

**PMAC Behavioral Health Subcommittee Meeting #1
November 13, 2017
Meeting Summary**

Meeting Attendees

Attendance	Name	Title	Organization
IP	Sarah Moyer (chair)	Director	Louisville Metro Department of Public Health and Wellness
IP	Carrie Regnier	Director, Quality and Clinical Effectiveness	Norton Healthcare
IP	Michele Ganote	Events and Communication Coordinator	Kentuckiana Health Collaborative
V	Stephanie Clouser	Data Scientist	Kentuckiana Health Collaborative
V	Randa Deaton	Corporate Director	UAW Ford Healthcare Initiative
V	Andrew Renda	Director, Bold Goals	Humana
V	David Hanna	Behavioral Health Program Manager	Passport Health Plan
V	Kenneth Hargrove	Family Practice Physician	Baptist Health Madisonville
V	Meghan Marsac	Assistant Professor of Pediatrics/Pediatric Psychologist	UK Healthcare/Kentucky Children's Hospital
V	Kimberly McClanahan	CEO	Pathways, Inc.
V	Phyllis Platt	CEO	Shawnee Christian Health Center, Inc.

* Attendance: In-Person (IP) or Virtual (V)

Meeting Items

Introductions

Each attendee introduced themselves to the group.

Goals/Priorities

Subcommittee chair Sarah Moyer kicked off the meeting with some remarks on the goals and priorities of PMAC, specifically the role of the Behavioral Health Subcommittee in the coming months. One of the opportunities of this group, Dr. Moyer explained, is that we are at the forefront of behavioral health management. On the crosswalk, which is used as a starting point, there aren't many measures to look at, and many of them might not be ideal. One of the opportunities this group has is to look at alternative resources to identify priorities in behavioral health management measurement. Then, each of the attendees shared some of their respective organizations' priorities related to healthcare measurement, particularly through the lens of behavioral health management.

Measure Selection Process

The committee went through the draft of a measurement selection criteria rubric and provided feedback and discussions for refining the process.

The suggestions/comments were as follows:

- Finding a way to note what type of measure it is (screening/adherence/outcome) without necessarily giving importance to one type of measure over another. More to just be aware of the balance (or lack of) between the different types of measures in our final recommendation sets (Comment made by Andrew Renda, Humana)
- Some discussion was held about measures pertaining to pediatric patients vs. the general population. It was agreed that we should include pediatric measures, even though there is a separate subcommittee dedicated to pediatric care measurement, and the committees will compare notes on measures that overlap later in the process, to make sure there is adequate discussion on those measures.
- Appropriate level of measurement for behavioral health measures – clinician level, group practice/system level, community level?
- The role of social determinants of health in measurement, and how that can be captured while measuring physician performance.
- Registry measures – Providers can use registry measures because claims don't feed back to the provider
- A lot of discussion was held relating to weighting/prioritizing certain criteria. Some of the highlights
 - Feasibility – The ability to record the measure and report it is a priority (Comment made by Carrie Regnier, Norton Healthcare)
 - Ease of submission – don't want to add to burden of providers and practice staff
 - Also identifying measures that are relatively easy to capture will elevate the importance of those measures, with the ultimate goal of encouraging providers to choose to report them
- Number of measures to recommend – committee members agreed that it is important to keep the number of measures recommended to the large PMAC committee manageable. Perhaps even starting with two or three measures to focus on to begin with.

Next Steps/Scheduling

The next meeting will be held on December 20 at 4 p.m. We are tentatively looking at January 17 at 3 p.m. for the third subcommittee meeting. Members are asked to review additional measure sources (links will be sent out) and bring any other resources they decide to the next meeting.