

# 2019-12-20 Payer Coverage Decision Exchange Meeting

Chair:

Scribe: [Dana Marcelonis](#)

## Attendees

Present	Name	Affiliation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Robert Dieterle</a>	Enablecare
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Viet Nguyen</a>	Stratametrics
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Nita Thingalaya</a>	IBC
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">David DeGandi</a>	Cambia Health Solutions
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Gregory Magazu</a>	CaseNet
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Jeanie Smith</a>	BCBSFL
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Corey Spears</a>	Infor
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Joseph Quinn</a>	Optum
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Ashley Stebbing</a>	CMS
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Barbara Antuna</a>	AIM Specialty Health/ Anthem
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Mary Kay McDaniel</a>	Cognosante
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Michael Gould</a>	IBC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Laurie Burckhardt</a>	WPS Health Systems
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Serafina Versaggi</a>	

<input type="checkbox"/>	Sreenivas Mallipeddi	MCG Health
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Susan Bellile	Availity
<input type="checkbox"/>	Susan Langford	BCBST
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tony Benson	BCBSAL
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tracey McCutcheon	KPMG
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dawn Perreault	BCBSM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Melanie Combs-Dyer	CMS
<input type="checkbox"/>	Anupam Thakur	BCBS FL
<input type="checkbox"/>	Christol Green	Anthem
<input type="checkbox"/>	Jeffrey Danford	Allscripts
<input type="checkbox"/>	Evan Currie	BCBSM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Chris Johnson	BCBSAL
<input type="checkbox"/>	David Hill	MITRE
<input type="checkbox"/>	Karen Iapoco	ZeOmega
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gay Dolin	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Julia Skapik	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Jeff Brown	Cigna
<input type="checkbox"/>	Seth Paradis	eClinicalWorks

<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Jim Taylor</a>	Tibco
<input type="checkbox"/>	Eddy Nieves	Epic
<input type="checkbox"/>	Christopher Gracon	
	<a href="#">Jay Taylor</a>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Sai Tumuluru</a>	Centene
<input type="checkbox"/>	Andrea Kent	CoverMyMeds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Troy Bergstrand</a>	BC Idaho
<input type="checkbox"/>	Keya Shah	Casenet

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">John Bialowicz</a>	BCBSM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nandini Ganguly	Scope Info Tech/ EMDI
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Peter Muir</a>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Rachel E. Foerster</a>	CAQH
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pallavi Talekar	Scope Info Tech
<input type="checkbox"/>	Kelly Taylor	CMS
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Karen L. Zapata</a>	Anthem
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Brandon Raab</a>	Anthem
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cindy Monarch	BCBSM
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Michael Cabral</a>	CMS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Nick Radov</a>	UHC
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Isaac Vetter</a>	Epic
<input type="checkbox"/>	James Derrickson	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Laurie Woodrome</a>	Labcorp
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ric Light	Humana
<input type="checkbox"/>	Harvey Kuang	Express Scripts
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Kevin Lambert</a>	BCBS AL
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Julia Chan	CW Global Consult
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Paul Knapp</a>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Roland Gamache	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Alberto S. Llanes</a>	Anthem
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Mark Scrimshire</a>	New Wave
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Julie Maas</a>	EMR Direct
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">Patrick Murta</a>	Humana
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ranjith Kandur	Anthem

<input type="checkbox"/>	May Terry	MITRE
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Dave Foster	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lauren Hobson	Providence
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<input type="checkbox"/>	June Bronnert	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cynthia Ginsburg	CMS
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## Minutes Approved as Presented



This is to approve minutes via general consent. "You have received the minutes. Are there any corrections to the minutes? (pause) Hearing none, if there are no objections, the minutes are approved as printed."

## Agenda Topics

Agenda Outline	Agenda Item	Meeting Minutes from Discussion	Decision Link (if not child)
Management	Review ANSI Anti-Trust Policy	 <p><b>Antitrust Policy</b></p> <p>ANSI Anti-Trust Policy</p> <p>ANSI's goal is to develop and enforce standards that are open to all but not least essential standards are open to all that are least essential. Standards require, at the very least, that they be developed through a process and under the direction of ANSI. The more, the better. Standards are developed through a process that is open to all and that is not subject to any special interests.</p> <p>ANSI has a long history of developing standards that are open to all and that are not subject to any special interests. ANSI's goal is to develop and enforce standards that are open to all and that are not subject to any special interests. ANSI's goal is to develop and enforce standards that are open to all and that are not subject to any special interests.</p> <p>Approved by the ANSI Board of Directors May 22, 2014</p>	
	Connectathon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Philadelphia Connectathon Hosted by Independence Blue Cross</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">CMS HL7 Connectathon - January 2020 - January 7-8</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Connectathon Track Page: 2019-12 Da Vinci Payer Coverage Decision Exchange</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Payer Coverage Decision Exchange Reference Implementation</a></li> </ul>	

	Review proposed clinical scenarios /examples (May Terry)	<p>Notes by Bob:</p> <p>May presenting and leading conversation</p> <p>Dive into payload – coordination with the HIMSS scenarios based on conversation with Viet earlier this week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Julia create three scenarios – two were prototyped at a high level as part of connectathons</li> <li>• Talked about supplemental guide and differentiated from PDex</li> <li>• Actors (member, old plan, new plan)</li> <li>• Workflow – patient mediated, asynch vs synch</li> <li>• Think in terms of clinical and administrative data</li> <li>• Discussed the administrative data and example of commercial to MA Plan</li> <li>• Discussed the implications of multiple practitioners, specialties and locations</li> <li>• Include DME, HH and supportive services</li> <li>• How to handle sensitive information (e.g. HIV)</li> <li>• Reviewed and discussed scope of PCDe – active treatments, monitored conditons ....</li> <li>• in scope: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chronic condition being treated;</li> <li>• Preparation for surgery</li> <li>• Cancer in remission – e.g.: in this case, the type of monitoring could be expensive, but necessary in monitoring for recurrence.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Continuity of treatment</li> <li>• <b>**services for conditions (chronic or acute) that are being treated, tracked, or monitored, and may involve a care plan**</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>• The intent of use for PCDECarePlan is as convenience as a construct to hold the pieces together.</li> <li>• Q: how much history does the new plan need to authorize the continuity of care for the member? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As far back for the Utilization Mgr (UM) to understand the problem.</li> <li>• Potentially to start...5 years.</li> <li>• If the payer has the information, they should include it.</li> <li>• <i>Go as far back as the (interop) rule covers, but at least information that would impact the new UM's decision(s).</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Q: do we include services for conditions not covered by the old plan? (e.g.: covered by another plan) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, if it's allowed. Privacy rules might be affected.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Q: do we include services for conditions which have been denied by the old plan? (e.g.: asserting it's not covered by the old plan). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>**Needs further exploration on HIPAA concerns**</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Q: how to handle sensitive health information? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Start with federal and state law.</li> <li>• DISCUSS FURTHER NEXT WEEK.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
Management	Next agenda		
Adjournment		Adjourned at	

### Supporting Documents

Outline Reference	Supporting Document
Minute Approval	
	<a href="#">Payer Coverage Decision Exchange Use Cases</a>
	<a href="#">Implementation Guide Content Workspace</a>

### Action items



[Create Decision from template](#)