



UTAH DEPARTMENT OF
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MEDICAID AND CHIP

PRESENT AND FUTURE

Medicaid

- 2.9 Billion Dollar Budget
- 300,000 Plus Members
- 18,000 Fee for Service providers
- 24 managed care plan covering 90% of members
- 70/30 match rate

CHIP

- 19,000 children
- \$128 Million Dollar Budget
- Based on a commercial benchmark for coverage
- Up to 200% FPL
- Delivery system is all managed care
- Currently 100% FMAP
- Funding ends 9/30/2017 unless continued by Congress

2017 General Session Budget Highlights



- FY 17 Gave back \$10 plus million to the GF
- FY 18 Appropriated \$4 million in GF
- Funded dental benefits for blind and disabled Medicaid members
- Funded increases for ICF/ID Direct Care staff
- Restored PCN funding cut by HB 437 (2016)

2017 General Session

Legislation and Intent Language



SB 2-

- LARC- Long acting reversible contraception
- Opioid Prescribing- Medicaid Policies
- PRISM-Medicaid claims payment system
- Dental Managed Care-Access concerns
- ICF-ID Additional Funds-Direct care staff

2017 General Session

Legislation and Intent Language



SB 7

- School nurses-Medicaid funding
- Short Acting Opioids- Review policies for restricting initial prescriptions

HB 3

- ACOs/Advanced Payment Models and MACRA

Changes Effective July 1, 2017



- Increase income eligibility for parents to 55% FPL
 - 4000 individuals
 - Part of HB 437(2016 GS)
- Dental services for blind or disabled adults
 - 36,000 individuals
 - Services have not been available since 2009

HB 437 (2016 General Session) 1115 Waiver



- Submitted July 2016
- Implementing the increase in income for low income parents to 55% FPL
- CMS offer of greater flexibility
- Modifying the waiver amendment in response.

National Discussion Times of Uncertainty



- Repeal and Replace
- American Health Care Act
 - Restructuring Medicaid
 - More risk for States
 - Uncertain flexibility for States
- Medicaid Budgets will likely be reduced
- Congressional action is uncertain

National Discussion Times of Uncertainty



- Continued funding for CHIP is uncertain
 - Bipartisan support
 - Timing is uncertain
 - States are planning in the event it does not occur quickly

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