Medical Care Advisory Committee
Dental Care for Children Subcommittee Minutes

Tuesday, October 18, 2016, 1:00PM
AHCA Conference Room D

Team Lead:
Monique Johnson for Erica Floyd Thomas

MCAC/Subcommittee Members Present:
Casey Stoutamire – Florida Dental Association
Dr. Edward Zapert – Department of Health, Public Health Dentistry
Frank Catalanotto - University of Florida – On the telephone
Christine Hom – FL Institute for Health Innovation - On the telephone
Terry Hepburn – Tampa Bay Health Care Collaborative - On the telephone

Additional Meeting Participants:
Megan Weiland - AHCA

Talking Points:
Registered Dental Hygienists (RDH)
• The Agency has begun the process of enrolling RDHs.
• Erica Thomas attended the annual conference for Dental Hygienists a couple of weeks ago and walked them through the needed information for enrollment.
• We are currently engaged in a pilot program with an FQHC and CHD to walk through the process and look for any chinks in the system, predict times frames more effectively, and develop a better grasp of the magnitude of numbers we plan to see enrolling.
• For a quick overview:
  o RDHs may enroll on the enrollment wizard through the web portal, as the sole proprietor enrolling as a member of a group.
  o They then select provider type 37, which has been assigned to RDHs, Primary Specialty 937, and taxonomy 203BA0003X
  o They will then be instructed to make sure they have a list of required information prior to moving forward with the process.
  o At this point it is the simple matter of filling out all the papers and uploading the necessary documents as prompted on screen.
Annual Code Review
- It’s that time again! The Agency is currently in the process of the annual code review and update.
- This will include any codes that have been included for coverage this year or removed from coverage.
- As well as any CMS additions, deletions, and changes when the annual spreadsheet is released from CMS for the State’s review.
- If there are any codes you feel strongly about adding or discontinuing, now is the time to get them and the rationales behind them in for review.

Recipient Provider Assistance (RPA) Brochure
- Policy has been working with RPA to update the children’s dental brochure.
- This will be what is known as a “rack card.” This is about 3x8 card that will fit into a rack for quick access by recipients.
- Any input you would like to provide would be greatly appreciated.

New initiatives/ Next Steps (Quality)
- Consumer Website
- Logo/Branding
- Social Media Campaign
- Consumer Materials to statewide offices

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