

MAC Meeting Agenda

November 21, 2024 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

1. Call to order – Sheila Schuster, Chair
2. Roll call – Mackenzie Wallace, Secretary
3. Approval of Minutes of September 26, 2024 MAC Meeting
4. Approval of MAC Meeting Dates in 2025
5. Old Business - Quick Language Access Resource for Providers – Brief MCO Presentations
6. Updates from DMS Commissioner Lisa Lee and Staff
 - A. Changes Due to Court Ruling in Anthem Case
 - B. Discussion of the New Beneficiary Advisory Council (BAC) and Potential Legislative Changes to the MAC
 - C. Education of Beneficiaries and Brokers about Changes to Non-Emergency Medical Transportation (NEMT)
 - D. Update on Unwinding Medicaid, Flexibilities, Status of Children
 - E. Update on Waivers: Implementation of ReEntry Waiver; Timeline for SMI 1915i SPA and 1115 SMI/SUD Waiver; Current HCBS Waiting List Numbers
 - F. Input from DMS Work Group to Improve Communication with Potential Medicaid Beneficiaries and Waiver Recipients
 - G. Description of “Closing Care Gaps” Activities by MCOs and Need for Coordination with Primary Care Providers
7. TAC Reports of Topics Discussed, Requests for Information from DMS or MCOs, Work with other TACs, Recommendations:

1. Behavioral Health – 10/14	10. Nursing Home Care - HNM
2. Children’s Health – 10/9	11. Nursing Services - HNM
3. Consumer Rights & Client Need – 10/15	12. Optometric – 11/7
4. Dental - HNM	13. Persons Returning to Society from Incarceration – 11/14
5. Disparity & Equity - HNM	14. Pharmacy – 10/2
6. Emergency Medical Services – 11/4	15. Physicians – 10/18
7. Home Health - HNM	16. Primary Care - 10/24
8. Hospital Care – 10/22	17. Therapy – 10/12
9. Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities – 10/1	
- Motion to Accept the TAC Recommendations and Send Them to DMS
8. New Business
9. Next Meeting – Thursday, January 23, 2025 – 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. ET
10. Adjourn