 (Dix Campus)
1985 Umstead Dr.
Raleigh, NC 27603-2001

Agenda

3/20/14

1:00pm to 3:00pm EST

- 1) Welcome
- 2) Reports
 - a) Liberty Health Care
 - i) Status Update
 - b) VieBridge
 - i) Methodology Presentation
- 3) DMA PCS Program Updates
 - a) SPA 13-009
- 4) Reports from Other Divisions
 - a) DAAS
 - b) DHSR
 - c) DMH/DD/SAS
- 5) Provider Q&A
- 6) Next Steps
- 7) Adjourn

Minutes

1) Welcome:

DMA thanked all stakeholder group members for attending and reminded stakeholders of the requested Question Submission Process and that potential subjects or questions for discussion should be sent at least three days prior to the meeting. The relevant section of the announcement is reposted below.

Stakeholders should submit questions through the PCS mailbox at PCS_Program_Questions@dhhs.nc.gov. Items and concerns you would like addressed during the stakeholder meetings should be submitted at least three days in advance of the regularly scheduled meetings with a notation "FOR STAKEHOLDER MEETING."

2) Reports:

Both Liberty Healthcare NC and Viebridge provided top level updates on ongoing operations.

Liberty Healthcare NC:

Liberty provided workload statistics and advised providers to contact Liberty Healthcare on an ongoing basis as issues arise.

- See Liberty Healthcare NC Presentation Powerpoint 03-20-14

Liberty also demonstrated the upcoming changes to the Liberty Healthcare Website and Trainings.

Viebridge:

Viebridge provided a detailed Presentation on the Methodology for assigning expanded hours via Session Law 2014-306.

- See Expanded Hours Methodology Presentation Powerpoint 03-20-14

Viebridge also answered Stakeholder questions concerning pending Change of Status Assessments intended for access to additional hours. Viebridge indicated that approximately 70% of the Change Of Status Requests for additional hours appeared to indicate an increase for those beneficiaries.

3) DMA PCS Program Updates

a. SPA 13-009

i. DMA submitted SPA responses on February 14th, 2014.

1. 90-day SPA Approval Clock restarted

ii. No new developments

b. Medicaid Reform

i. Presented Medicaid Reform Concept now being vetted

- *See Medicaid Reform Handout ()*

4) Reports from Other Divisions

a. DAAS

i. No specific updates

b. DHSR

i. No specific updates

c. DMH/DD/SAS

i. No specific updates

5) Provider Q&A

a. Stakeholders Requested a specific list of the accepted Diagnoses considered in the Expanded Hours Methodology

i. DMA will discuss this request internally

b. Stakeholders raised concerns over how this proposed additional hours methodology “runs counter” to the intent of the Legislation.

i. DMA will discuss this feedback internally

c. Stakeholders raised concerns over how the Methodology counted exacerbating conditions and whether they should be weighted differently.

i. DMA will discuss this issue internally

d. Stakeholders requested an update on Shared Savings

i. DMA will add this item to the 4-17-2014 Stakeholder Group Meeting Agenda.

6) Next Meeting: April 17th, 2014: 1:00pm to 3:00pm EST in Kirby 297