



Medical Services Review Board

July 17, 2014

Minutes

Members Present:

Jeffrey Bonsell, D.C., Chair
Beth Baker, M.D.
Michael Goertz, M.D.
Kathi Hendrickson, R.N.
Ernest Lampe, M.D.
Matthew Monsein, M.D.
Reed Pollack
Dan Wolfe, P.T., G.D.M.T.

Member Alternates Present:

Natalie Haefner
Lisa Hanselman, OTR/L
Kimberly Olson, R.N.
Margaret Spartz, M.D.

Visitors Present:

Dan Carlson, Almeida PA
Ceil Jung, SFM
Susan Giguere, MAPS
David C. Wulff, MNAJ

Members Absent:

Russell Gelfman, M.D.
Gregory Hynan, D.C.
Brian Konowalchuk, M.D.
Brennan McAlpin
Jody Ruppert, OTR/L
Andrew Schmidt, M.D.
James Samuelson

Staff Members Present:

Kris Eiden
Anita Hess
Sandra Barnes
Lisa Wichterman
Chris Leifeld
Bill Lohman, M.D.
Susanne Todnem

Call to Order and Introductions

The meeting of the Medical Services Review Board (MSRB) was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by chairman, Dr. Jeffrey Bonsell. A quorum was met.

Approval of the Minutes

The minutes the January 16, 2014 meeting were presented for approval. Kathi Hendrickson moved to approve them. Beth Baker seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously to approve the January 16, 2014 minutes.

Meeting Agenda

No additions to the agenda. Reed Pollock moved to approve the agenda; Dan Wolfe seconded the motion. The Board unanimously approved.

Announcements and Update

Deputy Commissioner Kris Eiden:

- The Dept., working with hospitals and payers, is developing a DRG system for payment of inpatient hospital bills. The proposal was presented to the parties for approval. We are waiting for feedback, hoping for agreement before the next legislative session. The Worker's Compensation Advisory council has to approve it. The Chamber of Commerce has endorsed this methodology. The proposed DRG system will be similar to Medicare.

Business:

- Elections for Board Chair; Beth Baker nominated Dr. Jeff Bonsell. Reed Pollack seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve.
- Elections for Vice Chair; Jeff Bonsell nominated Dr. Michael Goertz. Reed Pollack seconded the motion. The Board voted to approve.

SCS IDDS Rules – Susanne Todnem

No comments or requests for hearing were received. After documents are approved by the Office of Administrative Hearings, they will be signed by Commissioner. Then the rules are filed with the Secretary of State. The notice of publication will be filed by State Register in August or September.

Opioids rules for chronic management and model contract dated 7/3/14 - Dr. Bill Lohman
The Board discussed the changes to the previous draft of the rules, proposed by the Department.

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Line 5 changed to written treatment contract. Approved by board
Lines 21 & 22 examples added. Approved by board
Lines 28 & 29 clarifications added. Approved by board
Lines 34 & 36 removed single pharmacy. Approved by board
Line 42 took out the word *and*. Approved by board
Line 45 put in the word *and*. Approved by board

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Lines 2-5 changed word to *function*. Approved by board
Lines 10-13 indicating provider may discontinue treatment. Approved by board
Lines 15-17 cross references. Approved by board
Lines 29-31 single pharmacy again. Approved by board
Lines 33-37 employee can get one replacement by provider. Approved by board

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Lines 10-12 provider treatment plan. Approved by board
Lines 14-24 (a) to (e) . Approved by board
Lines 28-31 new form. Approved by board
Lines 41-43 coordinates rulings. Approved by board

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Lines 11-17 coordinates references. Approved by board
Lines 20-21. Approved by board
Lines 37-41 rules used cooperatively. Approved by board
Lines 43-45. Approved by board

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Lines 31-40 morphine equivalent table added. Approved by board

There was considerable discussion about how urine drug testing should be done and concern that the methods outlined in the proposed draft were not consistent with how many doctors

approach urine drug testing. The Department agreed to rewrite the rule so as to provide doctor's discretion min how urine drug testing would be done for their patients.

A Model contract to be used by providers in conjunction with the proposed rule was distributed by the Department. Dr. Monsein suggested that death be added to the risk factors listed in the contract.

Motion to accept changes made by Dr. Goetz, second by Dr. Baker.

Agenda items for next meeting - Dr. Lohman and Board

- Announcements
- Review new draft of the rules that represents the decisions that were made at this meeting
- Review the current injection medical treatment parameters for clarification, focusing on epidural injections.
- Review the possibility of developing treatment parameters for lower extremities.

Adjournment

Natalie Haefner moved to adjourn the meeting. Kathi Hendrickson seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting date: October 9, 2014

