# APCD Advisory Group

November 14, 2019



# Agenda

Agenda Item	Time			
Welcome and Call to Order	1:00 PM			
Public Comment	1:05 PM			
Review and Approval of Minutes – August 8, 2019	1:10 PM			
Introduction of New APCD Advisory Group Member	1:15 PM			
Discussion of OnPoint Contract Renewal	1:20 PM			
Update on Available OHS Resources	1:25 PM			
Update on Existing Data	1:30 PM			
Demonstration of Cost Estimator Feature	1:40 PM			
Discussion of the APCD Data Release Committee Survey	1:55 PM			
Wrap Up and Meeting Adjournment	2:05 PM			

#### Welcome and Call to Order

#### **Public Comment**

(2 minutes per commenter)

# Review and Approval of:

**August 8, 2019 Meeting Minutes** 

# Introduction of New APCD Advisory Group Member

Allan Hackney

#### Discussion of OnPoint Contract Renewal

Allan Hackney

## **Update on Available OHS Resources**

Allan Hackney

#### **OHS Staff Resources**

- OHS has devoted 5 staff resources to manage CT's APCD program:
  - Adrian Texidor, HIT Program Manager
  - Olga Armah, Research Team Supervisor
  - Joseph Rus, IT Analyst
  - Chris Wyvill, IT Analyst
  - Tina Kumar, Stakeholder Engagement

#### **Adrian Texidor**

- Adrian will...
  - manage and oversee our relationship with OnPoint which includes contract oversight and vendor management,
  - direct the flow of internal and external data requests,
  - help prioritize data requests,
  - and provide programmatic support to the APCD Advisory Group and Data Release Committee.

### Olga Armah

- Olga will...
  - use APCD data to help shape OHS's data-driven policy decisions and to carry out OHS statutory mandates including but not limited to:
    - facility fee trends analyses;
    - identifying prescription drugs that have significant cost impact on state budget;
    - and to monitor healthcare costs with a view towards developing cost
       -containment strategies.

#### Joseph Rus

- Joseph will...
  - perform all activities relative to external data extracts. These activities include developing SQL queries that deidentify APCD data prior to data delivery, and
  - in the long term, automate OHS's data query system.

## **Chris Wyvill**

- Chris Wyvill will...
  - review external data release applications to ensure that each applicant has the necessary privacy and security protocols in place to properly house deidentified APCD data.

#### **Tina Kumar**

- Tina will...
  - provide Stakeholder engagement support for the APCD meetings. These activities include general support for the APCD Advisory Group and its subcommittees.

# **Update on Existing Data**

Adrian Texidor

#### **Updated FFS Dates**

#### **CT APCD - Submitter Status Report**

Last Updated: November, 13th 2019

		Eligibility		Medical		Pharmacy		Provider	
		Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date
Aetna									
Aetna Health Insurance HMO FI	CTC0011	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
Aetna Health Insurance HMO on ACAS FI	CTC0011A	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A
Aetna Life Insurance Company Aetna Student Health	CTC0010E	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019
Aetna Life Insurance Company HMO Medicare	СТС0010В	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A
Aetna Life Insurance Company Traditional	CTC0010	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
Anthem									
	CTC0663	01/2012	09/2019	09/2019	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
Caremark, LLC.									
	CTT0005	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A
Cigna									
Cigna Health and Life Insurance Company, Inc West	CTC0025F	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
Cigna Health and Life Insurance Company, Inc East	CTC0025	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	07/2019	01/2012	07/2018	01/2012	09/2019
ConnectiCare									
ConnectiCare	CTC0719	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
ConnectiCare, Inc - Medicare Advantage	CTC0719E	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
Express Scripts									
	CTT0292	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A
First Health Life and Health Insurance Company									
	CTC0177	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A
Harvard Pilgrim									
	CTC0213	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
HealthyCT									
	CTC0021	01/2014	12/2014	01/2014	12/2014	01/2014	12/2014	01/2014	12/2014
United Health Group									
evi Core (UHC - Oxford)	CTC0423D	N/A	N/A	01/2015	09/2019	-	-	01/2012	09/2019
OptumHealth Care Solutions, Inc (Optum)	CTT0322	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019
OrthoNet	CTC0423B	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Oxford Health Plans	CTC0423A	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
UHC - Golden Rule	CTC0193	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
UnitedHeal thcare Insurance - Medicare	CTC0423C	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company	CTC0423	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	09/2019
WellCare Health Plans, Inc									
	CTC0534	01/2012	09/2019	01/2012	07/2019	N/A	N/A	01/2012	09/2019
Medicaid									
		01/2016	06/2019	01/2016	06/2019	01/2016	06/2019	01/2016	06/2019
Medicare									
	CTG0002	01/2012	12/2018	01/2012	12/2018	01/2012	12/2018	N/A	N/A

#### Data Use Agreement Status

#### Medicaid

- OHS and DSS are working on a case-by-case basis to obtain approvals for use of Medicaid data for OHS statutory purposes
  - Currently seeking approval to use pharmacy claims to support PA 18-41 pharmaceutical cost reporting
- OHS, the APCD DRC, DSS are working to establish a standing process to obtain
   Medicaid approval for non-OHS data release requests that flow through the APCD DRC

#### ■ Medicare

- The data use agreement for access to Medicare data is tied to the SIM program.
  - OHS has obtained extended data use of Medicare date through April 2020

#### **Demonstration of Cost Estimator Feature**

Adrian Texidor

# Discussion of the APCD Data Release Committee Survey

Patricia Checko

# Wrap up and Adjournment