MEDICAID MINUTE

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.

Opportunities to Serve

The MCOs of West Virginia and their employees have been busy the last few months supporting community programs and events that benefit so many around the state.

UniCare Health Plan participated in the Rea of Hope's Miracle on Lee Street, a fundraising event to support women in recovery. They partnered with a multi-county mobile clinic to provide flu and COVID vaccinations. The have also worked with various agencies to provide necessary home supplies and hygiene items to those in need. UniCare is proud to support programs that help the people of West Virginia.

The Health Plan has been making an impact in local communities as well. Their outreach programs include health and resource fairs, providing baby supplies to new mothers, and rewarding teachers who are changing lives one student at a time. The Health Plan is honored to share the hard work and dedication of their employees and their member success stories. Those heart-warming stories can be found here.

Aetna Better Health of WV is our featured MCO this month - be sure to watch the video link under Good News Stories.

WV Medicaid Highlights*

Total enrollment in WV Medicaid: 662,871 members
MCO Total Enrollment: 505,873 members
SSI Enrollment: 39,525 (8%)
Expansion Enrollment: 215,069 (41%)
TANF Enrollment: 233,892 (47%)
CHIP Enrollment: 17,387 (4%)

Good News Stories

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Aetna Better Health* of West Virginia

Karen Dominick, Peer Support Specialist with Aetna Better Health of West Virginia, is a 2021 iCare Honorable Mention.

Watch her inspiring video by clicking the link - "Do Not Stop."





^{*} Data Source: DHHR report 5-1-22