

Northwest Collaborative Planning & Implementation Group



Date:

Tuesday, July 25, 2023

Location:

In-person: Sequoia Conference Center, Room A

901 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA, 95501

Virtual: Access Zoom

Total Number of Attendees: 30

Start/End Time:

In-person: 11:00 am – 2:00 pm PT Virtual: 11:00 am – 12:30 pm PT

Facilitator Organization:

Population Health Innovation Lab, Public Health Institute

Meeting Objectives:

- Build relationships and increase awareness of partners in the Northwest CPI Collaborative Region.
- Learn about Partnership Healthplan's improvements and resources.
- Understand the differences between Information Sharing Policies and Systems, including: EHRs, HIEs, CIEs, DxF and how they support Enhanced Care Management (ECM) and Community Supports service delivery.
- Converse with local leaders to improve understanding of data exchange systems and creative solutions.
- Actively work on data exchange and coordinated care efforts to enhance your organization's strategic planning.
- Help shape the future activities and direction of the Northwest CPI collaborative.

High Level Agenda

No.	Topic	Key Questions
1.	Welcome and Introductions	
3.	Partnership Healthplan of California Updates Overview of Information Sharing Policies and Systems: EHRs, HIEs, CIEs, DxF	 What is PHC currently working on? Billing/Authorization Provider Tools Collective Medical/Point Click Care DHCS Policy Guides What are the complimentary components and differences between these data policies and systems? How may each of these support delivering ECM or Community
4.	An Interactive Conversation with local leaders	Supports services? Your questions are welcome! Topics may include • Which HIEs and CIEs are operating in my area? How do I sign on? • Which creative ECM and Community Supports implementation solutions are working for which types of organizations? • How can my organization effectively connect with other organizations in a coordinated care effort? • How should my organization plan for sustainable operations?
5.	Next Steps & Upcoming events	
6.	Virtual program: Evaluation and Close	Note: Our virtual program will end at 12:30pm. Participants may stay on until 1:00pm to ask questions and request TA or additional resources. All participants will be sent slides and materials.

No.	Topic	Key Questions
7.	In-person: Action Based Working Sessions Data sharing policies Information exchange opportunities Care coordination efforts	Discussion to explore how our CPI Collaborative organizations can share best practices
8.	In-person program:	
	Evaluation and Close	

Notes/Meeting Summary

Key Takeaways & Discussion Themes by Agenda Topic

Topic	Discussion Themes/Key Takeaways	Actions Taken/Next Steps	Best Practices/Lesso ns Learned
Welcome and Introductions	Check-in: Do you have any "wins" you'd like to share? Del Norte Mission Possibly hired a new employee. Redwoods Rural Health Center is making progress in their billing and reimbursements.	Follow-up with Redwoods Rural Health Center to learn about their improvement process.	Rural organizations are overcoming previous challenges.
Partnership Healthplan of California Updates	Provider Billing PHC has conducted a 4th Quarter analysis of providers with enrolled members and determined that only 10 providers in the PHC region have submitted claims (October 2022-December 2022). Billing/Authorization Provider Tools PHC is finalizing ECM/CS billing and authorization provider tools. Updates expected in August. Point Click Care (fka Collective Medical) PHC is working to enhance the platform to allow every ECM provider access to see all potential PHC ECM members in the portal. DHCS Policy Guides More information and communications to providers, CPI, webpage, email blast, policies forthcoming. PHC Roundtables ECM next 7/20 12-1 and 8/17 9-10 CS next 7/27 and 9/21 9-10 Resources	Identify the barriers ECM providers are facing when submitting claims. Request follow-up from Vicky regarding the lack of received claims. Coordinate with PHC to facilitate the distribution of ECM/CS authorization provider tools.	Closing feedback loops between PHC and CPI Participants helps PHIL to maintain trust with stakeholders.
	 See "Shared Collaborative Resources" section below. 		

