

Maryland's New All-Payer Model Phase 2 of Implementation Planning, Public Engagement, Monitoring, and Infrastructure

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HSCRC Model Implementation Timeline

Phase 1 (to 6/30/14) Phase 2 (7/1/14 – 3/30/15)

Phase 3 (4/1/15 – 3/30/16)

Phase 4 (2016-Beyond)

Bring hospitals onto global revenue budgets	Identify, monitor, and address clinical and cost improvement opportunities	Implement additional population-based and patient centered approaches	Develop proposal to focus on the broader health system beyond 2018
Begin public input process: advisory council and work groups	 Enhance models, monitoring and infrastructure Formalize partnerships for engagement and improvement 	 Evolve alignment models and payment approaches Increase focus on total cost of care 	Secure resources, and bring together all stakeholders to develop approach

HSCRC Regulatory Activities: Phase 2

- Develop or adopt performance measures
- Measure clinical and financial performance
- Set rates and revenues
- Refine revenue models, especially market share and shifts to non-regulated settings
- Measure and assure compliance with CMS agreement
- Secure necessary staff and resources
- Create necessary data flows and infrastructure

HSCRC Partnerships: Activities for Phase 2

- Clinical & Cost Improvement: Support selected strategies for reducing potentially avoidable utilization, practice and cost variation, and supporting high needs patients
- Physician and Other Provider Participation: Support development and implementation of alignment/engagement models
- Consumer Participation: Support consumer engagement and skill development

HSCRC Partnership Activities

- HSCRC does not have the statutory authority to require these activities.
- These partnership activities are, however, vital to HSCRC's success with the New All-Payer Model.
- HSCRC can serve as a catalyst, convener, and partner along with other State agencies and stakeholders.
 - Promote opportunities to improve care and lower cost
 - Address enablers and barriers
 - Increase communication
 - Reward those who achieve program goals

Phase 2: Public Engagement Approach



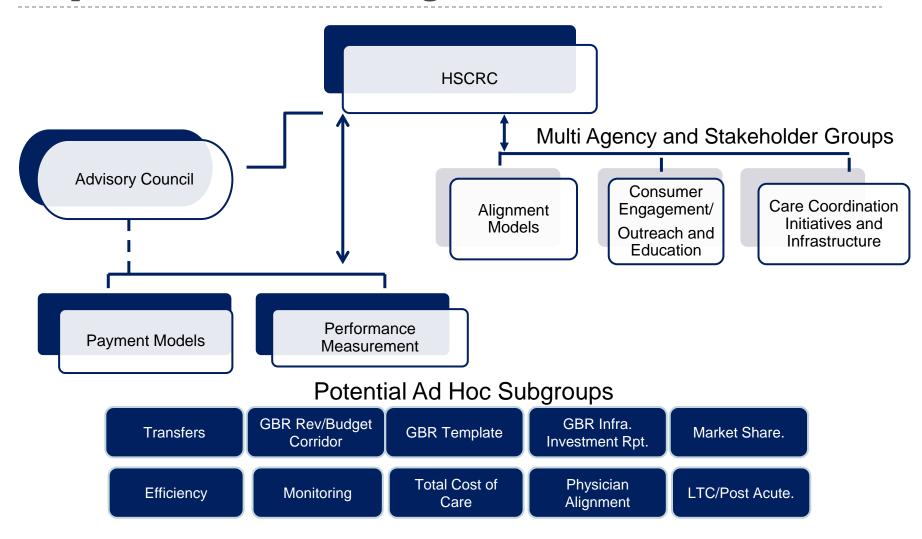
Current Process, Looking Forward

- For the short term, aggressive work plans were needed to meet deliverable schedule
- Looking ahead:
 - Work plan may require different configuration of workgroups
 - Opportunity to engage stakeholders to lead different initiatives
 - Less frequent meetings would allow more time for analysis and review between meetings
 - More focus on outreach and education about new model
 - Ad hoc subgroups effective in engaging stakeholders in development of implementation plans
 - Advisory Council input must be timed to support broad
- ⁷ input

Role of Advisory Council and Workgroups

- Purpose of Advisory Council and Workgroups is to encourage broad input from informed stakeholders
- Commission decision making is better informed with robust input from stakeholders
- Advisory Council and Workgroups identify areas where there is consensus as well as areas where there are differences of opinion
- Non-voting groups

