

DHCS Stakeholder Advisory Committee

Medi-Cal Tribal and Indian Health Program Designee Meeting

November 2, 2016

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Committee Purpose

- To provide DHCS with input on implementation efforts for the current 1115 Waiver, known as Medi-Cal 2020 as well as other relevant health care policy issues impacting the department

Committee Membership

- 32 SAC members are direct stakeholders and/or experts, including beneficiary advocacy organizations, and representatives of various Medi-Cal provider groups.

Members List
CA Medical Association
CA Dental Association
Disability Rights CA
CA Association of Public Hospitals
Western Center on Law & Poverty
CA State Association of Counties
CA Council of Mental Health Agencies
CA Community Health Centers/CPCA
CA Pan-Ethnic Health Network

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Quarterly Meetings: Chaired by Jennifer Kent, Director DHCS

Where: The California Endowment Conference Center
1414 K Street, Sacramento

Website:

<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/Pages/DHCSStakeholderAdvisoryCommittee.aspx>

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Whole Person Care Objective

- Support initiatives that coordinate and combine a wide range of clinical services and social supports for a defined population of high risk, high utilizing individuals
- Increase coordination and improve appropriate access to services

Current Status

- Approval letters were planned for the week of October 24th
 - Expect to include the majority of applicants
 - Funding begins January 2017
- Second round of WPC applications for pilot programs
 - Applications due March 1, 2017
 - Approvals planned for June 2017

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Other October 24th Agenda Items

➤ CMS Rules Impacting the Medi-Cal Program

➤ Medicaid Managed Care Mega Rule

➤ All Plan letters expected soon

➤ Civil Rights – Nondiscrimination Protections

➤ 45 CFR Part 92 - Implementing Section 1557 of ACA

➤ Prohibits discrimination based on race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability in health programs and activities that receive federal funds

➤ Builds upon other nondiscrimination laws, and provides new civil rights protection by prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sex in all health programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance

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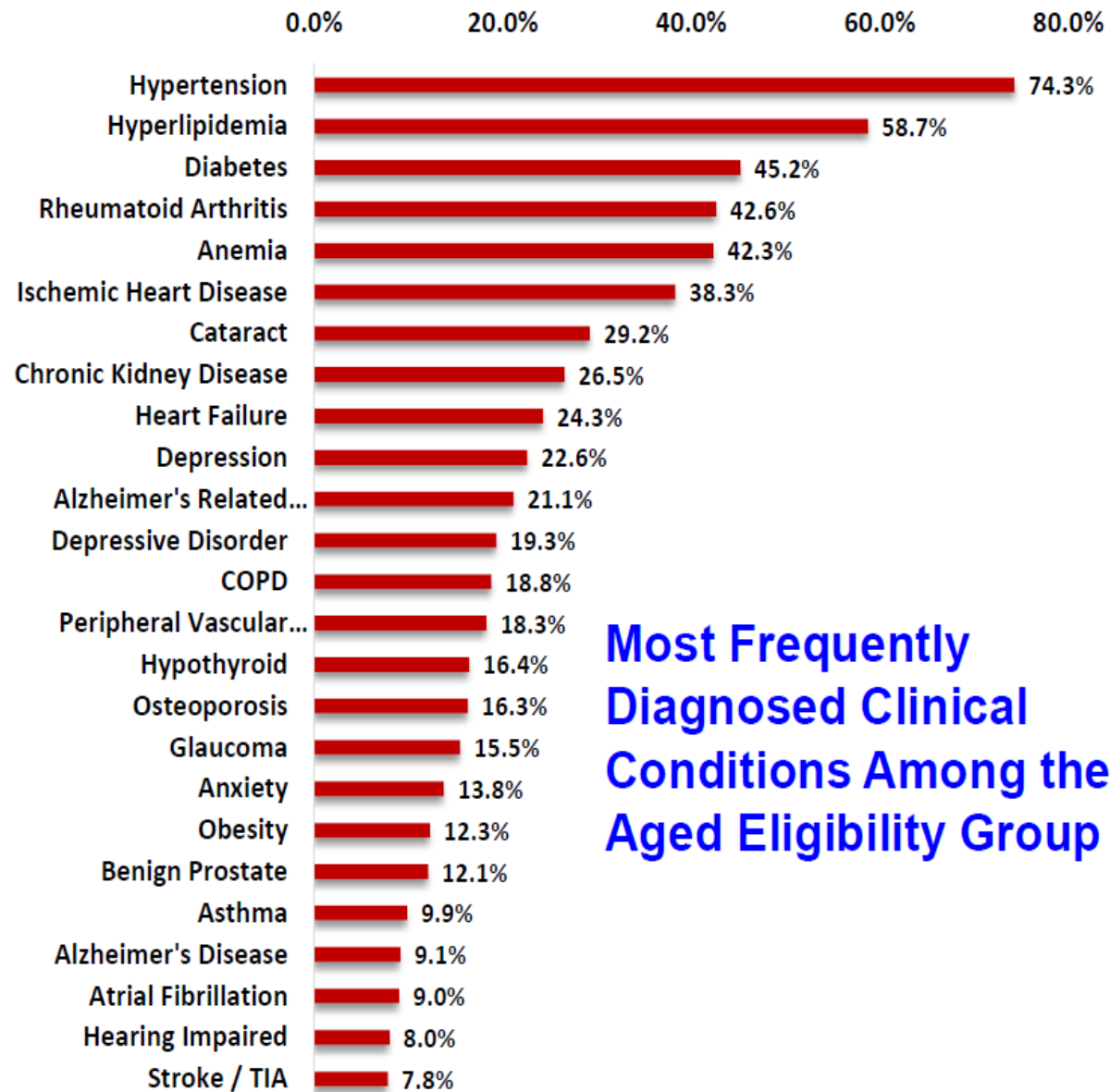
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- The Aging Population – A Medi-Cal Perspective
 - Medi-Cal covers 34% of all Californians, including 58% of the state's children, and 50% of all resident births
 - Federal contributions have increased sharply, and now account for 65% of Medi-Cal's budget
 - Changes in federal policy in response to budgetary pressures or economic downturns may introduce complex and difficult funding decisions in the future

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- The Aging Population – A Medi-Cal Perspective
 - Medi-Cal's low-Income population constituted 82% of the overall population, but accounted for only 30% of total spending
 - Medi-Cal's Disabled population constituted 10% of the overall Medi-Cal population and accounted for 35% of overall spending
 - Medi-Cal's Aged population represented 9% of the overall population, but accounted for 35% of total spending



Most Frequently Diagnosed Clinical Conditions Among the Aged Eligibility Group

Among the Aged eligibility group, the most frequently diagnosed clinical conditions include hypertension (74.3%), hyperlipidemia (58.7%), and diabetes (45.2%).

Alzheimer's and other related disorders were also prevalent among the population (21%).

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Other October 24th Agenda Items

- California's Child Welfare Continuum of Care Reform in Mental Health
 - Comprehensive reform of placement and treatment options for children in foster care
 - Limit congregate care to short-term, therapeutic interventions
 - Restructure rate system
 - Local collaboration between Child Welfare, Mental Health, Probation, and Education to provide integrated services

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2017 Meeting Schedule

- Thursday, February 16
- Wednesday, May 17
- Wednesday, July 19
- Wednesday, October 11

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- Open to the public