

FYI Fridays

Policy Guidance and DBH Updates

January 18, 2019

1. **Governor Parson's State of the State Address** – Governor Parson delivered his first State of the State address on Wednesday, January 16. He outlined his priorities moving forward which include workforce development and enhanced infrastructure. [Watch Governor Parson's State of the State message to State of Missouri team members](#). The DBH was appreciative of the support of Governor Parson and the additional dollars for behavioral health. Specifically to DBH, please note the following RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Governor recommended the following:

Community Operations

- 1.5% Provider Rate Increase
- CCBHC - \$24,468,496 in GR to continue service delivery provided by the current 15 CCBHCs participating in the CCBHC PPS Demonstration
- Recovery Supports – Additional \$1M in GR
- Medicaid Utilization Increase - \$16,156,878 (\$5,559,905 in GR) and UI restoration \$3,344,405 GR

DBH Inpatient and Administrative Operations

- SORTS Ward expansion at Fulton
- Additional authority for grants (Zero Suicide, MO Child Psychiatry Access Project, State Opioid Response)
- 3% Pay Plan for all State Employees
- Market Adjustment Pay Plan for certain job classes
- Increased Medication Costs – for contracted pharmacy and advanced practitioner services along with Hepatitis C medications.
- Increased Medical Care Costs – 3.3%
- Increased Food Costs – 2.0%
- Fulton Forensic Center Security Differential Cost-to-Continue

2. **Update on Administrative Rule Revisions** - The public comment period for proposed amendments to the DBH Core Rules ended January 17, 2019. One comment was received to change the time period for addressing urgent needs from within twenty-four (24) hours to within one (1) business day:

9 CSR 10-7.030 Service Delivery Process and Documentation,(1)(A) 2.

An urgent need is one that, if not addressed immediately, could result in the individual becoming a danger to self or others, or could cause a health risk. Appropriately qualified staff shall address urgent service needs within twenty-four (24) hours of the time the request was made.

The time period will be changed to: **within one (1) business day**. This comment and change will be included in the next publication of the rules in the *Missouri Register*.

Final Orders of Rulemaking, now published in the *Code of State Regulations* are listed below:
<https://www.sos.mo.gov/cmsimages/adrules/csr/current/9csr/9c30-3.pdf>

**SATOP
Prevention
Gambling Disorder Treatment**

An amendment will be filed in the near future to change the SATOP name to the current title, Substance Awareness Traffic Offender Program.

3. **Coalition Medical Directors' Meeting** – The next meeting of the Coalition Medical Directors is **Monday, January 28**. The morning session is a joint meeting with the FQHC medical director's from the Missouri Primary Care Association. Please RSVP your attendance using the following link: <https://katiehorst.wufoo.com/forms/mtky17s1vma0p3/>

Agenda:

9:45 Welcome and Introductions

10:00 **Opening Doors and Creating Momentum through Partnerships in Primary Care and Behavioral Health** - Dr. Joe Parks, National Council for Behavioral Health

10:45 **National Perspective on 42 CFR** - Dr. Joe Parks

11:00 Interactive Discussion | **Opioid Management and MAT Options in Missouri** - Dr. Angeline Stanislaus, DMH

11:45 **Show-Me ECHO and MO Kidney Program Update** - Dr. Karen Edison and Laurie Hines, Missouri Telehealth Network

12:00 Networking Lunch

12:45 **Medical Director Committee Breakouts**

2:30 Adjourn

4. **2019 Director's Creativity Showcase** - The Missouri Mental Health Foundation (MMHF), in collaboration with the Missouri Department of Mental Health, are sponsoring the **2019 Director's Creativity Showcase**. The showcase helps to acquaint the general public with the talents of the people it serves. These are individuals receiving services through the Missouri Department of Mental Health living with mental illness, developmental disabilities, and substance use disorders. The artwork created is not only for the Showcase, but is sometimes used as a means of therapy. This therapy provides an outlet for the artist to express his or her feelings – feelings they may not be able to verbally communicate. The art show also has encouraged people to try something they may previously have never considered possible, only to find they have a true creative talent.

Guidelines, entry form, release form, timeline of activities and the artwork collection sites for the Showcase are on the MMHF website: http://www.missourimhf.org/?page_id=3351

DEADLINE: *Artwork must be received in Jefferson City by Friday, January 25, 2019.*

Cash awards are provided to the top five artwork pieces in each of the three categories: **Substance Use Disorders, Mental Illness, and Developmental Disabilities**. In addition, a “self-proclaimed” **professional category** is included and a cash award is provided to the “Best of Show”. For the “Photography” category, awards will be provided for the top three entries. *Please refer to the 2019 Eligibility Guidelines for more information.*

If you have any questions or additional information is needed, please contact Rachelle Masters or Patty Henry, MMHF, at (573) 635-9201 or mmhf@missourimhf.org.

