## **Medicaid Advisory Committee**

November 20, 2024



## SMI/SUD 1115 Waiver Renewal: Public Hearing and Comment Period



#### SUD / SMI 1115 Waiver Renewal Public Comment

- Request 5-year renewal of Substance Use Disorder (SUD) / Serious Mental Illness (SMI)
  1115 waiver to continue providing inpatient coverage for individuals with SUD and SMI
  diagnoses in an Institution for Mental Disease (IMD) setting. Current waiver authorized
  through December 31, 2025.
- Request new authority for Former Foster Care Youth to provide coverage for Indiana residents who are former foster care youth under age 26 who turned 18 years of age before January 1, 2023, and were in foster care under the responsibility of another state when they turned 18 and were enrolled in Medicaid at that time.
- Full documentation is available at <a href="https://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/newsroom/public-notices/">https://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/newsroom/public-notices/</a>

## Opportunities for Waiver Renewal Public Comment

#### **Public Hearings:**

Friday, November 15, 2024 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. EST Indiana State Government Center South, Conference Room 1 – Wabash Hall 302 West Washington St. Indianapolis, IN 46204

Wednesday, November 20, 2024 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. EST Medicaid Advisory Committee Indiana State Library, Reference Room 211 315 West Ohio St. Indianapolis, IN 46202

#### Via mail:

Family and Social Services Administration Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning ATTN: Madison May Gruthusen 402 W. Washington St., W374 Indianapolis, IN 46204-7083

#### Via email:

INMedicaidGA@fssa.IN.gov Please include "SUD/SMI 1115 Extension" in the subject line

### 988 and Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics

Resources for Individuals with Behavioral Health Needs

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Division of Mental Health and Addiction

## What is CCBHC?

As directed by SEA1 (2023), DMHA is expanding the Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) model statewide to transform the current behavioral health system. CCBHCs are specially-designated clinics that provide a comprehensive range of mental health & substance use services.



#### The CCBHC model is a proven outpatient model that:

- Ensures access to integrated services including 24/7 crisis response and medication-assisted treatment
- Meets strict criteria regarding access, quality reporting, staffing, and coordination with social services, justice, and education systems
- Receives funding to support the real costs of expanding services to fully meet the need for communities

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## WHO can access CCBHC services?

- Anyone who requests care for mental health or substance use
- Accessible regardless of one's ability to pay, place of residence, or age
  - Includes
     developmentally
     appropriate care for
     children and youth

#### **Nine Core Services**



**Crisis Services** 



Screening, Diagnosis, & Risk Assessment



Psychiatric Rehabilitation Services



Outpatient Primary Care Screening & Monitoring



**Targeted Case Management** 



Peer, Family Support, & Counselor Services



Community-Based Mental Health Care for Veterans



Person- & Family- Centered Treatment Planning



Outpatient Mental Health & Substance Use Services



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## **Current BH System** → Future CCBHC State

Indiana's Behavioral Health (BH) system is ready to transform to the future state, with the CCBHC framework as the backbone.

Structural barriers and practices keep care siloed and leads to disparate service provision



Established standards for integrated and coordinated care



Fee-for service drives quantity, so programs are designed by what is billable



Prospective payments can be tied to outcomes & quality, so programs are designed to meet needs



Staff turnover is high due to low pay



Better salaries achievable through prospective payment system (PPS)





## **Transforming Reimbursement Structure**

The current CMHC system is funded through many siloed sources, resulting in an rigid system that is confusing to navigate. The CCBHC model streamlines the reimbursement structure with a clinic-specific Medicaid Prospective Payment System (PPS) Rate.

## Current State CMHC Funding & Reimbursement

Federal Block Grants

**Provider Contracts** 

Misc. Grants + Donations

MRO (Estimated Match -Reconciliation Payments) **County Dollars** 

Net Patient Service Revenue (Medicaid)