Overview of Information Sharing Policies and Systems	Introduction and overview of the glossary. Sections of the glossary include: Definitions Related to Population Health Management and CalAIM Definitions Related to Provision of Services Definitions Related to Data Systems and Sharing	Publish glossary to the PHIL website.	The glossary is a helpful tool to bring a diverse stakeholder group towards a universal understanding of community health systems terminology.
An Interactive Conversation with local leaders	Structures and Systems' Landscapes: Data sharing policies Information exchange opportunities (NW) Care coordination efforts Panelists: Jessica Osborne-Stafsnes, North Coast Health Improvement and Information Network Gabrielle E. Kelly, Providence Stefani Hartsfield, Consultant for PHIL	Panelist Gabrielle encourages more inter-organization collaboration opportunities. O PHIL and in-person participants brainstormed opportunities to support inter-organization collaboration. Ideas include Slack or an information providing platform in addition to a some time for best practice sharing in our CPI Collaborative Stakeholder convenings for ECM and CS are often too broad in scope. Participants agreed that hosting more specific conversations by topic (ie. Populations of focus or cost-effectiveness) with complimentary Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) would allow for more productive meetings. O PHIL will ensure specificity in CPI convening type to optimize stakeholder engagement and productivity. Provide CPI Collaboratives resources to learn more about CIEs and HIEs in their region.	Organizations are "database fatigued", having to work in several databases for different aspects of the work. A CPI Participant would like to streamline this issue by allowing CIE involved organizations to connect with each other and with clients all in one place.
Next Steps & Upcoming events	Readiness Roadmap Poll: An implementation progress check-in was shared to learn where people are at on the Readiness Roadmap. DHCS Third Party Administrator (TPA) Updates: O Policy guide updates	Readiness Roadmap Poll: See Appendix A for the poll results O PHIL will reach out directly to the organizations who are showing great progress and showing slow process to learn	Of the responding organizations, half of the organizations have progressed on the readiness

	CDII's DxF application announcement	more about their	roadmap, and
	CPI Initiative reports	implementation successes	half have
	Next Steps & Upcoming Events:	and challenges.	maintained their
	The August CPI regional meeting is virtual.	J	stage of
			readiness.
In-person: Action Based Working Sessions Data Exchange Coordinated Care	In-person: CPI Participants sat in a large circle and discussed: In which forums are CPI participants sharing best practices with other providers? Does the NW need a forum to share best practices that doesn't currently	CPI Participants have an interest in a provider forum for best-practices and Q&A. O What is an equitable way of supporting or reimbursing organizations' time for sharing best practices?	Roundtables are a good opportunity to get technical assistance. However, there is a need for
	exist? o If so, what is a helpful space that does not add burden for providers (e.g., wiki page? CPI convening time? Another locally-hosted meeting? Etc.)?	 PHIL will continue to understand existing convenings, and assess utility of Slack. 	use-case scenario technical support for pre- and post- contract assistance.
In-person program: Evaluation and	Complete the PATH CPI Participant Survey.	N/A	N/A
Close			

Identified Gaps/Challenges in CalAIM/ECM/Community Supports

Topic	Gaps/Challenges Identified	Actions Taken/Next Steps	Best Practices/Lessons Learned
Reimbursement rates	 Reimbursement rates are too low to account for all work being done. Examples: Outreach is difficult with clients not having a phone or not providing an up-to-date number Each enrollment attempt/outreach should be billable Outreach can include more than one touchpoint (e.g., some clients require multiple touchpoints to consent to being enrolled) Internal care coordination efforts are also required by the provider team inbetween billable encounters with the client	PHIL to communicate with TPA on the consideration of offering Mentorship Grants to successful ECM / Community Supports organizations that are spending time sharing best practices with other organizations and/or CPI Collaboratives.	It is important for PHIL to uplift the unique challenges of rural provider experiences to DHCS.

Identified Successes Experienced by Participants

Topic	Successes Identified	Actions Taken/Next Steps	Best
			Practices/Lessons
			Learned

Billing	More reimbursements coming through the	Identify strategy for improved	Peer learning is
	pipeline.	billing process and share them	valuable for use-
		with CPI Participants.	case scenarios
			such as billing
			strategies.

Summary of Complaints & Grievances

Topic	Summary of Complaint/Grievance	Actions Taken	Next Steps
CPI topics and	A participant requested that	Incorporated feedback into	Plan session to address specific
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utility	specific topics with subject	strategic planning for future	pain points (e.g., billing and
	matter experts always be	convenings.	financial sustainability) and
	included in CPI convenings.		invite MCP and/or SME

Specific comments, questions, or concerns regarding policy/implementation/change goals for TPA/DHCS

Topic	Comment/Concern/Question	Actions Taken	Next Steps
Rural sustainability	Smaller organizations and rural entities require sustainable reimbursement rates; small organizations lack scale and rural efforts often have higher costs per client.	Uplift to TPA	Close the feedback loop between DHCS and CPI Participants. Request follow-up from TPA on DHCS response.

