Summary of Changes Included in DRAFT New York State Department of Health Provider Contract Guidelines for MCOs and IPAs¹

Section Updates (from original guidelines - March 2011)	
Section	
Cover Page	• new to updated version
	• included new title and is branded with DOH logo
Table of Contents	• new to updated version
	• linked in document - will update page numbers if move
	sections around
Introduction	new to updated version
	describes purpose and applicability of these guidelines
Section I	 new to updated version
	• removed definitions out of old section I and organized them
	within their own section
	• arranged definitions in alphabetical order
	• cleaned up existing definitions/ used updated language for the
	following definitions:
	- IPA
	- Management Functions
	- Non-Material Extensive Amendments
	- Technical and Administrative Services
	• added the following new definitions:
	- ACO
	- Health Care Services
	- NYS Value Based Payment Roadmap
	- Shared Savings Arrangement
	- Value Based Payment
Section II	old Section I
	• no real content change
	• moved definitions to own section (Section I)
Section III	old Section II
	• created new subsections for VBP tiers and content
	• added new paragraph A.1.(e) related to Value Based Payments
	• removed CD-R requirement
	•revised implementation dates to conform with Regulatory
	Impact Subcommittee recommendation
	• update Provider template section to conform with the new File
	and use review process
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1	old Section III
Section IV	 removed old/outdated information
	•revised implementation dates to conform with Regulatory
	Impact Subcommittee recommendation
Section V	old Section IV
	• no substantive content change - just formatting
Section VI	old Section V
	• removed outdated information and any provisions already
	listed in the Standard Clauses
	• section is much smaller due to removal of duplicative and
	redundant statements (now only included in standard clauses)
	• revised B. to conform to new review tiers
	old Section VI
Section VII	• removed old 'levels' for contract review and replaced with
	three review tiers based on the Roadmap and recommendations
	of the Regulatory Impact Subcommittee
Appendix: Standard Clauses	• Integrated into the provider contracting package/Previously it
	was a separate document
	• added a few new chapter laws (per DOH legal)
	• designed new pdf fillable form XXX certification statement
	and incorporated it as part of the provider contracting guidelines
Appendix: DOH-XXX	package
	• form now requires attestation that suggested incorporation
	language is now mandatory
	• standard clauses are attached and in use (and cannot be
	changed)
	• will make new form fillable on the website so information can
	be typed in (instead of handwritten)
	• financial section of form now conforms to the review tiers
	based on the Roadmap and recommendations of the Regulatory
	Impact Subcommittee
	• captures all information plan, DOH, and analyst will need to
	determine VBP level that the contract will fall under