



Center for Healthy Communities

Medicaid Outreach Consortium

October 12, 2005

8:30-10:00 a.m.

Kettering Center, Monument Avenue

Meeting Summary

Present: Aaron Morman (Automated Health Systems), Ann Bulman (CHC), Brenda Johnson (Care Source), Carla Clasen (CHC), Catrina Baker (CHC), Jane Bagley (JFS), and Kimberly Conner (CHC)

1. Introductions

2. Assign meeting roles

Facilitator: Jane Bagley

Recorder: Catrina Baker

3. Review Minutes from August 10, 2005 Meeting

The minutes were approved as written.

4. October Medicaid Training - *K. Conner* **15 min**

An agenda with presentation time allotment was handed out. Jane Bagley will check with Gary Williamson about speaking on the agencies and services of the Job Center. The Care Source speaker will be moved from the 10:15 to 11:15 time slot.

5. Community Outreach Efforts – *K. Conner, Advocates* **10 min**

Kim Conner reported that a letter and flyer was mailed to the schools in Montgomery County about the CHA program and its services. Several appointments with school administration and staff have been scheduled as a result of the mailing. A Medicaid report is not available at this time due to the recent HIEx conversion. The advocates are participating in approximately 10 community events this month.

6. Hospital Outreach Efforts – *A. Webster, M. Reppa, B. Wolpert* **10 min**

Carla Clasen announced that Mike Reppa has been unable to attend the meetings for various reasons. Despite, he is still interested in being a part of the consortium and wants to continue receiving the minutes.

7. Department of Job and Family Services Update – *J. Bagley, C. Isham* **10 min**

Jane Bagley reported that the number of applications received at the Job Center has increased. Due to this, 2 new workers were recently hired in her area. She also reported that the applications coming from the hospitals are incomplete. This makes the process longer and increases the number of denied applicants. She has received the Submitted Apps report from Kim and will complete it as soon as possible.

8. Care Source Update – *D. Shavers, B. Johnson* **10 min**

Denise has been placed on a special project and will not be able to attend any meetings until next year. Montgomery County will become a Mandatory County effective 11/1/05. Clients will

have to choose between Care Source and Molina. Medicaid clients have been notified of the change and their choices. Two-thirds of the clients that do not make a selection will be given to Molina. A client can change managed care plans within the first 90 days. After the 90 days has passed, they will have to wait until open enrollment to make changes. They still have to the option to change primary physicians from month-to-month. As additional information becomes available, Kim will be notified.

9. Automated Health Systems - A. Morman **15 min**

Aaron can be reached on his office phone now. He has not received any information to share about Molina.

10. Announcements & Develop Agenda for next meeting **10 min**

Julie Graham will be attending the meeting on behalf of Combined Health District.

11. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 9:25 am.

Next meeting: December 7, 2005, 8:30 –10:00 a.m. (Please note date change)