

Inpatient Hospital Review Program (IHRP) 2.0

Joint Operating Committee (JOC)

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Agenda for 3.16.23

- Introduction
- IHRP Background
- IHRP 2.0 Review
- Post Admission Review
- Training Schedule
- Questions

IHRP Background

- ▶ IHRP implemented based on direction in [SB 18-266 Controlling Medicaid Costs](#)
- ▶ IHRP suspended as of April 1, 2020
- ▶ Department and Kepro (new UM vendor) reviewed data and best practices to develop 2nd generation program (IHRP 2.0)
- ▶ Goals
 - ▶ Utilization
 - ▶ Care Coordination
 - ▶ Leverage capabilities
 - ▶ Quality of Care

Program Updates

- Soft Launch of IHPR 2.0 will begin April 3rd, 2023 and continue to May 1st, 2023.
 - Providers are encouraged to submit cases to Kepro during this period.
 - The Department will be monitoring the PARS to determine areas of improvement and opportunity during this period.
- Claims to the Fiscal Agent will not deny for lack of PAR until dates of service on/after May 1st, 2023.

Trainings with Kepro

- Training began 2/21/23
- Trainings (in order they should be taken)
 - Intro to IHRP 2.0- completed
 - System Overview- completed
 - IHRP Benefit Specific Training- happening now
 - Q&A Sessions
 - Colorado Ordering Provider Training
- All trainings will be recorded and posted on the IHRP webpage, in addition to the live trainings

Training Schedule

- **Introduction to IHRP and Atrezzo**
 - available online
- **System Overview**
 - available online
- **Colorado Ordering Provider**
 - coming soon
 - only available online
- **IHRP benefit Specific Training**
 - March 14, 2023 8:30am and 12pm
 - March 16, 2023, 7am, 12pm, 3pm
 - March 21, 2023, 8:30 am, 12pm, 5pm
 - March 22, 2023, 8:30am, 12pm, 3pm
- **IHRP 2.0 Q&A Sessions**
 - March 28, 2023, 8:30am, 12pm
 - March 30, 2023, 8:30am, 3pm
 - April 3, 2023, 7:00am, 12pm, 5pm
 - April 4, 2023, 8:30am, 12pm, 5pm
 - April 5, 2023, 8:30am, 12pm, 3pm

Training Schedule

- Colorado Ordering Provider Training
 - Will not be offered live.
 - Quick pre-recorded training for busy providers to access when available.
- Kepro Resources for IHRP 2.0
 - 24-hour/365-days provider Atrezzo portal can be accessed at: www.portal.kepro.com
 - Provider Communication and Support email: coproviderissue@kepro.com

FAQ Update

- Step 1 PARs for procedure and inpatient stay
 - Will remain as 2 different PAR submissions
 - Option for retro PAR for unplanned inpatient admissions
- IHRP 2.0 only for members with Medicaid as the primary payer
 - Excludes Medicare primary/Medicaid secondary patients
 - Excludes Commercial primary/Medicaid secondary patients
 - Excludes Third Party Liability patients
 - Excludes dually eligibility Medicare/Medicaid patients

Resources

- HCPF IHRP Website
<https://hcpf.colorado.gov/IHRP>
- Online resources are being updated – always use the online version which is the most up-to-date.

Resources

- [IHRP 2.0 FAQs](#)
- [IHRP 2.0 Stakeholder Information Bulletin](#)
- [Post Admission Review Questionnaire](#)
- [Stakeholder Engagement Identification Form](#)

Resources

- Post Admission Review Questionnaire
 - Day 6 for select DRG groups
 - 30 day intervals for all patients
- How will you collect this info?
 - EHR assessment
 - EHR alerts
 - Google form
 - Excel spreadsheet

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April JOC Schedule

Beginning April 6th JOC will occur weekly on Thursdays at 1pm.

JOC Targeted Focus:

- Soft Launch April 3rd, 2023
- Collaborate with hospitals regarding the functionality of IHRP 2.0
- Experiences with submitting PARs for Step 1.
- Experiences with submitting Post Admission Review Questionnaire for Step 2 and Step 3.



Questions?



Contact Info

Contact HCPF UM Team at:

hcpf_um@state.co.us

Visit the IHRP 2.0 webpage at:

<https://hcpf.Colorado.gov/IHRP>

Thank you!

Next JOC is March 30th, 2023
at 1pm MST