

State of Ohio
MACSIS System Implementation
Project and Operations Planning Meeting
July 1, 2004

MINUTES

Present: L. Daniele, K. Cluggish, J. Hughes, J. Raab, J. Martin, J. Wiant, M. Bohlmann, B. Taylor, M. Herrel,

Call In: R. Yeley, K. Taylor, B. Heffner, J. Mausser, B. Tobin, D. Vargas, S. Kirschner, J. McIntosh, B. Miller, C. Fratallone, K. Schwarz, P. Garretson, C. Freeman, A. Loftin, K. McCann, P. Coates, A. Gray, H. Thomas, S. McCants, G. Hall, A. Fulton, L. Clay, J. Sager, S. Greaves, P. Quinn, M. Glanville, S. Baker, T. Chambers, A. Parker, J. McCluggage, J. Averill

Special Topics:

HIPAA Security

The departments met with the Board Association and are moving ahead with implementation of the security rules. The departments are supplying technical assistance and documentation. The rules are effective in April, 2005, although it is assumed that enforcement of compliance will be loose as long as privacy is not compromised.

Medical Definitions

New medical definitions were established that assign company code based on procedure code for claims with missing or invalid information. Split boards will now have the appropriate MH or ODADAS company code assigned for default MEDEFs instead of the codes being assigned to only the MH board. The list of new medical definitions was distributed with the POP agenda on 6/29/04 via email and will be placed on the MACSIS web site in the "Codes" area.

Contracts/Pricing Training

The MACSIS Support team will be conducting training on 7/8/04 to review building contracts. The class is currently full, but a second session will be held if enough additional board staff request training. Any board that has a specific problem or topic that should be covered can email the MACSIS Support desk with details so that the issue can be included in the training.

New Committee for Issue Resolution

The departments and the trade associations for boards and providers have established the MACSIS Operations Committee to review and resolve general system issues. It is composed of Don Anderson (ODMH), Carolyn Givens (ODADAS), Hugh Wirtz (Ohio Council), and Cheri Walters (Board Association). All provider and board issues should be submitted to the trade association representative for determination as to whether the issue is of statewide importance. The committee has not yet finalized the methods for disseminating the list of issues and resolutions since there are some legal ramifications. This committee has also discussed creating a subcommittee to resolve technical issues that will be composed of board, department, and provider representatives.

User Group Updates

Members:

J. Raab requested that all boards pay special attention during member span creation and maintenance so that "future" dates are not entered. Such spans will be deleted on a

weekly basis since they interfere with the nightly update. Boards should be aware that when a span is deleted, the previous span remains open, meaning that for transfers between boards, the previous board will maintain responsibility for all claims. John will notify boards of this activity so that the correct information can be entered to ensure proper adjudication of claims.

Claims:

L. Daniele reminded boards that the last claims EDI runs in the pre-HIPAA environment will be 7/4-7/7/04. After then, no HCFA 1500 files will be processed and Hublink will be turned off. Manual entry of claims can still occur until the system is closed on 9/30/04. Boards will continue to receive extracts and a final extract will be created after the system closes. Jp Martin reminded boards to visit their /claims/conversion/ subdirectory to make sure all FY 03 claims pulled from 837 files are processed. No HCFA 1500 conversion files will be created after next week.

BH Module

BH admission data for AoD providers is 54% complete, and the state total is now 52%.

J. Hughes reported that BH extracts will be available in mid-late July, and that the BH Data Mart is in the final design phase.

Boards requested that the BH data submission statistics on the web page be updated more frequently because these numbers are used in performance measures.

MIS

A meeting will be held on 8/31/04 in Columbus at the State Library. This is a new facility near downtown that has free parking and easy freeway access. Further information will be sent as the agenda is finalized.

Finance

No report.

Board Global Issues

None.

Next Meeting will be August 5th from 9-11am in Room 806A in the Rhodes State Office Tower. The call-in number is (614) 644-1098.