### Facesheet: 1. Request Information (1 of 2)

- **A.** The **State** of **Michigan** requests a waiver/amendment under the authority of section 1915(b) of the Act. The Medicaid agency will directly operate the waiver.
- **B.** Name of Waiver Program(s): Please list each program name the waiver authorizes.

Short title (nickname)	Long title	Type of Program	
MI Health Link	MI Health Link	MCO;	

Waiver Application Title (optional - this title will be used to locate this waiver in the finder):

MI Health Link

- C. Type of Request. This is an:
  - $oxed{ extstyle imes}$  Amendment request for an existing waiver.

The amendment modifies (Sect/Part):

Section D: Cost Effectiveness

Updates to the CY 2020(P1) and 2021 (P2) projected experience have been made to align with actual capitation payments made during these time periods. We have also made updates for CY 2022(P3) consistent with the recently developed capitation rates.

Sections modified include: D-E D1; D-J D4 a.2.i; D-K D5; D-L D6; D-M D7

**Requested Approval Period:** (For waivers requesting three, four, or five year approval periods, the waiver must serve individuals who are dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare.)

- $O_{1 \text{ year}}$
- O<sub>2 years</sub>
- O<sub>3 years</sub>
- O<sub>4 years</sub>
- 5 years

Draft ID:MI.030.01.01

Waiver Number:MI.0717.R01.01

**D. Effective Dates:** This amendment is requested for a period of 5 years. (For beginning date for an initial or renewal request, please choose first day of a calendar quarter, if possible, or if not, the first day of a month. For an amendment, please identify the implementation date as the beginning date, and end of the waiver period as the end date)

Approved Effective Date of Base Waiver being Amended: 01/01/20

Proposed Effective Date: (mm/dd/yy)

01/01/23

Facesheet: 2. State Contact(s) (2 of 2)

**E. State Contact:** The state contact person for this waiver is below:

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 Phone:
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If the State contact information is different for any of the authorized programs, please check the program name below and provide the contact information.

The State contact information is different for the following programs:

☐ MI Health Link

Note: If no programs appear in this list, please define the programs authorized by this waiver on the first page of the

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### Tribal consultation.

For initial and renewal waiver requests, please describe the efforts the State has made to ensure Federally recognized tribes in the State are aware of and have had the opportunity to comment on this waiver proposal.

Relative to the Waiver Amendment two notices went out from MDHHS as follows:

- -L 21-77 distributed 11/9/21 To all Tribal Chairs and Health Directors notifying them of the State's intent to submit this waiver amendment with comment period through 12/27/21.
- -L 21-78 was distributed on 11/9/21 to Prepaid Inpatient Health Plans, Integrated Care Organizations, and Interested Stakeholders notifying them of the State's intent to submit this waiver amendment. A comment period exhausted on 12/9/21.
- -A newspaper forum was used for notification of the amendment. This public notice was made 11/9/21 in multiple newspapers with comment period through 12/14/21.

A tribal notice distributed 11/9/21 with a comment period through 12/27/21. No comments were received.

A stakeholder letter distributed 11/9/21 with a comment period through 12/9/21. No comments were received.

A public notice was published in the newspapers with a comment period through 12/14/21. No comments were received.

### **Program History.**

For renewal waivers, please provide a brief history of the program(s) authorized under the waiver. Include implementation date and major milestones (phase-in timeframe; new populations added; major new features of existing program; new programs added).

The MI Health Link 1915 concurrent (b) and (c) Waivers were approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), effective January 1, 2015 to integrate care for Medicare-Medicaid beneficiaries in four regions (Upper Peninsula, Southwest Michigan, Macomb County and Wayne County.) The 1915(b) program authorized under section 1915(b)(1), 1915(b)(2), and 1915(b)(4) of the Social Security Act (the Act) allows Michigan to require mandatory enrollment of all individuals dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid who choose to participate in MI Health Link, into the state's contracted managed care organizations for Medicaid state plan services and services approved under the 1915(c) waiver. The 1915(c) Home and Community Based (HCBS) Waiver is approved to serve individuals that are 65 and older and individuals with physical disabilities from ages 18-64 (note MI Health Link minimum age is 21.) The c-waiver provides HCBS for individuals who, absent the waiver, would require services in a nursing facility.