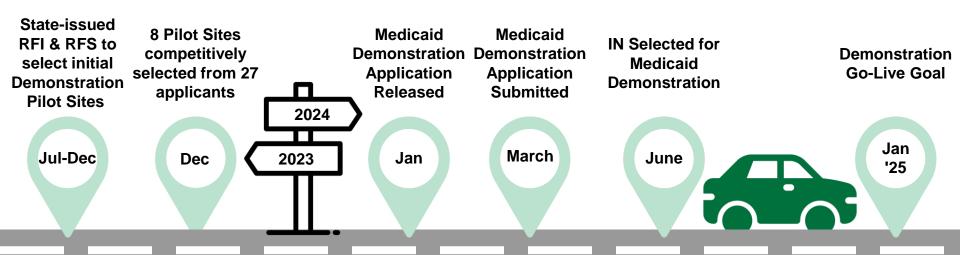
## Future State CCBHC Reimbursement

#### **PPS-1 Daily Rate**

- PPS-1 is a single fixed, bundled daily rate for each qualifying patient visit for all covered services and supplies
- Providers can fully encompass their costs,
   streamlining the support provided by the State
- Incentivizes whole-person, integrated care



## Road to the Medicaid Demonstration Program



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## **CCBHC Demonstration**

Competitively Selected Demonstration Pilot CCBHC Service Areas



Eskenazi Health

Centerstone

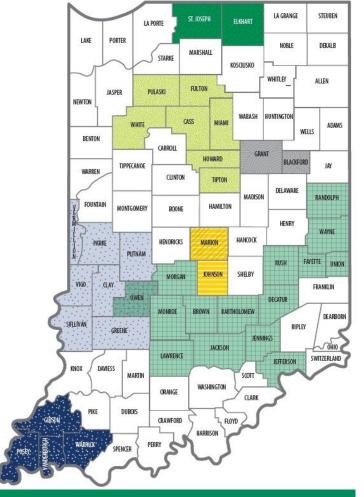
Oaklawn

Grant Blackford/ Radiant Health

Adult and Child

4C Health

:: Hamilton Center





#### Indiana's CCBHC Demonstration Goals

21 State/clinic-collected quality metrics will be tracked for the entire Demonstration. Service utilization mix and 4 priority metrics are identified as key objectives to measure the success of Indiana's Demonstration.

## Goals



Specific incremental targets will be set to measure success or need for improvement:

Indiana's CCBHC Demonstration Goals					
Goal	DY1	DY2			
Service Mix	Developing targets	Developing targets			
Timeliness of Access	20 days between first contact and initial clinical service	17 days between first contact and initial clinical service			
SDOH Screening	80% clients screened for SDOH	85% clients screened for SDOH			
SUD Treatment Initiation	41.35% of Medicaid beneficiaries initiate treatment within 14 days	42.57% of Medicaid beneficiaries initiate treatment within 14 days			
Access to Crisis Services	<b>4700+ individuals</b> served by MCT/CRSS	<b>4900+ individuals</b> served by MCT/CRSS			

### **Data**



Key metrics will be monitored throughout the demonstration:

- Services organized by core service type
- Fiscal data
- Additional categories such as: transportation, education, and prevention

**Sources:** Data Assessment Registry Mental Health and Addiction (DARMHA) and **Medicaid Claims** 



## Indiana's Crisis Response System

988 is the national three-digit dialing code for reaching The Suicide & Crisis Lifeline. Since going live in July 2022, Indiana has made significant progress in using 988 to develop a **comprehensive 988 Crisis Response System**.

## Pillar 1: Someone to Contact



A collaborative network of 988 centers responds to every call, chat, and text in a standardized and trauma- informed manner to resolve crises

## Pillar 2: Someone to Respond



Mobile Crisis Teams (MCTs) are stationed across Indiana, ready to be dispatched by 988 Call Centers for individuals who need in-person support

#### Pillar 3: Somewhere to Go



Crisis Stabilization Units (CSUs) across the State are open to receive individuals whose crises cannot be resolved over the phone or by an MCT



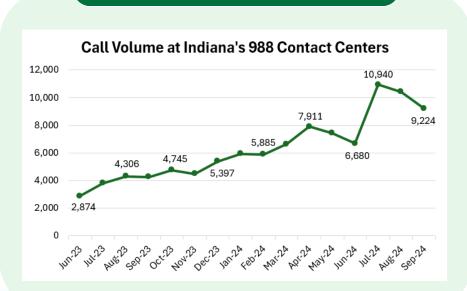
The Crisis Response Pillars, an **integral part of the future state of CCBHC**, are the most costly and underdeveloped portion of CCBHC. They are in need of the most direct to provider funding support during the transition to CCBHC.