Shared Collaborative Resources

#	Resource	Category/Type	Link/Access Information		
	In-person and virtual Handouts				
1.	Readiness Roadmap	Handout	Readiness Roadmap		
2.	Glossary of Terms for Collaborative Planning and Implementation (CPI)	Handout	Glossary of Terms for Collaborative Planning and Implementation (CPI)		
3.	PATH CPI Services	Handout	PATH CPI Services		
4.	PHC: Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Referral Avenues	Handout	Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Referral Avenues		
5.	PHC: Partnership HealthPlan's Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Engagement & Enrollment Workflow	Handout	Partnership HealthPlan's Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Engagement & Enrollment Workflow		
6.	NCHIIN Handout: Improving Health for All of Humboldt County	Handout	Improving Health for All of Humboldt County		
7.	PHC July ECM Utilization Report	Handout	PHC July ECM Utilization Report		
	Partnership HealthPlan of California (PHC) Resources				
8.	ECM Roundtable	Training	ECM Roundtable		
9.	Community Supports Roundtable	Training	Community Supports Roundtable		

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10.	ECM Previous Recorded Trainings	Training	ECM Previous Recorded
			<u>Trainings</u>
11.	ECM and CS On-Demand Billing Training	Training	ECM and CS On-Demand
			Billing Training
12.	PHC's CalAIM email address	Email Address	CalAIM@partnershiphp.org
13.	CalAIM Initiative and Programs webpage	Website	CalAIM Initiative and
			<u>Programs webpage</u>
14.	Enhanced Care Management (ECM)	Form	Enhanced Care
	Referral Form		Management (ECM)
			Referral Form
15.	CalAIM: Community Support Services	Form	CalAIM: Community
	Referral Form		Support Services Referral
16.	CITED Funding	Website	Form CITED Website
10.			<u>CITED Website</u>
	PHIL Pres	entation Resources	
17.	CalAIM Enhanced Care Management	Policy Guide	CalAIM Enhanced Care
	Policy Guide		Management Policy Guide
18.	Medi-Cal Community Supports, or In Lieu	Policy Guide	Medi-Cal Community
	of Services (ILOS), Policy Guide		Supports, or In Lieu of
			Services (ILOS), Policy
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19.	Enhanced Care Management and	Website	<u>CalAIM Enhanced Care</u> Management and
	Community Supports (ILOS) Home page		Community Supports
20.	California Health & Human Services	Website	California Health & Human
20.	Agency's Center for Data Insights and	VVCDSICC	Services Agency's Center
	Innovation's DxF Signatory Grants		for Data Insights and
	Information		Innovation's DxF Signatory
			Grants Information
21.	PATH Collaborative Planning and	Website	PATH Collaborative
	Implementation page on the PHIL website		Planning and
			Implementation page on
			the PHIL website
	CPI Participa	ant Shared Resources	
22.	ECM and Community Supports Policy	Summary Report	ECM and Community
	Guide Cheat Sheet		Supports Policy Guide
			<u>Cheat Sheet</u>
23.	PHM Initiative Webpage	Website	PHM Initiative Webpage

Individuals in Attendance (Hybrid)

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MCP Engagement (List all MCPs who should be engaged regardless of attendance)

МСР	Current Status of Relationship	MCP Engagement in Collaborative	Engagement Concerns & Notes
Partnership HealthPlan of California (PHC)	Very supportive and engaged. The regional manager from PHC attended the July convening in-person and answered questions from participants. Another ECM/CS team representative offered PHC updates.	PHC participates in the monthly convenings. They have a 10-minute time for sharing updates and closing loops on gaps addressed in previous meetings. PHC actively responds to participant issues. PHC encourages collection of issues from the collaboratives and works to develop solution systems both internally and with CPI Facilitators.	Members of PHC and Northern California CPI Facilitators met on 7/27/23 to discuss regional collaboration of prioritized issues.

