

# Inpatient Hospital Review Program (IHRP) 2.0

Joint Operating Committee (JOC)

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# Our Mission:

Improving health care equity, access and outcomes for the people we serve while saving Coloradans money on health care and driving value for Colorado.



# Agenda for 5.11.23

- Program Updates
- Trainings with Kepro
- Follow-up on JOC Discussions
- Resources
- JOC Schedule
- Questions

# Program Updates

- The soft launch of Step 1 of IHRP 2.0 will be extended until June 1, 2023.
  - Providers are encouraged to submit cases to Kepro during this period.
  - HCPF will be monitoring the PARS to determine areas of improvement and opportunity during this period.
- Claims to the Fiscal Agent will begin denying for lack of PAR on date of service June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.
- Steps 2 & 3, Post Admission Reviews went live on May 1<sup>st</sup>, 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- completed
  - Post Admission Review and Temporary Consumer ID Training- 5/18/23
  - Q&A Sessions- adding more options
  - Colorado Ordering Provider Training-posted online
- All trainings will be recorded and posted on the IHRP webpage.

# Follow-up on JOC Discussions

- Step 2 and 3 Post Admission Review
  - Unsubmitted- it saves.
    - On HOME screen, complete, and submit
  - Copy function
    - Need the previous submission Case #
- Step 1 “CMS Inpatient Only” Inpatient PAR
  - You will no longer have to upload clinical information.
- “Emergency Medicaid” patients
  - Only need to do Steps 2 and 3.

# Follow-up on JOC Discussions cont.

- UPDATE-Step 1 Removed 1 PCS Code
  - 0SB40ZZ
- Make sure you have your portal information updated
  - Error codes in both Kepro and Interchange

# Test, Test, Test!

- We have extended the soft launch period for Step 1.
- Submit PARs, Post Admission Reviews, and Claims over the next 3 weeks.

# HCPF 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.
  - Temp ID Desk Reference
  - Infographic

## Resources

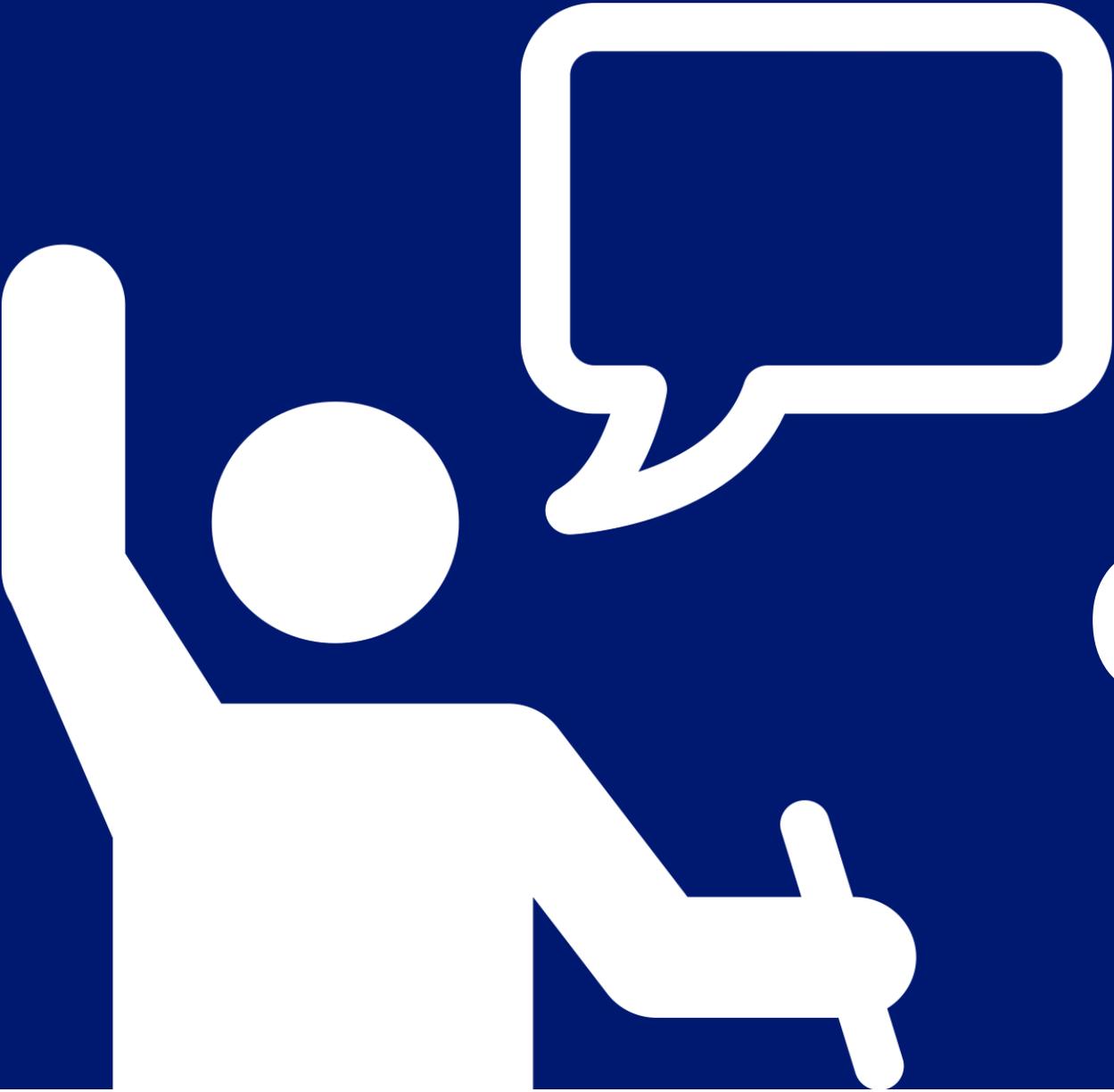
- [IHRP 2.0 FAQs](#)
- [IHRP 2.0 RAE Contacts for Care Coordination/Transition Planning](#)
- [IHRP 2.0 Stakeholder Information Bulletin](#)
- [IHRP Infographics](#)
- [Kepro PAR Denial Reasons for IHRP 2.0](#)
- [Post Admission Review Questionnaire](#)
- [Stakeholder Engagement Identification Form](#)

# Kepro Resources

- Kepro Provider Relations: [COproviderissue@kepro.com](mailto:COproviderissue@kepro.com)
- Kepro Provider Registration: [Coproviderregistration@kepro.com](mailto:Coproviderregistration@kepro.com)
- Kepro Call Center: 720-689-6340

# JOC Schedule

- JOCs are occurring weekly on Thursdays at 1pm.
- JOC Targeted Focus:
  - 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:

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Visit the IHRP 2.0 webpage at:

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

# Thank you!

Next JOC is *May 18th, 2023*  
at 1pm MST