## Provider Agency Requirements Rules

May 16, 2023

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## Agenda

- Introductions and Housekeeping: 9 to 9:15 a.m.
  - Rule and Regulation Changes for Case Management Redesign (CMRD)
  - Goals For the Rule Updates
  - Roles and Responsibilities
  - Updates from last meeting
- Provider Rule Review 9:15 to 10:45 a.m.
- Wrap up: 10:45 to 11 a.m.



## **Purpose of Meeting**

• Share draft rules for Case Management Redesign and the restructure of other rules with members and family members and other stakeholders to gather feedback



## **Rule Process**

- Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) draft new rule structure and updates to align with CMRD
- HCPF brings the drafted rule to the stakeholders for review
- SMEs and HCPF leadership incorporate approved updates
- CMRD team sends rule drafts for approval to Program Integrity, HCPF Leadership, Budget, and Legal (eClearance)
- YAY! We have a final draft to send to MSB!



# Rule Process (cont)

- This rule revision is so big, we will meet with the Medical Service Board (MSB) in advance to prepare and orient them before official MSB reading
- Final drafts go to the MSB coordinator who posts for public comment and send to the Attorney General's office for formal review
- Present to MSB, answer questions and get approval!
- RULES IN EFFECT January 2024!!!!!



## **Rule Timeline**

- Rule Revision Stakeholder Engagement October 2022 to June 2023
- Rule revisions final drafts complete September 2023
- Initial preparation meeting with MSB September 2023
- Public comment rule review complete October 2023
- MSB hearing November 2023
- Final rule adoption January 2024



## **Current Rule Structure is Fragmented**

LTC SEP System Requirements	HCBS-EBD- General Provisions	HCBS-EBD – CM Functions	HCBS Provider Agency
Electronic Monitoring	Services	SLS Waiver	State-funded SLS
HCBS-CES	HCBS-CLLI	Increase Reimbursement Rate for comp of DSPs	CHCBS
	CHRP	CMHS	



## The New Rule Structure

Member Rights and Responsibilities

Waiver/Program Overall Requirements

**CMA** Requirements

**CCB** Requirements

Provider Requirements

Service Definitions



# Goals for the Rule Updates

- 1. Minimize duplication within the rules and make sure requirements are consistent across programs
- 2. Help everyone involved understand their roles and responsibilities
- 3. A rule structure that is easy to follow and understand



## Rule Restructure vs. Changes

### **Restructure:**

- Moving rules around to be in a more accessible format
- Cleaning up language that is outdated or not reflective of current practices

## Changes:

• With new statute and requirements in place for case management, we must make changes to rules to align



## **Roles and Responsibilities**

#### • HCPF: Tiffani Domokos, Nicolette Cordova and John Barry

Introductions, monitoring and moving conversation, walk through rule changes, timekeeping, monitoring questions in the queue, overall flow of meeting and directing questions to SMEs

#### • HCPF Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

Addressing questions, concerns, comments as they relate to the rule updates, changes, guidance, movement, language, structure etc.

#### • HCBS Strategies Inc.

Record keeping in for of Listening Logs and Issues for further discussion, follow up, assist with walking through of the rule changes, recording/addressing questions in the queue, assisting with time management and follow up question management



## CO Rules Listening Logs View Listening Logs

# **304 392 lines and counting!**



## CO Rules Stakeholder Issues for Further Discussion

View Stakeholder Issues Document



## Updates

- Chat will be copy-able
  - Please wait until the end of the meeting
  - HCPF will monitor for PHI and delete ASAP
- HCPF staff working on updating logs in writing

o updates will be complete by mid-July

- Case Management rule follow up: June 1, 2023
  Finish cost containment discussion
  - $_{\circ}~$  CMA Training and Tools
  - CMA Quality



# Today's Review

- Provider Agency Requirements
  - Statement of Purpose and Scope
  - Enrollment Standards
  - Provider Certification, Decertification and Termination
  - Change of Ownership
  - > Documentation
  - Insurance Requirements
  - HCBS Provider Billing
  - Policies and Procedures
  - Personnel
  - > Rendering services according to the Person-Centered Support Plan
  - Critical Incident Reporting
  - Environmental Standards
  - ➢ Room and Board
  - Medication Administration
  - > Organized Health Care Delivery System
  - > Telehealth



# Why Almost Everything is Blue

- While the provider rules do not necessarily include major changes to policy, they represent substantial changes to the rules:
  - While the policies have not all been revised, the rules have been moved around and reformatted
  - > Some existing policies have been incorporated into rules
  - Some rules that only applied to IDD waiver provider, now apply to all and vice versa



# Meeting Schedule

HCPF has lots of projects going on. Here is how you can keep the most up to date information of schedule changes:

- Keep up to date on the stakeholder engagement calendar
- Keep up to date information on the <u>CMRD Webpage</u>



## Thank you!