5. **MHD Pharmacy Manual Updates** - Updates have been made to the following sections of the [Pharmacy Manual](#):

- Section 12.2 Incorporated the December 16, 2018 reimbursement methodology change.
- Section 12.5 Incorporated the December 16, 2018 reimbursement methodology change for 340B providers.
- Section 13.2 Updated the link for drugs and categories of drugs that are excluded from coverage.
- Section 13.9.A(1) Added vaccinations to the list of exceptions to the shared pharmacy dispensing fee.

Provider manuals may be accessed at the following link: <http://manuals.momed.com/manuals/>.

6. **Next Region 7 Recovery Stakeholders Learning Community** – You are encouraged to join the Missouri Recovery Network (MRN) and Mid-America Addiction Technology Transfer Center (ATTC) on January 31, 12:30 to 1:30 pm for a presentation on ***Recovery Housing Quality Standards and the Accreditation Process: A Missouri Perspective on a National Movement***. Presenters will be Scott Johnston from the Missouri Coalition of Recovery Support and Bobbi Jo Reed from Healing House, Inc. This is a free monthly Learning Community, providing a networking bridge for recovery stakeholders within the four states of Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, and Nebraska. The purpose is to allow the sharing of innovative ideas, successful advocacy efforts, available federal grants and other funding opportunities, as well as enable recovery stakeholders to get to know each other.

These monthly meetings will be conducted using ZOOM, which allows participants to join via computer or mobile device. During each on-hour session there will be a presentation by a guest speaker followed by Q&A and discussion. [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Training Opportunities and Resources

1. **Bupe Waiver Training, Fully On-Line!** - PCSS has just approved a **fully online 8-hour** course to obtain the buprenorphine waiver! PCSS courses remain FREE for all who participate. Plus our STR/SOR teams are available to provide consultation and support throughout the process of obtaining and -- most importantly -- **using** your waiver in your practice. <https://learning.pcssnow.org/p/onlinematwaiver>
2. **Teen Treatments and Perspectives in Opioid Use Disorders** - DMH, in partnership with the University of Missouri, St. Louis - Missouri Institute for Mental Health (MIMH) and the Missouri

Coalition for Community Behavioral Healthcare, is providing this free webinar as part of Missouri's State Targeted Response to the Opioid Crisis (Opioid STR) grant. **Tuesday, January 22, 2019 | 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.** CST. Speaker: Paul Glaser, MD, PhD – Washington University School of Medicine. This webinar will explore the scope of teen Opioid Use Disorders and impacts in Missouri. It will look at how treatments have changed over time and what is currently available for teens with substance use disorders. Teen perspectives on opioid use will be considered. PLEASE REGISTER: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6802190652695316483>

3. **Peer Specialist Supervision Training** - The MCB will be offering the following Certified Peer Specialist Supervision Training. This training is free and lunch is provided. The training location and date is **Thursday, February 21, 2019**, in Jefferson City. [Click Here for February Peer Supervision Registration Form](#) If you have any questions, please contact MCB at 573-616-2300 or help@missouricb.com.
4. **2nd Annual MHA Opioid Summit: Addressing Perinatal and Neonatal Clinical Care Issues - Wednesday, February 27** at the Courtyard by Marriott in Blue Springs. This Opioid Summit is for providers that need evidence-based guidance for treatment of perinatal women with substance use disorder and the treatment of neonates dependent on controlled substances. Connect and network with community social service providers to improve and sustain coordinated care. Learn from national and state leaders who have data to demonstrate successful interventions. [Learn more.](#)
5. **Missouri Alliance for Dual Diagnosis (MOADD) Summit** – MOADD is presenting “Guiding Principles for Best Practice with Dual Diagnosis (Behavioral Health and Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities,” on **March 5, 2019**. The Keynote speaker for this event is Dr. John Constantino. Speakers will include staff from The Thompson Center for Autism BJC Behavioral Health, Optimistic Beginnings, and Burrell Behavioral Health ACT-TAY. This one-day conference will be held at the Hampton Inn and Suites in Columbia. There is no cost for registration, but space is limited! Registration link: <http://www.event.com/d/gbqqq9>.
6. **5th Annual MO CIT Conference** - The *Missouri Crisis Intervention Team (MO CIT) Council* would like to invite you to attend the 2019 5th Annual Missouri Crisis Intervention Team (MO CIT) Conference on **March 18-19, 2019!** Registration is now open and it is only \$50 per person. The conference will be at the Holiday Inn Executive Center at 2200 Interstate 70 Dr. SW, Columbia. We hope to see you there!
7. **MATCP Annual Conference** - The MO Association of Treatment Courts Professionals (MATCP) annual conference will be held **March 27-29, 2019**, at the Hilton Convention Center in Branson. Get more info and register at <https://www.motreatmentcourts.org/view-calendar?id=25>.

Look for updates on different topics/initiatives next Friday!