Implementation Planning Structure – Mid-Term



Work Groups for Phase 2

- The workgroups are designed to address several of the identified needs.
- The Performance Measurement and Care Coordination work groups will focus on clinical improvement and monitoring
- The Alignment Models and Consumer work groups will focus on outreach and engagement and alignment of consumers, providers, and payers
- The Payment Models will focus on continued development of payment policies and tools under the new model
- Subgroups are an effective strategy to address more technical topics and coordination among groups

Work Group Process for Phase 2

- Data and infrastructure addressed in all groups
 - Membership invited to participate as appropriate
- Some topics require interagency and stakeholder leadership
 - with HSCRC participation
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HSCRC - Workgroup Descriptions Phase 2

Payment Models

- **Transfers**
- Market Share
- Guardrails
- Gain Sharing and Shared Savings
- Post-acute Bundled Payment
- Capital Policy
- 2016 UCC Policy
- **Evolution of Model**
- **Regional Collaboration**
- **Bundled Payments**

Performance Measurement

- Monitoring
- Updates: QBR and MHAC, Readmissions RY 17 revisions
- **Efficiency Measures** FY 2016
- PAU Ambulatory Care
- New Measure Development
- Risk Adjusted Readmissions

Ad Hoc Subgroups

- Total Cost of Care
- Possible new groups:
 - Market Share/Transfers
 - Guardrails
 - **GBR** Corridors
 - **GBR** Reporting templates
 - **GBR** Infrastructure Allowance Reporting
 - Efficiency
 - Monitoring
 - Others TBD

Multi Agency and Stakeholder Workgroups Phase 2

Care Coordination Initiatives and Infrastructure

- Clinical improvement opportunities
- Opportunities to leverage
 Medicare data for predictive
 modeling and care coordination
- Relationship to Alignment Strategies
- Resource approaches (e.g. call center, community case management, care plans)
- Relationship to Community Resources/Other Initiatives/Payer Initiatives
- Data and Infrastructure Needed

Alignment Models

- Monitor and advise on work plan for Physician Alignment and Engagement Report
- ▶ LTC/Post Acute Alignment
- Coordination among different stakeholder efforts
- Payer engagement & Alignment
- Provider Outreach & Education

Consumer Engagement

- Consumer education
- Consumer protections
- Engagement in Care Improvement
- Engagement in Health Improvement

High Level Work Plan for Work Groups

Summer – Early Fall 2014

- Transfers
- Market Share
- Guardrails
- GBR Budget Revenue/Volume **Corridors**
- GBR Infrastructure **Investment Reporting**
- GBR Reporting **Template**
- Care Coordination **Opportunities**
- Industry educ. Alignment options
- Consumer Outreach Plan

Fall – Winter 2014

- Efficiency
- Risk Adjusted Readmissions
- PAU Ambulatory
- Updates to Current Perf. Measure **Policies**
- Care Coordination recommendations
- Medicare data access
- Provider outreach and education
- Alignment Options development
- Consumer Engagement Strategy

Jan - March 2015

- Capital Policy
- Evolve alignment models and payment approaches
- LTC/Post Acute

April - June 2015

- FY 16 UCC
- New performance measure development

Appendix: Workgroup Accomplishments to date



Public Engagement Process Accomplishments

- Engaged broad set of stakeholders in HSCRC policy making and implementation of new model
 - Advisory Council, 4 workgroups and 6 subgroups
 - ▶ 100+ appointees
 - Consumers, Employers, Providers, Payers, Hospitals
- Established processes for transparency and openness
 - Diverse membership
 - Educational phase of process
 - ▶ Call for Technical White Papers 18 Shared Publically
 - Access to information
 - Opportunity for comment

Workgroup Products (as of 7/1/14)

Payment Model

- **UCC Policy Recommendations**
- Update Factors Recommendation for FY 2015
- Readmission Shared Savings Recommendation for FY 2015
- Balanced Update and Short-Term Adjustments
- Review of Global Budget Contracts

Performance Measurement

- Maryland Hospital Acquired Conditions
- Readmissions
- **Draft Efficiency Report**
- Strategy Population-Based Patient-Centered Report (includes Hospital Dashboard)

Data and Infrastructure

- Data Requirements for Monitoring All-Payer Model
- Data Infrastructure to Support Care Coordination

Physician Alignment and Engagement

Current Physician Payment Models and Recommendations for Physician Alignment Strategies under the All-Payer Model