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## About Rocky Mountain Health Plans

[Rocky Mountain Health Plans \(RMHP\)](#) is an independent, not-for-profit health benefits provider that has served the health care needs of Coloradans for more than 30 years.

As an active partner with the Colorado Medicaid Accountable Care Collaborative, Rocky Mountain Health Plans (RMHP) is contracted with the Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing to serve as the Regional Care Collaborative Organization (RCCO) for Region 1.

Region 1 includes the following 22 counties: Archuleta, Delta, Dolores, Eagle, Garfield, Grand, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Jackson, La Plata, Larimer, Mesa, Moffat, Montezuma, Montrose, Ouray, Pitkin, Rio Blanco, Routt, San Juan, San Miguel, and Summit.

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## Greetings!

Thank you for your interest and support! Please read on for noteworthy information and updates on the Accountable Care Collaborative.

## Medicare, Medicaid & CHP+ Provider Revalidation: Important Updates

[Policy Change Affecting Revalidation / Application Fee](#)

**Providers that are dually enrolled in Medicare and Medicaid will not be required to pay the revalidation/application fee for any service location that is an approved Medicare service location.** Providers still need to revalidate and enroll these service locations. Near the end of the application, providers can indicate that the service location is enrolled and approved in Medicare before skipping the fee section.

[Online Provider Enrollment Tool Now Live](#)

The Department of Healthcare Policy and Financing (HCPF)'s Online Provider Enrollment (OPE) tool is live. The link can be accessed from these webpages:

- <https://www.colorado.gov/hcpf/provider-resources>
- <https://www.colorado.gov/hcpf/provider-enrollment>

There are many resources for providers on HCPF's [Provider Resources](#) web page. If you need additional information, email: [Provider.Questions@state.co.us](mailto:Provider.Questions@state.co.us).

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## State Innovation Model (SIM) Practice Request for Application (RFA) Released

The State Innovation Models Initiative, or SIM, is an initiative of the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Innovation (CMMI) that encourages states to develop and test models for transforming health care payment and delivery systems.

Colorado was awarded a \$2 million planning grant and \$65 million implementation grant to strengthen Colorado's Triple Aim strategy. The overarching goal of Colorado's SIM is to improve the health of Coloradans by providing access to integrated primary care and behavioral health services in coordinated community systems, with value-based payment structures, for 80% of state residents by 2019. The funding will assist Colorado in integrating physical and behavioral health in more than 400 primary care practices and community mental health centers comprised of approximately 1,600 primary care providers by 2019.

With the release of the SIM Practice Request for Application (RFA) on September 15th, practices can begin submitting applications to be included in the first SIM cohort. The Practice RFA closes on October 26th.

To view the RFA and apply, visit: [www.ucdenver.edu/practicetransformation](http://www.ucdenver.edu/practicetransformation)

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## Reattribution of ACC Clients Whose Claims History Indicates a Stronger Relationship with a Different PCMP

The Department of Healthcare Policy and Financing is implementing a new quarterly process by which ACC

implementing a new quarterly process by which ACC clients whose claims history indicates a stronger relationship with a Primary Care Medical Provider (PCMP) other than their current attributed PCMP will be re-attributed to the PCMP with the stronger relationship.

An estimated 78,000 AC clients who were attributed to their PMCP through the Department's systematic, claims-based methodology have a stronger relationship with a different, ACC-contracted PCMP based on their most recent claims history. This process is estimated to improve the accuracy of a provider's ACC panel by an average of 17%.

The process will only look at attributions made systematically through evaluation and management (E&M) claims history, and will **not** affect attributions made by members calling the State's enrollment broker, HealthColorado, or through the ACC PCMP Choice Fax Form.

- [View the policy](#)

The process is expected to begin within the next several months. Once the date has been confirmed, we will share that information.

Please contact Nicole Konkoly if you would like to receive information on how this process is anticipated to affect your ACC panel, or if you have any questions, at (303) 967-2004 or [nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org](mailto:nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org).

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### ACC Enhanced Primary Care Program Payments for State Fiscal Year 2014-15 Being Issued

Payments to providers that participated in the ACC Enhanced Primary Care Program for State Fiscal Year 2014-15 (July 2014 - June 2015) are currently being issued by the Department of Healthcare Policy and Financing, through the Department's fiscal agent, Xerox. The payments were based on capitation payments made to each provider during State Fiscal Year 2014-15. Practices should have received a file with their payment details in an email from Nicole Konkoly at RMHP on or around September 14th. If you have any questions about your payment, please contact Nicole at (303) 967-2004 or [nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org](mailto:nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org).

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### Key Performance Indicator (KPI) Payment for State Fiscal Year 2014-15, Q3

We are pleased to share that as a region we have surpassed our Tier 1 target for the Post-Partum Visit Key Performance Indicator (KPI) for the 3rd Quarter of State Fiscal Year 2014-15. As a result, all participating Primary Care Medical Providers will receive a quarterly incentive payment. As a reminder, KPI incentive payments are calculated based on the size of your panel, but health outcomes are calculated regionally, not at the practice level.

If you have any questions or would like additional information about your practice's payment, please contact Nicole Konkoly at (303) 967-2004 or [nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org](mailto:nicole.konkoly@rmhp.org).

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### Tobacco Cessation Group Seeks Provider Participation

One of the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE)'s tobacco grantees is working to help promote the [Medicaid tobacco cessation benefit](#) to both providers and Medicaid members. As part of their project, they are convening a group of providers and stakeholders that they are calling the Medicaid Cessation Resource Group, to help inform their provider and member campaigns. They are currently seeking providers and other stakeholders who serve Medicaid clients who are interested in participating in this group.

For additional information or to express your interest in participating, please contact Laura Gerard by Friday, October 23rd, at 303-262-4325 or by email at [laura\\_gerard@isi.com](mailto:laura_gerard@isi.com).

Thank you for your commitment to serving as a Medical Home for RCO Members and ensuring the success of the Medicaid ACC program. Please [contact us](#) at any time with questions or feedback.

Sincerely,

The Accountable Care Collaborative Team,  
Rocky Mountain Health Plans



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