



Minutes - Behavioral Health Quality Improvement Committee (BQuIC)

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 10:00 am to 12:00 pm Location: 1570 Grant St 4th fl. Conference Room

Attendees:	Minutes CC Continued:
Katie Mortenson, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Sally Langston, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
Suzanne Kinney, Access Behavioral Care (ABC)	Matthew Ullrich, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
Barbara Smith, Foothills Behavioral Health Partners (FBHP)	Taylor Larsen, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
Christi Melendez, Health Services Advisory Group (by phone)	Sharon Pawlak, Division of Behavioral Health (DBH)
James Bloom, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Zoe Swaine, Office of Behavioral Health (OBH)
Ligi Fu, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Nikki Lemmon, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
Kelly Brune, Value Options (VO) (by Phone)	Laura Hill, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)
Erica Arnold Miller, Colorado Health Partnerships (CHP)	Thomas Clay, Foothills Behavioral Health Partners
Christian Koltonski, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Lisa Clements, Division of Behavioral Health
Brian Hemmert, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)	Catherine Morrisey, Colorado Department of Human Services
Jessie Wood, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)	Karen Thompson, Northeast Behavioral Health Partnership, LLC
Sarah Schumann, Brookside Inn Nursing Home	Robert Bremer, Access Behavioral Care
Rachel Henrichs, Health Services Advisory Group (by phone)	Myron Unruh, Value Options
Adrienne Jones, Office of Behavioral Health (OBH) (by phone)	Shelly Spalding, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)
Barbara McConnell, Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG)	Marilea Rose, Health Services Advisory Group
Jerry Ware, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing (HCPF)	Judy Zerzan M.D. , Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
	Arnold Salazar, Colorado Health Partnerships (CHP)
	LeeAnn Merrifield, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)
	Rachel Lee, Mental Health Center of Boulder County
	Roger Gunter, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)
Minutes CC:	Judy Yip, Health Services Advisory Group
Roxzana Santacruz, Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG)	Jennifer Woodard, Value Options
Camille Harding, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Michael Sajovetz, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing
Jeremy White, Value Options	Kate Bell, Health Services Advisory Group
Lindsay Cowee, Behavioral HealthCare, Inc (BHI)	Alana Berrett, Health Services Advisory Group
Russell Kennedy, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Diane Somerville, Health Services Advisory Group
Timea Jonas, Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG)	Samatha Kommana, Northeast Behavioral Health Partnership (NBHP)
Carrie Bandell, Access Behavioral Care (ABC)	Gina Robinson, Department of Health Care Policy and Financing

Quorum equals representation from a minimum of three Behavioral Health Organizations out of five plus one person from the Department.

Quorum Met? Yes.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	RESULT
1. Introductions, and additions to the agenda		
2. Review January 2014 meeting Minutes	Minutes were reviewed and approved with minor changes. (To view past minutes and additional information about BQuIC visit www.colorado.gov/hcpf and click on Boards and Committees, then select BQuIC)	
3. Use of Antipsychotic Medications in Colorado Nursing Homes	Sarah introduced herself and provided an overview of this initiative for nursing homes, reviewed handouts and shared expectations from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). Sarah also noted a few related regulations that are being revised F-Tag 329 (unnecessary drugs) and F-Tag 309 (quality of care), shared challenges (examples, hospitals, alternative care facilities, physicians and families not required to follow initiative requirements). Brian and Barbara S. shared insight about how services in the nursing home may or may not interact with this initiative.	Sarah will send Jerry a list of resources attendees can use.
4. The Experience of Care and Health Outcomes Survey (ECHO)	Jerry shared comments with this committee about the timeline for Camille to share the draft survey with them. Barbara S. asked if the ECHO would replace the current survey process being administered by the Office of Behavioral Health (OBH). Adrienne addressed this question and shared reasons for continuing with both surveys for now.	
5. Behavioral Health Organization (BHO) Care Transitions Performance Improvement Project (PIP) Prep	BHO QI Directors shared possible partners and topics for this project: <u>Barbara S.</u> noted that her BHO may be working with the local Regional Care Collaborative Organization (RCCO) on a jail transition PIP. <u>Suzanne</u> noted that her BHO may be working with various partners on a follow up after emergency visit PIP, but other topics are being considered. <u>Erica</u> noted that her BHO may be working on a jail transition PIP. <u>Brian</u> noted that his BHO may be working with RCCOs on a follow up after emergency visit PIP.	
6. Alternative Care Facility (ACF) clients receiving Behavioral Health Organization (BHO) services	Ligi and James discussed this updated report with the Behavioral Health Organization (BHO) Quality Improvement (QI) Directors which is based on a 3 month period. BHO QI directors were ask to contact the Department if they would like to receive this report on a regular basis.	
7. Outstanding issues related to the BHO Performance Measure Scope Document?	The group briefly discussed issues on this topic and decided to wait until the March 2014 meeting to continue work on the scope document.	
8. Department & plan updates	Updates on the agenda were reviewed.	
9. Public comments	NA	
10. Other discussions	Katie provided an update on the Regional Care Collaborative Organization (RCCO) Integration Reports and some brief issues that may be discussed at the 2/26/14 Summit meeting.	
Adjourn	Meeting ended 35 minutes early.	

Future Meeting: February 25, 2014 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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