## Indiana's Progress on Pillar 1

Indiana has worked diligently to become a leader in the crisis space, with the 988 Contact Centers boasting an **all-time 95.7% answer rate** in spite of a continuously growing call volume. This answer rate puts Indiana in the **top 10 in the nation.** 

#### Someone to Call Successes



#### What's next:

Integration with Other Crisis Providers



911 + First Responders

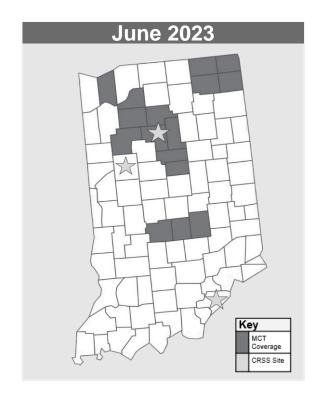
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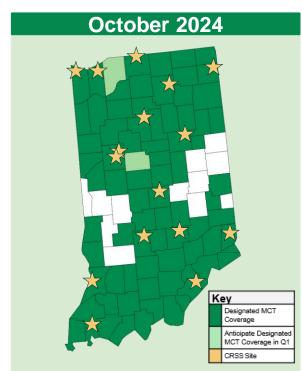
**Community Stakeholders** 

Other Crisis Providers



## Indiana's Progress on Pillars 2 and 3







## **Future of CCBHC and Crisis Response**

The **future state** of the behavioral health landscape connects the 988 and CCBHC systems, to **strengthen and expand services for all Hoosiers.** 

#### **Future CCBHC System**

- → Primary model of behavioral health care statewide
- → Majority of MCTs and CRSS
  (Pillar 2 & 3) will be provided by
  CCBHCs and paid for by
  CCBHC Medicaid PPS rates



#### **Future 988 Crisis System**

- →Integrates with CCBHC and other systems
- → Call Centers (Pillar 1) funded via State & federal appropriations
- → MCTs and CRSS (Pillar 2 & 3) not affiliated with CCBHCs funded via Medicaid Fee-for-Service or other appropriations

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# Medicaid Advisory Committee Meeting November 20, 2024

## Indiana PathWays for Aging Overview

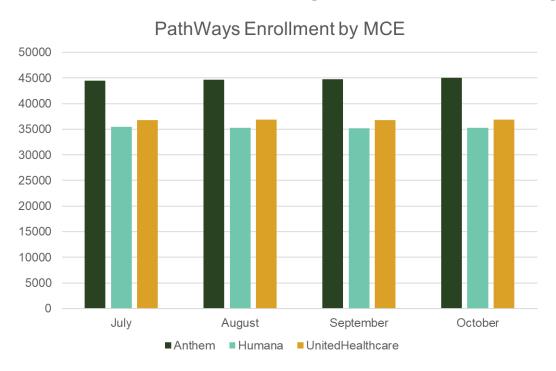


- PathWays for Aging is a delivery system that uses managed care entities (MCEs) to coordinate medical care and long-term services and supports (LTSS) to enrolled Medicaid beneficiaries
- This program is for Medicaid-eligible Hoosiers ages 60+
- Members are now enrolled in and receive health coverage through a PathWays health plan
  - Anthem, Humana, or UnitedHealthcare
- MCEs participating in PathWays provide health coverage for acute and preventive care services as well as Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) and Nursing Facility (NF) services





Total PathWays enrollment is 117K as of October 2024, with Anthem covering 38% of members, UnitedHealthcare covering 31%, and Humana covering 30%.







- OMPP receives weekly MCE claims payment reporting by provider type on claims adjudication timeliness, payment and denial rates, and frequent denial reasons.
- The OMPP MCE Provider Workgroup and Claims Advisory
  Committee continue to closely monitor claims payment activity
  and provide forums for identification of provider training and
  education needs as well as MCE system updates.
- MCEs have established regular meetings with many provider associations to continue issue escalation.

## Temporary Timely Filing Waiver



- OMPP directed MCEs for the PathWays program to continue to waive timely filing requirements until **December 31, 2024,** previously October 31, 2024.
- This only applies to claims submitted for PathWays members.
- Any PathWays provider that has outstanding claims for submission or resubmission can do so without timely filing requirements causing claim denials.
- All other claim submission requirements apply. The timely filing waiver ends December 31, 2024.
- For additional information please refer to the IHCP bulletin: <u>BT2024175</u>

