

Behavioral Health Partnership Oversight Council Operations Committee

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> Chair: Heather Gates Meeting Agenda Friday, May 3, 2024 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Via ZOOM

- 1. 1115 Waiver Updates
 - a. Status of certification process as we near the end of the twoyear phase in of the standards.
 - b. Audit of providers to the standards going forward. If we have vacancies in required positions that are hard to fill will we be expected to pay back money to DSS as a result for example.
 - c. Ongoing rate setting process and frequency of changes, particularly in light of DMHAS removing a % of the grant funding. Providers need some certainty regarding revenue sources.
 - d. New levels of care and the process for approval What financial resources will be available?
- 2. Status Report on the JI Waiver and Next Steps
- 3. Outpatient Rates and ECC Standards
 - a. Is it reasonable to expect providers to meet the ECC standards when it is clear the rates do not support the cost of services?
 - b. Proposed rate increases from initial appropriation
 - c. Next steps for additional rate increases
- 4. CCBHC Planning Grant Application
- 5. New Business and Announcements/Adjournment

Next Meeting: July 5, 2024 @ 2:30 PM via ZOOM