

MHCC CON Modernization Task Force
Meeting Agenda Focus – August 10, 2018 through November 2, 2018

August 10, 2018

Primary Topic for Discussion: CON Regulation of Post-Acute Care Facilities and Services

Facilities: Comprehensive care facilities (Nursing homes), home health agencies

Issues for discussion:

- Scope of regulation
- Compatibility of CON regulation with Total Cost of Care All Payer Model – how to facilitate more integrated approaches to acute and post-acute care service delivery
- Role of CON regulation in promoting quality of care
- Access to care for Medicaid patients/Medicaid burden-sharing
- State Health Plan standards – scope and organization
- Information requirements
- Aligning review process/information requirements with type of project review
- Charity care

September 7, 2018

Primary Topic for Discussion: CON Regulation of Non-Hospital and Non-Post-Acute Care Facilities and Services

Facilities: Hospice, outpatient surgery, residential treatment, addictions treatment

Issues for discussion:

- Scope of regulation
- Compatibility of CON regulation with Total Cost of Care All Payer
- Role of CON regulation in promoting quality of care
- Access to care – tiering of addictions treatment
- State Health Plan standards – scope and organization
- Information requirements
- Aligning review process/information requirements with type of project review
- Charity care

September 28, 2018

Primary Topic for Discussion: CON Regulation of Hospital Facilities and Services

Facilities and Services: Hospitals (general and special), hospital bed capacity, hospital operating room capacity, acute rehabilitation, neonatal intensive care, cardiac surgery/percutaneous coronary intervention, burn intensive care, organ transplantation

Issues for discussion:

- Scope of regulation
- Compatibility of CON regulation with Total Cost of Care All Payer – integrating MHCC and HSCRC policy on treatment of hospital capital costs
- Role of CON regulation in promoting quality of care
- State Health Plan standards – scope and organization
- Information requirements

- Aligning review process/information requirements with type of project review
- Charity care

October 12, 2018

Primary Topic for Discussion: The CON Project Review Process (including exemption from CON review) + completion of discussion of issues discussed in earlier meetings

Facilities and Services: All

Issues for discussion:

- Filing requirements and getting to a complete application
- Information requirements
- Time limitations on project review – enforcement of time limits
- Aligning review process/information requirements with type of project review
- Post-approval project performance requirements
- Post-approval requirements for review of project changes
- Informing and involving the broader public in project

November 2, 2018

Primary Topic for Discussion: Draft MHCC Final Report findings and recommendations (in anticipation of discussion of findings and recommendations at the October 18, 2018 Commission meeting)

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