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**MARYLAND MEDICAL CARE DATA BASE – Work Group for Reporting Utilization by
RACE, ETHNICITY, and LANGUAGE (REL)**

Maryland Health Care Commission • Maryland Health Services Cost Review Commission •
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Baltimore, Maryland – Thursday, November 7, 2013 – 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. (EST)

MEETING AGENDA #2

- **Welcome & Introductions**
- **Payors' REL Information – Current Practice**
 - Payors' Informational Survey – General Summary
- **MCDB REL Information – Submission Requirements**

Ms. Linda Bartnyska, Director, Center for Analysis & Information Systems

 - MCDB Eligibility File REL Reporting – Data Submission Manual
- **MCDB REL Data Submission – Algorithms & Setting Goals for Direct Collection**

Mr. Srinivas Sridhara, Acting Chief, Division of Cost & Quality Analysis

 - Indirect Assignment
 - Direct Collection – Setting Thresholds
- **Comments and Discussion**
- **Moving Forward – Self-Insured Employers**