

Reimbursement Committee Minutes

July 19 2017 @ 9:30am- on site

- A. Call to Order: Attendance: Home Health, Hospice
- B. Introductions: Co-Chairs Amy Gil, Kerri Allen
- C. Acceptance of Minutes: Accepted

I. Reports

A. Executive Director Report – Barry Cargill

- 1. Michigan Medicaid- needs liaison meeting, she would like to do the meeting in Sept yet still have heard nothing
- 2. BCBS would like to set up another on-site meeting if necessary for HH and PDN.
- 3. There is lots of uncertainty with Medicaid right now and we will want to watch this very closely.
- 4. DME might now also have SCIO audits soon

B. Payer Liaison Updates:

- 1. NGS/CMS: still no 2016 pricer
- 2. BCBSM- SCIO meeting has been requested
 - a. when should we get Medicare involved with BCBS Scio?
 - b. Agencies need to take a closer look at provider agreement
- 3. Medicaid

II Old Business

- A. Having a joined meeting with Clinical OPS and Reimbursement for the next meeting
- B. Cops Training: MHHA has set up training for COPS, the schedule of these is on their website.
- C. QAPI- Clinical OPS is going to put together the top issues- is this being worked on
- D. SCIO- SCIO is still not letting us see how much money they are taking back, this is still happening. SCIO is also now representing several other insurance companies like United Health Care.

Most are able to re-coupe all the money through the audits, even if it's only a few \$\$\$. Most are going to the second level appeal. Call John Burke of BCBS 313-448-1978 directly with old SCIO audits if you are still getting them.

New Business:

1. Human and UNH are now auditing those who are in-network
2. Education meeting topics:
 - a. Billers: how can billers problem solve? IE: appeal, reimbursement etc .. round table discussion
 - b. Release of Medical Records
3. Next Meeting Aug 16 Teleconference

To Do Items:

Liaison meeting with Medicaid- CSHS- Barry

Try and get speakers from Humana/ Priority Health and UNH - Kerri and Amy

Add annual conference to agenda monthly for topics and speaker

Speaker for SCIO- Amy and Barry (BCBS)

RAC audit speaker- Barry and Amy- from the perspective of the agency and how to handle it.