

All Provider & Sage Advisory

Meeting

Contracts & Finance Update

May 3, 2022



Contracts & Finance Update

Overview

- Cost Reporting & Data Reconciliation
- Billing Deadline
- Amendment & Funding Requests
- Sage end of year close out
- Corrective Action Plans

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Finance Services Branch Fiscal Year 18-19 Cost Reporting - Data Reconciliation

- Recognition of Data Issues & Billing Delays
- Providers may identify increased rate of denials.
- SAPC resolved some denials which resulted in providers not having visibility into denied units of service.
- FSB is working with DHCS to provide clarity.
- Provider may submit UNSIGNED forms



Finance Services Branch Provisional Cost Reporting

- Provisional Cost Report July 1, 2022
- Apply to ALL service Providers
- Consistent with County and Federal regulations
- Provider insight into county and provider investments
- In addition to DHCS Cost Reporting
- SAPC Bulletin to be released in May 2022



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES Public Health

Finance Services Branch - Billing Deadline

- Recommend ongoing submission of claims.
- Ensure all claims are submitted by 10th of month.
- Support timely reimbursement and avoid cash flow issues.
- SAPC strongly considering hard billing deadline.

RESOURCES – Sage Training Website

http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/sapc/providers/sage/finance.htm





Contracts & Compliance Branch Updates



Contracts & Compliance Update Contracts Management Unit



Covid-19 – Vaccination Requirement Updates

- IN 22-08 (superseded Bulletin 22-02), provided updated Covid-19 Vaccination Requirements
- Vaccination certification of compliance form due by <u>Thursday May 5, 2022</u>.



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES PUDIC Health

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Fiscal Year 21-22 Contract Amendments

- Processing amendments may take 3 4 months
- New Sites, Levels of Care, Funding Increases, etc.
- Request must be submitted by <u>June 30, 2022</u> to be effective for FY 21-22
- Refer to SAPC Information Notice 22-03



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Contract Amendment Reminders and Updates

- Contract annual amount *reverts back* to the original amount of the current contract term (ie: FY 19/20) each FY
- SAPC does not have authority to augment for the life of the contract, augmentations must be requested annually.
- A new request will need to be submitted once <u>60%</u> utilization is reached. *Lowered % due to amendment processing timeline.*



Contracts & Compliance Update – Sage Access Management Unit



<u>Sage – End of year close out</u>

- Amendments executed after May 2022, will not appear until FY22-23
- Netsmart will freeze the system on July 1, 2022.
- Configuration will take a minimum of 1 month.
- No services or billing can be entered during FREEZE.
- Monitor Sage Communications for updates



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SAPC Corrective Action Plans

- Corrective actions are captured based on compliance activities.
- Includes all SAPC compliance activities.
- Important to respond and resolve all deficiencies as soon as possible.
- Open/unresolved issues may impact amendment requests.



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DHCS Corrective Action Plans

- DHCS Audits/Reviews
 - ✓ Drug Medi-Cal Monitoring (DMCM)
 - ✓ DMC Postservice Postpayment (PSPP)
- SAPC responsible for implementation of Corrective Action Plans.
- Again, open/unresolved issues may impact amendment requests.



THANK YOU!