Accountable Care Collaborative 3.0

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Today's Agenda

- Ground Ourselves: Accountable Care Collaborative Attributes and Evolution
- Share draft changes for ACC 3.0
- Get your feedback and ideas
- Discuss New Bill Opportunity

CO Medicaid ACC Evolution

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Accountable Care Collaborative Phase I

- Administered by RCCOs
- Managed FFS for Physical Health
- Medical Home
- Cost savings
- Iterative

Community Behavioral Health Services

- Administered by BHOs
- Capitated Mental Health and SUD Services
- Cost Savings

Accountable Care Collaborative Phase II

- Administered by RAEs
- Join administration of physical and behavioral health
- Refine focus on cost and outcomes
- Physical PMPM, BH Capitation

ACC Advances & Role of RAEs

ACC Advances

- 1. Strengthen care coordination
- 2. Expand PCMP Attribution
- 3. Evolve health & support programs (i.e.: prenatal, diabetes, complex case management)
- 4. Pay providers for value
- 5. Increase RAE/provider accountability, transparency
- 6. Improve data exchange, reporting, contracts

HCPF's Annual ACC Legislative Report released 12/12/22

RAE Focus within ACC

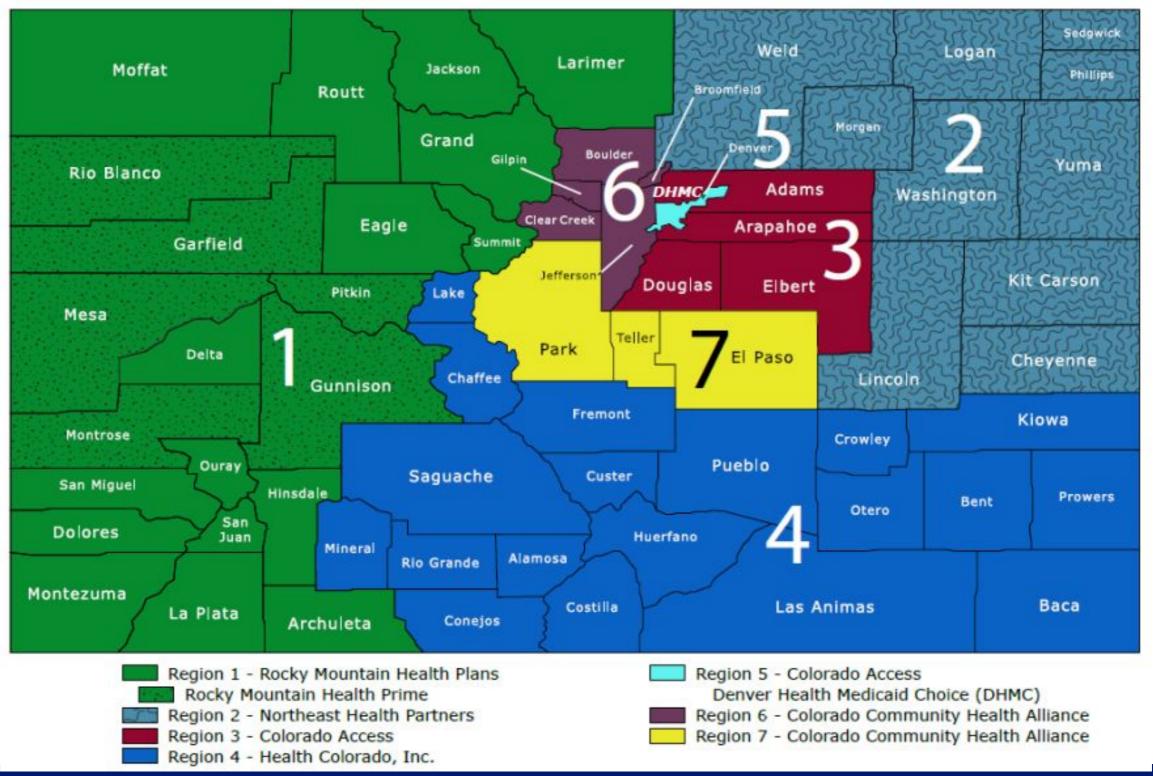
- 1. Promote physical & BH health
- 2. Contract PCMPs as member medical home
- 3. Administer & contract capitated BH benefit
- 4. Coordinate care for all, but add'l attention on special populations
- 5. Practice transformation assistance
- 6. Address focus areas directed, rewarded by Dept in contract
- 7. Provide other supports directed by Dept (ie: Marshall Fire, COVID vaccines, Prescriber Tool uptake)

