



**Healthy Illinois 2021
SHIP Implementation Coordination Council Meeting
Wednesday, April 25, 2018, 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm**

In-Person: Janet Albers*, Judith Gethner*, Dave McCurdy*, Kiran Joshi (on behalf of Terry Mason*), Bill Dart (DPH), Heidi Clark (DPH), Kristin Campbell (DPH), Amaal V.E. Tokars, Carolyn Cerf, Maria Bruni (DHS), Karen Woods (DOI), Juana Ballesteros (DPH), Mary Dobbins, David McCurdy*, Lee Ann Reinert (DHS), Vincent Bufalino, Omayra Giachello (DPH)

Call-In: Tiffanie Pressley (DPH), Marilyn Green (DPH), Mark Hunter (DPH), Beth Fiorini, Kathy Lahr*, Jessica Gerdes, Vince Keenan*

*Implementation Coordination Council Members

Topic	Discussion/Updates	Action Items/Decisions Made
Welcome and Overview	Welcome by Bill Dart. Roll call taken. Meeting minute changes from last meeting were discussed.	Did not meet quorum to approve minutes
Agenda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I. Approval of Minutes II. DHS DASA: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. State Opioid Action Plan b. RFP for Hub and Spoke Model of Opioid Use Disorder Treatment III. Department of Insurance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Overview of Department b. Mental Health Parity IV. Activities aligning with the SHIP (specific focus on behavioral health) Updates from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. State Agencies b. SHIP Implementation Coordination Council c. Others V. SHIP Annual Report VI. Unfinished Business VII. New Business 	

<p>Dept. of Insurance Updates</p>	<p><u>Department of Insurance – Karen Woods</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Department’s Vision: Protect consumers and fostering a competitive marketplace • Health Products Division <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Key Functions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Product Lines ▪ Licensing ▪ Legal ▪ Support for the Affordable Care Act ▪ Life – Annuities ▪ Property / Casualty • Available Resources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Affordable Care Act outreach team ○ Answering general questions through their 800-number <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 800-number is staffed by Department of Insurance employees ▪ Number is open throughout the year ○ Office of Consumer Health Insurance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Open Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ▪ Staffed by insurance analysts ▪ Answers general questions related to insurance and advises where to file complaints ▪ Receive roughly 100 calls per day, but may receive 200 to 300 calls after the open enrollment period 	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ External review items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dictated by statute (215 ILCS 180) ▪ Staffed 24/7 with their own 800-number ▪ Handle urgent situations related to medical necessities that have been denied ▪ Review medically appropriate information to make sure a decision is being made independently ○ OCHI <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Report can be found on the Departments website ▪ The Department does not regulate Medicaid or Medicare insurance plans ▪ Companies are required to respond within 21 days regarding complaints ▪ OCHI line also serves as a mental health line ● Wants to make sure individuals understand their rights and what is available to them ● Works with several different agencies including the Department of Corrections with their “Summit of Hope” program ● There are wallet sized “how to” cards distributed this year and will be in the future ● Received no federal funding this year for Get Covered Illinois ● The appropriation for Get Covered Illinois this year is \$1 million, whereas last year it was federally funded with \$4 million ● Provide outreach events in counties <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Advising individuals about mental health and their rights ○ Not a lot of consumer attendance ● Planning on doing more outreach events and currently working with legislature 	
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- Outreach and education, trying to make individuals aware
- Last year the department went to all 102 counties in Illinois

Department of Human Services – Maria Bruni

- State Opioid Action Plan
 - 160 stakeholders
 - Met last week to walk through an implementation plan
 - Work on specific objectives for each goal
 - Will be published on the Department’s website in the next 2 – 3 weeks
 - Details what needs to be accomplished in the next 3 years
- Received Notice of Award for the Opioid STR Grant
 - 16.3 million dollars
 - Fund MAT pilot / MAT Deserts
 - Medication Assisted Therapy (MAT)=Methadone, buprenorphine, naltrexone
 - Hoping to start services in September with \$1 million
 - Hub serves as an opioid treatment center
 - Can be PC locations, small rural hospitals
 - Have the capacity to deliver naltrexone
 - DHS, DEA, and SAMHSA all need to license methadone clinics
 - 996 DATA waived prescribers (621 or 62% had prescribed in the last year)
 - Physician must receive 8 hours of training to complete DATA waiver
 - 58 counties, mostly rural, do not have any form of medication assisted therapy (MAT desert area)
 - Money would not pay for medicine, toxicology testing, lab workups, but focuses on start-up costs and staff time

- Mental Health
 - Making connections with veterans groups
 - Looking at health homes
 - Working on super utilizers in the Chicago area
 - RFI counties, other than Cook county, individuals who were deemed unfit for trial, looking for ways to assist them
 - Sequential Intercept Model, stepping up initiative

Department of Public Health – Heidi Clark

- Behavioral Health – Opioid Task Force
 - SAMHSA Grant
 - 18 county naloxone grant
 - IDPH is working with ILEAS to supply 18 counties with naloxone training
 - Training will start within the next couple weeks

Illinois State Board of Education – Jessica Gerdes

- Possibility for naloxone in schools
 - Must report to ISBE within 3 days of use
 - One sample policy was submitted
 - Could be administered by school resource officer
- Need to do more training in schools
- ISBE is co-chair of the Illinois Suicide Prevention Alliance
 - Conference in September
- SAMHSA Grant – Illinois Project AWARE
 - 5-year program that runs through 2019
 - School districts include Decatur, Harrisburg, Aurora East

Illinois Partners for Human Service – Judith Gethner

- Community Memorial Foundation
 - Funds human services providers outreach and education on

	<p>behavioral health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Foundation provides training, funding non-profits for services ○ Initiative is to make the community the healthiest in the nation <p><u>Illinois Academy of Family Physicians - Vince Keenan</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Working on physicians getting buprenorphine training ● Mental health first aid <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Should be a regular part of training for residents and physicians ● Train family physicians around pain management <p><u>Kendall County Health Department – Amaal Tokars</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1.1-1.5 – improve collection of data, intersection of opioid issue and health equity ● Opioid Study Group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ State and local first responders ○ Looking at previous data to see if there are any trends to be examined ○ Looking at the opioid crisis and what their role is ○ Situational assessment around opioid crisis ● Kendall County opioid data repository is on the Department website <p><u>Elmhurst College – David McCurdy</u></p> <p>Valuable resource is an article called, “Ethical responsibility of Physicians in the Opioid Crisis”</p>	
New Business	Draft annual report to be completed soon The next meeting will be held October 24 th from 1:30 – 3:30 pm in the same location.	
Public Comment	None	
Adjourn	The meeting adjourned at 3:12 pm	