## PathWays Claims Payment Data (Aug 19-Nov 1)



	Anthem		Humana		UHC	
Clean Claims Received	Facility	Professional	Facility	Professional	Facility	Professional
Electronic	73,124	354,894	100,718	414,214	59,341	199,302
Paper	31,020	79,910	2,428	12,445	147	2,146
Total Received	104,144	434,804	103,146	426,659	59,488	201,448
Paid	94,075	435,788	96,133	376,926	76,958	227,459
Denied	13,501	50,900	7,435	102,988	13,875	8,617
Percent of Adjudicated Claims Paid	87.45%	89.54%	92.82%	78.54%	84.72%	96.35%
Claims Paid With Interest						
Total Number of Claims Paid With Interest	5,360	4,904	1,258	11,614	4,140	2,282
Total Dollar Amount of Interest Paid	\$10,924	\$5,894	\$1,026	\$3,276	\$4,352	\$1,624
Percentage of Claims Adjudicated within 21 days of Receipt, by Claim Type	78.26%	97.48%	99.25%	99.43%	99.25%	99.66%

## Temporary Emergency Financial Assistance Program



There has been a downward trend in applications for financial assistance. To date, we have received 275 applications. As a reminder, the Temporary Emergency Financial Assistance Program will be ending on **January 31, 2025.** 

#### TEFAP closures are taking place when:

- The provider and the MCE have already resolved the underlying issue
- Denied claims are currently being re-processed because of state-directed flexibilities
- Insufficient information included in the application to determine whether a financial emergency exists
- Duplicative application

#### Common TEFAP application denial reasons include:

- Provider did not complete claims testing
- Underlying statutory criteria not met, e.g. claims are not in excess of \$25K
- No claims have been submitted by the provider

## Member Support Services Overview



- Members, member advocates, and caregivers have access to the independent Member Supports Services (MSS)
- MSS provides direct assistance in navigating PathWays coverage and helps to resolve any issues that members may experience
  - Educating members on managed care and how to access services
  - Assisting members experiencing issues accessing care
  - Ensuring member voice is being upheld in person-centered planning, and care and service coordination
  - Support navigating issues with MCEs or providers
  - Education on the Grievance and Appeals processes

## Member Support Services Information



#### Top call reasons include:

- Care and service coordination
- Benefits and Access to Benefits
- General Questions and Inquiries
- Eligibility Questions
- Health Coverage

MSS resolution involves an escalation process with MCEs and referrals to outside community partners (211, Area Agency on Aging, DFR).

- MCE escalations are resolved within 2-3 days
- MSS follows up directly with all members to ensure there is a close loop process

MSS and the MCEs have ongoing touchpoints to stay connected.

Members may contact MSS by:

Phone: 877-738-3511 (Mon. - Fri. 8 am – 8 pm ET)

Email: indianapathwaysmss@maximus.com

More information available at: <u>indianapathwaysmss.com</u>

## Waiver Waiting List Updates



In July, FSSA began inviting individuals off the PathWays and Health & Wellness waiting lists and will continue inviting individuals monthly as slot capacity permits. November invites have been sent.

\*This number changes on an ongoing basis as individuals are added to the waiting list

PathWays for Aging Waiver (age 60+)	1,500	Invitations for month of November			
	5,343	Total Number of individuals invited off the waiting list (as of Nov. 2024)			
	8,923	Number of Individuals on the waiting list* (as of Nov. 18, 2024)			
	4/1/24	Last Original Level of Care date invited			
	39,842	Total Number of CMS approved slots July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025			
Health and Wellness Waiver (age 59 and under)	500	Invitations for month of November			
	1,395	Total Number of individuals invited off the waiting list (as of Nov. 202			
	4,709	Number of Individuals on the waiting list* (as of Nov. 13, 2024)			
	2/13/24	Last Original Level of Care date invited			
	16,127	Total Number of CMS approved slots July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025			







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#### Care and Service Coordination Update

- Care and Service Coordinators connect with members to complete assessments and update service plans.
- Outreach has initially focused on PathWays members
  receiving home and community-based services (HCBS),
  particularly those transitioning from a nursing facility, new to
  the waiver, or have an expiring Level of Care.
- Health Coaches connect with members to provide support on their wellness journeys.
- Caregiver Guides provide 1:1 support, guidance, community referral, and advocacy to informal caregivers regardless of a member's Level of Care.



#### Member Support and Outreach Information

- During initial outreach, telephone, and in-person contacts, the Coordinators share their direct contact information.
- Coordinator contact information is also available via:
  - Member Care Plan
  - Sydney Health App for Members
  - Member Services 833-312-4405 (TTY 711)

If a member wishes to contact their coordinator and is unsure how to reach them, we encourage the member to contact Member Services at:

833-312-4405 (TTY 711)

#### Partnership Experience

All coordinators are trained on the 4Ms of geriatric care:

- Mentation
- Mobility
- Medication
- What Matters Most.

