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WEEKLY UPDATE

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BRONX HEALTH ACCESS PPS UPDATES AND UPCOMING EVENTS

The team at Bronx Health Access Performing Provider System ("PPS") is working to collect outstanding partner agreements. Organizations wishing to join the PPS are urged to submit all documentation for agreements as soon as possible.

Project Lead Meeting

At the May 20th Project Lead meeting, each participant received a Bronx Health Access Milestones and Metrics Guide Book which includes all of the DSRIP milestones and metrics that the PPS must achieve over the next 5 years. In addition, the 3.a.i Behavioral Health work group showed how their project interacts with Care Coordination Clearinghouse.



State DSRIP Updates

MRT Social Adult Day Care Certification Webinar

The Medicaid Redesign Team Division of Long Term Care has posted a pre-recorded webinar regarding Social Adult Day Care Certification under the Policy Documents section on their webpage [here](#).

If you have questions pertaining to this webinar please send them to:
SADCCertification@OMIG.ny.gov

CMS Releases Analytic Brief titled "The State of Children's Health Care Quality in Medicaid and CHIP: Who Are the Higher-Performing States?"

The Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services released a new Analytic Brief highlighting state performance on the Core Set of child health quality measures for 2013. The Child Core Set of health care quality measures provides a national- and state-level snapshot of the quality of care provided to children enrolled in Medicaid and CHIP.

The brief highlights state performance on the 15 Child Core Set measures reported by at least 25 states for FFY 2013 and New York was highlighted as a "high performing" state overall. The brief is available [here](#).



DSRIP in the News

[New York City hospitals hit up state, feds for another \\$1 billion](#)

Crain's New York Business

In February 2014, Gov. Andrew Cuomo announced that the federal Department of Health and Human Services had agreed to plow \$8 billion in Medicaid savings back into the state's fragile health care system. Federal health officials believed the huge cash infusion would be enough to overhaul how health care is delivered within New York's \$62 billion Medicaid program.

They were wrong-by \$1 billion.

Certain powerful New York City hospitals made it clear to Albany and Washington in recent weeks that they felt shortchanged by how that money is being divided. The uproar by downstate hospitals threatened to halt the implementation of carefully negotiated Medicaid reforms. And so now New York state and HHS officials are discussing adding another \$1 billion to \$1.2 billion to the pot over several years.



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