

**State of Ohio
MACSIS System Implementation
Project and Operations Planning Meeting
December 2, 2004**

MINUTES

Present: K. Cluggish, J. Hughes, J. Raab, J. Martin, J. Wiant, W. Hull, B. Cluggish, M. Herrel, J. Lynch, L. Daniele

Call In: R. Yeley, K. Taylor, B. Matthews, D. Landrum, Y. Quinn, D. Vargas, S. Kirschner, J. McIntosh, B. Miller, K. Schwarz, A. Loftin, K. McCann., P. Coates, H. Thomas, L. Clay, B. Heffner, M. Glanville, S. Baker, C. Muth, J. Dillon, D. Strawser, R. Beegan, J. Hill, P. Dehner, D. Dunn, C. Buck, J. McCluggage, N. Burns, E. Hood, P. Quinn

Special Topics:

HIPAA

W. Hull reported that there will be a national call-in on HIPAA privacy later this month. It will be a "listen-only" type of call, and the phone number and date will be sent out to POP soon.

User Group Updates

Members: None

Claims: None

BH Module:

Compliance (relative to claims submitted) is now at 62%. Two boards (Montgomery and EMV) have recently achieved 75% compliance and congratulations were extended. ODADAS has been receiving many requests for information and clarification from providers and vendors about the BH extract, so a reminder was issued by ODADAS that Boards need to work with providers and vendors. J. Wiant mentioned that Boards need to make sure of the quality of the BH data before using the information for MH decision-making. Boards were also reminded that they should be emphasizing increased participation in BH reporting for MH clients, and they need to evaluate their contracts with providers to make sure BH reporting is required.

MIS:

DAS has announced that they will go to a 28-day Unix password cycle instead of the current 56-day cycle, effective 1/3/2005. Information and more details will be provided when DAS sends the formal announcement. Note that this change does not affect Diamond passwords, only Unix sign-ons and FTP accounts.

Finance: None.

Board Global Issues

1. A question was asked about the Medicaid reversal report and whether the claim number could be added so that boards would know which claims they need to adjust with the provider. M. Herrel pointed out that these are claims that the board manually reversed, so the board has already recovered the money from the providers. It was also pointed out that the claim number is on the electronic file that is placed on mhhub.

2. A question was raised about ODADAS' DIP program. W. Hull emphasized that these services will not go through MACSIS, and that ODADAS is currently writing/testing software for providers to use to report these services. Boards should not be contracting with providers for DIP since ODADAS funds this program directly, not through the boards. Any questions about payment for DIP services should be directed to Terry Sheldon at ODADAS.
3. The December, 2004 holiday schedule was clarified. No Claims EDI runs will occur on 12/27-12/29, but all other activities will occur as usual including member, extracts and APUPD processing. On-line manual access to claims will not be affected.
4. A question was raised regarding the FAST\$\$ initiative. Since this is not a MACSIS issue, all questions should be referred to Dora Sterling sterlingd@mh.State.oh.us with a copy to Sharon Aungst aungsts@mh.State.oh.us. If they do not respond, the board should contact Judy Wortham Wortham-Wood@mh.State.oh.us. Boards will need to make sure that the affiliation code is entered into Diamond for these clients, since that will be the trigger for the departments to extract claims and BH data that will be sent to the evaluators. There are still some privacy issues about sharing claims and BH data with outside sources, and providers/boards should contact the Ohio Council and the Board Association for more information about the status of this.
5. A question was raised about the length of time that the PCS extract files remain on mhhub. J. Martin explained that these files are subject to the 30-day limit, as are all other files, so boards need to retrieve them in a timely manner. If a board is missing a report, the PCS Help Desk should be contacted (614/466-1496 or HelpDesk@mh.state.oh.us).

Next Meeting will be February 3, 2004 from 9-11am in Room 806A in the Rhodes State Office Tower. The call-in number is (614) 644-1098. **No meeting will be held in January, 2005.**