



*Redesign Medicaid in New York State*

Implementing Medicaid Behavioral Health Reform in New York

*Managed Care Policy and Planning Meeting*

February 12, 2015

## Agenda

- ❑ Status of Federal Approval
- ❑ Readiness Review Timeline Update
- ❑ HCBS Designation Status
- ❑ Billing and Coding Manual

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## Federal Approval Update

- ❑ Working with CMS on weekly basis
  - ❑ CMS has committed to work with NYS to achieve end of March waiver approval
  - ❑ Key outstanding issues include:
    - ❑ Conflict Free Care Management (NYS submitted proposal to CMS for review)
    - ❑ Compliance with HCBS settings rule (where recipient lives and where service is delivered)
    - ❑ Special terms and conditions
    - ❑ Premium approvals

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## NYC Readiness Review Timeline Update

- ❑ HARP/ Mainstream Desk Audit deliverables due on 3/9/15
  - ❑ State Policy Change: HIV/SNPs meeting HARP designation criteria now allowed to manage HCBS services for HARP eligibles
    - ❑ Specific HIV/ SNP readiness requirements TBD
- ❑ Target timeframe for NYC On-site reviews April- May 2015
- ❑ Readiness Reviews complete June 2015

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## HCBS Designation Update

- ❑ 170 NYC providers applied for designation to provide the HCBS
- ❑ Most providers applied for multiple HCBS
- ❑ Applications were reviewed by DOH, OMH, OASAS and NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
- ❑ A list with designated NYC providers will be released shortly
- ❑ NYS is developing an oversight process for HCBS providers

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## Billing Manual Update

- ❑ State working through comments received from Plans
- ❑ Updated billing manual scheduled for release end of February
- ❑ State is reviewing BH regulatory requirements for possible modification in a Managed Care environment