Utah Payers Advisory Subcommittee (UPAS)
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, August 5, 2020
3pm - 4pm MDT
Virtual Meeting

1. Welcome and Introductions
Sterling Petersen called the meeting to order.

2. Measure Alignment
Sterling Petersen thanked the providers and payers for their participation thus far. A report will be compiled by the end of the year, and then reported to the legislature. A final version will be posted online as well.

3. UPAS Survey
Brantley Scott asked the committee to take a survey created, so that we can receive feedback on how we can maximize value to stakeholders.

Action Item: Feedback if survey provides value.

4. Payer Total Cost of Care Report for 2020
Brantley Scott reported what Minnesota has done with the intent to use their process as a model, which is payer focused. The TCOC methodology uses health partner NQF endorsed methodology utilizing: Total Cost Index, Price Index and Resource Use Index. It also breaks it down by inpatient, outpatient and pharmacy. Brantley asked the committee to review the slides that were presented back in February and provide feedback.

Action Item: Feedback to continue working on the report.

5. Other Business / Discussion
Carl Letamendi asked the payers to share if they had any concerns, from the payers' perspective, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. OHCS is the epicenter of data collection and can report an overview of the industry. Members of the group are interested in trends on telehealth, including:
- utilization prior to the pandemic and the new equilibrium
- utilization in urban vs. rural areas

Sterling Petersen presented a report titled *Preliminary COVID-19 Healthcare Trends: A snapshot from Utah's All Payer Claims Database & Healthcare Facility Database.* A formal report will be available after internal review and approval from UDOH, and will be shared with the committee for broader dissemination.

Meeting Adjourned at 3:40PM
Next Meeting: September 2, 2020

2020 Utah Payers Advisory Subcommittee (UPAS) Meeting Schedule
~~January 1, 2020 (Canceled Holiday)~~

~~February 5, 2020~~

~~March 4, 2020 (Virtual)~~

~~April 1, 2020 (Virtual)~~

~~May 6, 2020 (Virtual)~~

~~June 3, 2020 Canceled)~~

~~July 1, 2020 (Canceled)~~

August 5, 2020

September 2, 2020

October 7, 2020

November 4, 2020

December 2, 2020