This focused approach helps to identify often unrecognized or underrecognized geriatric syndromes that impact care.

In working with CICOA Aging & In Home Solutions, Anthem has provided dementia training to all coordinators through Dementia Friends Indiana (DFI).

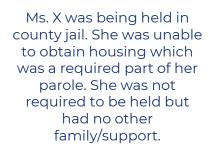




#### Member Experience

The team recognized she had a cognitive impairment. Working with her parole board, we connected her with a geriatric clinic where she was diagnosed with dementia.

The coordinator contacted 12 facilities to have Ms. X evaluated for placement, facilitated visits between the parties and ensured the appropriate paperwork was available for discharge.



The team worked with the Center for At Risk Elders to have a court appointed guardian put in place quickly.





Despite multiple barriers, a facility was located for Ms. X. She was transferred safely to her new home where she is receiving the care she needs

#### Provider Support, Education, and Outreach

- Every provider has an assigned Provider Representative to provide individual support through:
  - Office visits
  - Virtual webinar meetings
  - Phone calls
- Office Hours
  - Alternating between HCBS Waiver providers and Skilled Nursing Facilities
  - Opportunity to share important updates and forum for Q&A with providers
  - Meeting minutes are sent to providers following the office hours



- Monthly Webinar Training
  - Focused training on a range of topics
  - Topics include: Provider Onboarding, Care Central, Availity, and Waiver Benefits.
- Individual Meetings with Provider Associations
- Participating in the Claims Advisory Workgroup
- Joint presentations with PathWays MCEs



## Provider Representative Territory Map

For ease of locating their assigned Provider Representative, providers are provided with a copy of a territory map.

Provider Services Line: 833-569-4739

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## Indiana PathWays for Aging Network Relations Specialists

Home- and Community-Based Services, Home Health/Personal Care Attendant

\* Excluding HCBS providers that provide Assisted Living, Adult Day and Adult Family Care



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#### Provider Experience



An HCBS Waiver Provider initially was not able to successfully submit claims.

- Our Provider Representative contacted the provider by phone to walk through the provider portal. The Provider Representative worked with the provider to resubmit the claims
- After this initial session, the provider's claims were all paid.

The provider frequently reaches out to the Provider Representative to check in and even invited them to an open house hosted by the provider.

The provider appreciated the follow up and attention to detail.

Questions?

Thank you!





# Indiana PathWays Medicaid Advisory Committee Update

November 2024

## **Introduction to Humana**

Humana is focused on ensuring PathWays members get the services they need, while providing them choice in their caretakers, providers and location of care and service.

We have dedicated Care and Service Coordination teams to assess each member individually to help them realize their goals and live happy, healthy lives.

# **Member Experience**

Ms. G is a 93-year-old woman with diabetes, kidney disease, Alzheimer's and cardiac arrhythmia. When traveling out of State to Michigan to visit family, she faced difficult respiratory issues leading to intubation and a tracheostomy. The Humana care team coordinated throughout day and night across State lines to coordinate her care and discharge, including securing transportation back to Indiana. We successfully found her a Nursing Facility that could provide the rehabilitative therapy and care she required close to her family.

# **Care and Service Coordination**

# Journey of a Humana HCBS Waiver Member

### Health Needs Screening (HNS)

Provides a high-level look at each member's physical and mental health needs.

#### CHAT



The Conversational
Health Literacy
Assessment Tool (CHAT)
is a series of ten openended questions across
five domains used
conversationally in the
member assessment
process.

# Person Centered Service Plan

Plan to help the member achieve their personal goals.

# Waiver services are authorized

Ensuring member needs are met through their choice of provider to address gaps where a member does not have natural supports in place.

# Individualized Care Plan (ICP)

Documentation of a member's healthrelated goals and how their care will be provided. It's created by a patient's care team and is based on the member's unique needs, abilities, and circumstances. The goal of this plan is to improve member's outcomes and satisfaction by providing a more holistic and personalized approach to care.

#### Ongoing Follow-Up

Monthly contacts are performed to assess for loneliness, and quarterly in home visits to assess waiver service delivery and progress to member goals.

# Care and Service Coordination – and Member Outreach

# Meeting members where they are

Humana has added a specific team of Community Health Workers (CHW) to assist in locating members that the Care team has been unsuccessful in reaching.

