

Maryland Primary Care Program (MDPCP) Advisory Council - Track 3 Recommendations Committee

Meeting Takeaways

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 | 5:30pm – 6:30pm

Participants

- Michael Barr, National Committee for Quality Assurance
- Robert Berenson, The Urban Institute
- Scott Berkowitz, Johns Hopkins
- Stadia Cohen, CareFirst
- Howard Haft, Maryland Primary Care Program (MDPCP) Program Management Office (PMO)
- Mai Pham, Anthem
- Michael Riebman, Maryland Primary Care Physicians
- David Sharp, MHCC
- Ben Steffen, MHCC

Key Discussion Items

- The PMO summarized discussions among Committee members regarding potential quality measures to be considered for MDPCP moving forward. Quality measures are determined in collaboration with CMMI and the Advisory Council.
- The PMO reviewed the process for making recommendations to modify existing PCF model elements to be incorporated into the MDPCP and addressing other program recommendations moving forward with the Advisory Council.
- The Track 3 Committee reviewed Committee input on PCF elements of total monthly payments, performance based adjustments, attribution, beneficiary engagement activities, risk groups, care delivery, eligibility, and participation options. Consensus was noted on most items. Additional considerations were added to topics of total monthly payments, performance based adjustments, and risk groups.
- The PMO outlined priority topics provided by CMMI to be addressed in draft proposed recommendations for the development of Track 3. Topics included the phasing out of Track 1, accountability for care transformation, the role of CTOs, and practice eligibility requirements to progress into Track 3.