



BHH Designated Provider Agency Work Group

September 17, 2021

1:00pm – 3:00pm

Virtual Meeting

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1. Diabetes is the CY2022 BHH Focus. The reasons DMHAS and the ASO chose diabetes are below:

- a. One of the primary purposes of BHH is to assist individuals with medical and mental health conditions
- b. 45.8% of BHH population have a diabetes diagnosis as well as many at risk of disease development
- c. There are several reports available to assist agencies in providing services around diabetes management
- d. We track diabetes outcomes year over year via CMS measures

2. Diabetes & BHH Data Presentation

- a. Population Health
 - i. Compares BHH enrollee's diagnosed with diabetes to the total BHH population
 - ii. Conditions identified in the BHH Population health that correlate with diabetes include depression, obesity, hyperlipidemia, liver disease, hypertension and kidney disease.
- b. Adult Diabetic Gaps in Care Report
 - i. This report includes active BHH enrollees between the ages of 18-75 with a diagnosis of diabetes or a diabetic prescription within the last 2 years.
 - ii. It tells you if someone is due for A1C screen, an eye exam or nephrology test.
 - iii. It is used to help BHH enrollees remain compliant with diabetes screening.
- c. Medications that May Raise A1c Report
 - i. This report includes active BHH enrollees who are currently on a psychiatric medication that may raise their A1c.



- ii. It is used to assess medications and any correlating health diagnosis with the team.
 - iii. BHH providers should explain to client the potential impact of taking this medication and collaborate with prescribing physician around possible alternative medication if needed.
- d. Diabetes Management Resources
- i. Presenters reviewed how each BHH position could help BHH enrollees manage their diabetes.
 - ii. Presenters shared BHH-position-specific resources.
 - iii. Presenters discussed ways to use data to target interventions & services.
 - iv. For more information, refer to PPT and recording of the diabetes training

3. BHH Billing Updates (1:05pm-2:40pm)

- a. New initiative Chess, targets individuals that are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. If a BHH enrollee becomes enrolled in CHES, the BHH Provider cannot bill for BHH services.
- b. DMHAS is working on updating billing around CHES and BHH. Billing will be delayed until update is completed. DMHAS is anticipating resuming billing around the beginning of November 2021. In the interim continue to send services for billing.



Participant List

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Maria Carusone	BHcare
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