❖ We were unable to reach our member, Ms. J, after making several attempts. Humana mobilized the CHW team to find the member by visiting her last known address. The CHW was able to complete a home visit and establish a personal connection with Ms. J. Ms. J has continued exhibiting positive mental and physical improvements and is now responsive to our care team and happily resides in an assisted living facility that serves her specific needs.

Our members have their dedicated Care team contact information, but they can always contact our member services line for direction: **866-274-5888**.

# **Provider Support, Education, and Outreach**

Humana offers both in person and virtual educational sessions.

- How to learn about them or register on our Humana Provider website:
  - Indiana Medicaid: Provider Information and Materials (within the "Training Resources" subpage)
- In person seminars and conferences in October/November = over 1,050 providers in attendance
- Virtual trainings in October/November = 130+ providers participating
- Individual provider calls and educational assistance is also provided daily, upon request
- Ongoing weekly meetings with Indiana Health Care Association (IHCA), Indiana Association for Home and Hospice Care (IAHHC), and Hoosier Owners & Providers for the Elderly (HOPE) Provider Associations



Humana has received very positive feedback from associations on our close communications from our Provider Relations team on progress of issue resolution.

# **Provider Support, Education and Outreach**

Humana Healthy Horizons in Indiana PathWays for Aging Long-Term Services and Supports/Home and Community-Based Services Provider Representatives Map

#### Region 1

INLTSSProviderRelations\_T1@humana.com Katelynn Koedyker (219) 296-8295

#### Region 2

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INLTSSProviderRelations T3@humana.com Kevin Cox (812) 572-0110

#### Region 4

INLTSSProviderRelations T4@humana.com

Logan Humphrey (812) 613-9251

#### Region 5

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#### Adult Day Care/Hospice

INLTSSAdultDayHospice@humana.com

Kimberly Dunn (812) 914-3104

#### Skilled Nursing/Assisted Living

INLTSSNursingFacilityAssistedLiving@humana.com Jessica Iden (574) 275-3573 Home Health/Personal Care Attendant INLTSSPersonalCareAttendant@humana.com Bria Steele-South (317) 677-2693 Cierra Rich- North (260) 298-4348



In addition to having regional Provider Relations staff, Humana has dedicated associates for:

- Nursing Facility
- Assisted Living Facilities
- Adult Day
- > Hospice
- **→** Home Health provider types

Providers can contact the provider call center line at 866-274-5888 or via email at:

INMedicaidClaimsResearch@humana.com



# Medicaid Advisory Committee (MAC)



# Care and Service Coordination Partnerships

UHC Partnerships for Service Coordination

3 Independent Care Management (ICMs) Agencies

8 Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs)





# **Member Experience**

Ms. Brown is a 69year-old UnitedHealthcare Indiana PathWays for Aging Member Service Coordinator made a referral for Ms. Brown to utilize CareBridge 24/7 Supports program because Ms. Brown stated, "I spend so much time in doctors' offices and the ER."



Ms. Brown completed her initial appointment with CareBridge 24/7 Supports Program and was educated on the services provided.



Ms. Brown initiated contact with CareBridge multiple times over a 3-month period.



CareBridge conducted follow up calls with Primary Medical Provider and Ms. Brown as needed.



Ms. Brown's engagement with the CareBridge 24/7 Supports team has resulted in decreased time spent in doctors' offices and the emergency room.





# **Member Support and Outreach**

How does the member contact their Care and Service Coordinator?



Care and Service Coordinator



Care and Person-Centered Support Plan



UnitedHeathcare Member Services Support Line (800)-832-4643



# **Provider Experience**





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# **Provider Support, Education & Outreach**

- Weekly and Bi-weekly MCE/Association Meetings
- Office-Hours Sessions
- Individual Provider Training Sessions
- Provider/MCE/OMPP Claims Workgroup has provided:
  - -Increased MCE knowledge of Provider's past and current processes
  - -A foundation for solid working relationships and an understanding of the Provider experience
  - -Opportunity for all three MCEs to develop aligned reference materials to assist with billing guidance



# Provider Support, Education, and Outreach Information

# **Provider Services**

Telephone Number: 877-610-9785

Email Address: IN providerservices@uhc.com

Provider Portal: <a href="https://www.uhcprovider.com/en/health-">https://www.uhcprovider.com/en/health-</a>

plans-by-state/indiana-health-plans/in-comm-plan-home.html

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