

OREGON
SETION 1115 FAMILY PLANNING DEMONSTRATION
FACT SHEET

Program Name: **Oregon Contraceptive Care (CCare)**
 (Formerly known as Oregon Family Planning Expansion Project)

Initial Application

Date Proposal Submitted: February 18, 1998
Date Approved: October 14, 1998
Date of Implementation: January 1, 1999
Expiration Date: September 30, 2003
 Temporary extensions granted through October 31, 2003

First Extension

Date Proposal Submitted: May 2003
Date Approved: October 30, 2003
Expiration Date: October 31, 2006

Second Extension

Date Proposal Submitted: May 10, 2006
Date Approved: December 21, 2006
Date of Implementation: November 1, 2006
Expiration Date: October 31, 2009
 Temporary extensions granted through March 31, 2010

Third Extension

Date Proposal Submitted April 24, 2009
Date Approved: March 26, 2010
Expiration Date: October 31, 2012
 Temporary extensions granted through December 31, 2016

Fourth Extension

Date Proposal Submitted: April 15, 2016
Date Approved: August 9, 2016
Expiration Date: December 31, 2021

PROGRAM SUMMARY & OVERVIEW

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) originally approved this Medicaid demonstration, called “Oregon Family Planning Expansion Project” on October 14, 1998 to expand the availability of Medicaid-supported contraceptive management services to a wider population of individuals. The state implemented the program on January 1, 1999 and it has been consistently extended by CMS since that date.

The program, renamed “Oregon ContraceptiveCare (CCare)” in August 2016, continues to provide Medicaid family planning services to eligible men and women of childbearing age who

are not otherwise eligible for Medicaid, may not have insurance, and/or are not able to use their available insurance to meet their reproductive healthcare needs. Individuals who receive family planning services under this demonstration program are also provided with information and resources to help them access primary services and health coverage on an ongoing basis.

ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility for this demonstration is limited to men and women of childbearing age who are not otherwise eligible for Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and whose household income is at or below 250 percent of the FPL.

Eligible individuals are enrolled in CCare at the point of service (clinic site) but final determinations of eligibility are made by the state. CCare eligibility is effective for one year once established. Eligibility re-determination occurs annually or sooner if a demonstration enrollee has lost CCare eligibility for some reason and is seeking to reestablish it.

DELIVERY SYSTEM

Oregon's family planning provider network is made up of 54 agencies that are administrative units of programs or providers and 156 clinic sites where services are provided. The state's family planning network includes a broad range of provider types such as County Health Departments, Federally Qualified Health Centers and Rural Health Clinics, college/university health services and School-Based Health Centers, and a small number of private providers. Services under this demonstration are provided and reimbursed through a fee-for-service (FFS) delivery system.

BENEFITS

Individuals eligible under this demonstration will receive the below list of family planning services and supplies:

- a) FDA-approved methods of contraception;
- b) Laboratory tests done during an initial family planning visit for contraception include a Pap smear, screening tests for STIs/STDs, blood count and pregnancy test. Additional screening tests may be performed depending on the method of contraception desired and the protocol established by the clinic, program or provider. Additional laboratory tests may be needed to address a family planning problem or need during an inter-periodic family planning visit for contraception;
- c) Drugs, supplies, or devices related to women's health services described above that are prescribed by a health care provider who meets the state's provider enrollment requirements, subject to the national drug rebate program requirements;
- d) Contraceptive management patient education and counseling; and,
- e) Vasectomies for men over the age of 21.

QUALITY & EVALUATION

Oregon has developed an evaluation plan with specific performance targets and sampling methodologies focused on achieving the overall demonstration goal of improving the well-being of children and families by reducing unintended pregnancies and providing assistance in accessing primary health care services and comprehensive health care coverage. The state will evaluate its performance in achieving the following list of objectives designed to promote the objectives of the Medicaid program:

- a) Increasing the proportion of clients who use a highly effective or moderately effective contraceptive method;
- b) Increasing the proportion of clients who receive help to access primary care services and comprehensive health coverage;
- c) Increasing the proportion of reproductive-age Oregonians who use a highly effective or moderately effective contraceptive method;
- d) Increasing the proportion of sexually experienced high school students who report using a method of contraception at last intercourse;
- e) Decreasing the proportion of Oregon births classified as unintended;
- f) Decreasing the unintended pregnancy rate in Oregon; and,
- g) Decreasing teen pregnancy rates in Oregon.

COST SHARING

There are no cost sharing requirements under this demonstration.

AMENDMENTS

The state has not requested any amendments to date.

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