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from the West Virginia Association of Health Plans

Welcome to Medicaid Minute from the West Virginia Association of Health Plans. Every month you can expect our newsletter to provide you with the most up to date information about the work Managed Care Organizations are doing within the Medicaid Program and for our state. We want to serve as a resource for your Medicaid questions.

WVAHP 2023 iCARE Award Winners Announced

The West Virginia Association of Health Plans (WVAHP) announced the winners of its fifth annual iCare Awards on December 11th at the University of Charleston. WVAHP is a trade association made up of the managed care organizations (MCOs) that service West Virginia's Medicaid program. The iCare Awards are given to employees of WVAHP member-MCOs who have demonstrated exemplary care and service to West Virginia Medicaid members in helping them achieve positive outcomes in their healthcare delivery.

"This year we had a record number of story submissions sent in. Each one is special so narrowing the long list to 8 winners is a challenge," said Ben Beakes, executive director of the WVAHP. "The employees of the WV managed care companies go above and beyond for their members and their diligence shows in the success of so many of their stories."

The winners are listed below along with a brief summary of their submissions. Congratulations to all of the 2023 iCARE Award winners.

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WV Medicaid Highlights*

Total enrollment in WV Medicaid:
 569,525 members
 MCO Total Enrollment:
 436,099 members
  SSI Enrollment:
  36,818 (8%)
  Expansion Enrollment:
  178,656 (41%)
  TANF Enrollment:
  200,919 (46%)
  CHIP Enrollment:
  19,706 (5%)

* Data Source: DHHR report 12-1-23

Good News Stories

Back Row: Karen Halloran, Michelle Tracy, Amanda White, Amanda Pauley
Front Row: Cindy Beane, Annetta Tiller, Sheri Bond, Karen Dominick, Alex Martin, Ben Beakes

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