Two Managed Care Organizations (MCOs)

- Rocky Mountain Health Plans Prime
 - operates in 9 counties in Region 1 (expanded to Delta, Ouray, and San Miguel on 7/1/22)
 - Cap is 60k members (prior was 46k), now at 55k
- Denver Health Medicaid Choice
 - operates in 4 counties (Denver, Adams, Jefferson, Arapahoe).
 - Membership cap was 90k, then 100k, then 110k. 110k members now.

RAE Regions

Accountable Care Collaborative





Capitated Behavioral Health Benefit

State Plan/Medical Services

Behavioral Health Assessment

School-Based Mental Health Services

Psychotherapy

Physician Services

Pharmacological Management

Outpatient Day Treatment

Outpatient Hospital

Psychosocial Rehabilitation

Crisis Services

Emergency Services

Inpatient Psychiatric Hospital

State Plan/Medical Services—SUD Specific

Substance Use Disorder Assessment

Alcohol/Drug Screen Counseling

Medication Assisted Treatment

Social Ambulatory Detoxification

Inpatient Withdrawal Management (1115 Waiver)

Residential Withdrawal Management and Treatment (1115 Waiver) Community-based/Alternative Services

Prevention/Early Intervention

Clubhouses/Drop-in Centers

Vocational Services

Intensive Case Management

Assertive Community Treatment

Residential (Mental Health)

Respite Care



ACC priorities for FY 2022-23:

- Advancing Health Equity and Social Determinants of Health supports
- Advancing Innovations to improve access, equity, affordability:
 - eConsults, Prescriber Tool adoption, Social Determinants of Health, Providers of Distinction (cost & quality indicators)
- Increasing care access with a special focus in the areas of behavioral health, specialty care and care in rural communities
- Implementing ARPA projects in BH & HCBS
- Collaborating with BHA on BH systemic transformative goals
- Advancing CMS's directive: 50% of payments within VBP by 2025
- Finalize ACC 3.0 design with stakeholders

Wins from ACC 2.0

- RAEs developed programs to improve member health and control costs for targeted conditions (e.g. maternity, diabetes, depression)
- Expanded access to and utilization of telemedicine
- RAEs achieved >99% payment or adjudication of behavioral health claims within 30 days
- Added new substance use residential services which served 8,844 unique members in 2021
- From July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022, the Department added 1,150 providers to the behavioral health network.

Goals for ACC Phase 3.0 Changes

- Improve Quality Care for Members
- Close health disparities and promote equity for members
- Improve care access
- Improve the member and provider service experience
- Manage costs to protect member coverage, benefits and provider reimbursements

Creating ACC 3.0 Design Including YOUR Valued Input

- Build on strengths of Phase 2
- Align with advances made by other state agencies
- Incorporate input received over the past several years
- Identify opportunities for improvement
- Focus on priority initiatives

- HCPF experts/exec input
- Governor's Health Cabinet
 - EDs from CDHS, CDPHE, BHA,
 OSPMHC and DOI
 - Interagency Staff Experts
- Beginning External stakeholder input (CHI leading much of this)

Your Feedback Over the Years

- Counties provided feedback on ACC/Delivery System historically
- Your feedback fueled many advances:
 - Universal contracting: shared expectations, regardless of payor, for behavioral health services
 - Expectations for credentialing of behavioral health providers, with new language in the RAE contracts
 - Robust contract management to hold RAEs accountable
- We appreciate your input in crafting ACC 3.0

ACC Phase 3.0 Timeline

Ongoing Stakeholder Activities

 Fall 2022-Begin stakeholder activities to assist with program development

Spring-Summer 2023

Concept Paper

November 2023

Draft Request for Proposal

 Ongoing community engagement to collect feedback and refine design

- Revise draft request for proposal based on stakeholder feedback
- Begin operational implementation