New Action Items (Identified this Meeting)

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
1.	Discovery call with organizations that shared success and best-practices. Share findings with CPI collaborative.	PHIL	07/31	8/15	Scheduling
2.	Close feedback loop on billing issues identified by PHC.	PHIL	07/31	8/15	Strategizing
3.	Coordinate with PHC to facilitate the distribution of ECM/CS authorization provider tools.	PHIL	07/31	8/31	Strategizing
4.	Inter-organization provider forum platform identification.	PHIL and CPI Partners	07/31	8/31	Soliciting insight from stakeholders
5.					

Action Items (Ongoing)

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
1.	Develop collaborative systems improvement strategies	PHIL	04/21/23	Continuous	Strategizing

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
2.	Identify specific <i>capacity building</i> trainings.	PHIL	04/21/23	Continuous	Outlined and finalizing
3.	Network and relationship building with new members added to the asset maps.	PHIL	04/21/23	Continuous	Strategizing
4.	Recruitment of new CPI participants	PHIL and CPI Partners	Start of initiative	Continuous	Implementing
5.	Identify existing coalitions, collaboratives and roundtables for ECM, Community supports	PHIL and CPI Partners	3/30	Continuous	Data synthesized by mapping project will help to identify these initiatives.
6.	Re-vamp website with developing resource and information needs to continue serving current and prospective CPI participants	PHIL	05/30/2023	Continuous	Updates pending approval
7.	Re-connecting with participants with whom we've had discovery calls and other forms of communication to provide continuous support, assess progress and satisfaction	PHIL	05/30/2023	Continuous	Implementing
8.	MERLIN to review accuracy of maps (e.g., Redwood Quality Management were combined with Aliados) UPDATE: Integration of new data	MERLIN	04/21/23	Continuous	Updating with new CPI participants

Open Action Items

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
1.	Updating stakeholder information with participants' positions on the readiness roadmap to track advancement towards our Aim.	PHIL	05/30/2023	07/15/2023	Update strategy due to Deliverable Q2 update.
2.	Incorporating breakout discussions into our Solutions Approach strategy	PHIL	05/30/2023	Continuous	Strategizing
3.	Create a concrete plan for the future of PHIL's Asset Maps UPDATE: On pause upon learning about mapping in DHCS's pipeline.	PHIL + MERLIN	04/21/23	05/15/23	Strategizing

Closed Action Items

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
1.	Incorporating charter feedback	PHIL	01/01/2023	03/31/23	Completed
2.	Strategize methods of collecting the stop all	PHIL	04/21/23	05/05/23	Planned
	participants are at on the Readiness				
	Roadmap (polled during meetings as well as				
	follow-up conversations)				

No.	Action Item	Owner	Created	Deadline	Status
3.	Propose monthly meeting with Camden, HC2, HealthBegins and Partnership to efficiently collate common issues among CPI collaboratives across Northern California counties	PHIL	05/30/2023	06/05/2023	Meeting regularly
4.	PATH CPI Asset Mapping Survey	PHIL	January	May 15	Completed
5.	A report of the initial Asset Mapping Survey findings is to be shared with the participants on the website. UPDATE: Integration of new data	MERLIN	04/21/23	06/05/23	Completed; now planning to add new data

Appendix A:

Readiness Roadmap Steps Legend:

- 1. What are ECM & CS?
- 2. We're exploring the contracting process.
- 3. We have started to work on the contract!
- 4. We have a contract!
- 5. We are testing the service delivery and billing system.
- 6. We are delivering services and have an internal process, but are having issues with referrals, reimbursements, or other workflow complications.
- 7. Coordinated delivery, billing, and referral system in place and running smoothly!

Readiness Roadmap Poll:

N=4 virtual respondents

- 1. In which month did you first attend a collaborative meeting?
 - a. January (2/4)
 - b. February (1/4)
 - c. June (1/7)
- 2. Where on the Readiness Roadmap was your organization then?
 - a. Step 2 (1/4)
 - b. Step 2.5 (1/4)
 - c. Step 4 (1/4)
 - d. Step 6 (2/4)
- 3. As of today, on which step of the Readiness Roadmap is your organization?
 - a. Step 2 (1/4)
 - b. Step 5 (1/4)
 - c. Step 6 (2/4)