



Financial Directors Peer Group Meeting

January 27, 2023

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| Peer Group Members Present | <p>Anna Pardee, Fourth Street Clinic</p> <p>Sonja Levesque, Midtown Community Health Center</p> <p>Eric Johnson, Mountainlands Family Health Center</p> <p>Andy Evans, Utah Navajo Health Systems</p> <p>Stormy Scharp, Utah Partners for Health</p> <p>Linda Rock, Wayne Community Health Center</p> |
| AUCH Staff Present | <p>Courtney Pariera Dinkins, AUCH</p> <p>Kaitlynn Drollinger, AUCH</p> <p>Rachel Craig, AUCH</p> |
| Other Presenters Present | N/A |
| Top Issues / Best Practice Sharing (Roundtable) | <p>Round Robin:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documentation for Free COVID Tests and/or Vaccines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Group is not documenting as in-kind. b. Group noted they are not accounting for them at all and most do not plan to. • Medicare Site Verification <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. CMS is notifying health centers that they will be coming onsite to verify actual clinic. • Financial Quality Improvement and Benchmarking <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Group decided to hold off on reviewing metrics, and only if it is something they are already pulling. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Group discussed using metrics they pull for board reports. ii. Group concerned it would add more another task, and only interested if can be leveraged with a report they are already pulling, e.g., board report. b. AUCH will revisit in future calls. • Medicaid PRISM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Go-live for new PRISM post-poned to April b. Claims Freeze scheduled for: March 13th through April 2nd; you will likely be able to submit claims still to UHIN. c. New PRISM will allow direct entry. d. Recommend <u>PRISM Provider Training</u> as significant changes to preauthorization. • eCW Denials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Please send screen shots to Kaitlynn @ kdrollinger@auch.org to help AUCH determine how to improve Azara FIN/Ops Module. • Opioid Settlement Funds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. AUCH submitted ~\$2.7M request to the state representing 8 health centers • Legislation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Proposed Medicaid Expansion for Postpartum care from 90 days for redetermination to one full year continuous coverage without need for redetermination. More to come. |
| Next Meeting | VIRTUAL, February 24 th at 10am to 11am |