April 2024

Request for Proposal September 2024 Vendor Awards

- Proposal review
- Implementation work

- Vendor transition activities
- Member and provider transition and preparation

July 1, 2025 GO LIVE

Commitments to Continuity

- Compliance with federal guidance supporting paying for value
- Coordinated behavioral, physical and community-based services through a regional delivery system with the existing seven regions
- Continued evolution towards a comprehensive, integrated, and accountable behavioral health benefit
- Innovating the managed fee-for-service infrastructure for physical health while holding MCOs accountable
- Collaboration with state agencies to provide high quality, whole-person care that improves health equity and the overall health of Medicaid members

Broad Questions To Think About

- ✓ What is working well in the ACC that should be continued and/or built upon for Phase 3?
- ✓ What are the opportunities for improvement in the ACC that should be considered for Phase 3?
- ✓ What challenges do you and your staff face everyday when interacting with the delivery system?

Website and ACC Updates Newsletter: Colorado.gov/HCPF/accphase3

ACC Phase 3.0 Priorities

- Member Communication & Support
- Accountability for Equity & Quality
- Improving Referrals to Community Partners
- Alternative Payment Methodologies
- Care Coordination
- Children and Youth
- Behavioral Health Transformation
- Technology and Data Sharing

Primary Care Evolution Discussion

- Move primary care relationship from PCMH to ACO-like to enhance accountability for health outcomes, closing disparities, and affordability
- Continue to improve PCMP attribution payments:
 - To PCMPs based on risk-adjusted provider cost/quality perf.
 - Vary payment based on member acuity and/or target pop
 - Leverage payment to promote BH integration
- Increase RAE requirements for use of PCMP supports and tools (e-consult, prescriber tool, referrals to POD, other)

Behavioral Health Discussion

- BHA Alignment
 - Enroll new safety net providers
 - Implement APM and VBP
 - Cost reporting requirements
 - BHASO alignment
 - BH care coordination definitions and requirements
 - Data collection and reporting standards

- Addressing gaps in care
 - Youth residential and step-down services and home-based services
 - Increase access points for high intensity outpatient services
 - Continue growth of peer/unlicensed workforce
- Incorporate ARPA lessons:
 Mobile crisis; Secure transport; supportive housing



Case Mgmt/Care Coordination Discussion

- Address unique populations by leveraging partners who work closely with these populations
 - D-SNP enrolled members
 - Transplants
 - Kids that are high-risk
 - HCBS waiver members
 - Transitions of Care
 - Serious mental illness
 - o SUD
 - Pregnant people

- Standardize definition with the BHASOs
- Requirements to address health equity and reduce disparities
- Engage in SDOH screening and connection to support
- RAE standardized requirements and reporting

Children and Youth Discussion

- Standardize RAE contract requirements for coordination and management of children and youth, particularly around EPSDT and Child Welfare
- Implement SB19-195 high-fidelity wraparound services
- Pursue ACE Kid's Act Health Home model for children with medically complex conditions
- Programs and policies to improve pediatric care and preventive care performance
- Programs to improve perinatal health

Technology Innovations Discussion

- Incorporate new technologies to close disparities, improve access and improve quality
 - e-consult,
 - prescriber tool SDOH module
 - Enhanced BIDM, cost and quality analytics and resources, including support for VBP
- Improve data sharing among all parties: HCPF, RAEs, providers—strive for real-time data exchanges
- R-23 CBMS data reporting and claim integration into HCPF systems (BHA, CDHS, CDPHE 1st program priorities)
- Incorporate all new VPB innovations and methodologies
- Rural provider investments



Standardizing/Centralizing Functions

- Universal contracting rules for BH
- Single vendor for BH provider credentialing
- Member stratification
- Performance measurement
- CMS core metrics
- Industry standard cost and quality metrics
- Consistent member communications prototypes across RAEs
- Potential for consolidated complex care coordination and discharge planning, and very high-risk case management (i.e. transplants)

New Affordability Bill Opportunity

Thank You!