The Demonstration is governed by a Memorandum of Understanding and a 3-way contract between CMS, the State of Michigan, and the selected Medicare-Medicaid Plans known as Integrated Care Organizations that provide services to enrollees and carry out the waiver obligations. The 3-way contracts were executed on October 7, 2014 and enrollment began in March of 2015 and was phased in. During phase 1 eligible beneficiaries in two demonstration regions (Upper Peninsula and Southwest Michigan) were enrolled. During March and April 2015 only opt-in enrollments were effective. Passive enrollment in these two regions occurred in May and June 2015. Phase 2 began in May 2015 with 2 months of opt-in enrollment in the two remaining demonstration regions (Wayne and Macomb Counties.) Passive enrollments for these two regions occurred in July, August, and September 2015. Opt-in enrollment continued beyond phases 1 and 2 for all eligible individuals. There was no passive enrollment from October 2015 through May 2016 except in January of 2016. Monthly passive enrollment began in June of 2016 and continued through March of 2018. There was a moratorium on passive enrollment for the months of April 2018- July 2019 except for the months of May 2018 and June 2019 due to issues arising from systems conversions.

The C- Waiver provides participant self-direction opportunities and offers the following services: adult day program, respite, adaptive medical equipment and supplies, fiscal intermediary, assistive technology, chore services, environmental modifications, expanded community living supports, home delivered meals, non-medical transportation, personal emergency response system, preventative nursing services, and private duty nursing. Community Transitions Services were included in the c-waiver until October 1, 2018 when CMS approved a 1915(i)State Plan Amendment. The goal of the waiver is to provide home and community based supports and services to participants using a person-centered planning process that allows them to maintain or improve their health, welfare, and quality of life.

The MI Health Link HCBS Waiver is administered by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), Medical Services Administration (MSA), which is the Single State Agency. The first C-Waiver enrollment occurred in July 2015.

There were several changes to the demonstration that occurred during the first waiver period. Deemed enrollment was implemented in July of 2016 and a new passive algorithm was implemented in July of 2017 and again in August of 2019. The three way contract was amended in 2016 to strengthen care coordination requirements related to engaging enrollees and person centered care planning. In 2018 the three way contract was again amended to reflect revised requirements related to assessment deadlines, and Integrated Care Team Meetings and responsibilities. This amendment also expanded the allowable credentials of the Care Coordinator and Supports Coordinator role.

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# A. Statutory Authority (1 of 3)

- 1. Waiver Authority. The State's waiver program is authorized under section 1915(b) of the Act, which permits the Secretary to waive provisions of section 1902 for certain purposes. Specifically, the State is relying upon authority provided in the following subsection(s) of the section 1915(b) of the Act (if more than one program authorized by this waiver, please list applicable programs below each relevant authority):
  - a. 1915(b)(1) The State requires enrollees to obtain medical care through a primary care case management (PCCM) system or specialty physician services arrangements. This includes mandatory capitated programs. -- Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this authority
    - MI Health Link
  - b. (2) A locality will act as a central broker (agent, facilitator, negotiator) in assisting eligible individuals in choosing among PCCMs or competing MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs in order to provide enrollees with

more information about the range of health care options open to them.  Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this authority
MI Health Link
c. 1915(b)(3) - The State will share cost savings resulting from the use of more cost-effective medical care with enrollees by providing them with additional services. The savings must be expended for the benefit of the Medicaid beneficiary enrolled in the waiver. Note: this can only be requested in conjunction with section 1915(b)(1) or (b)(4) authority.  Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this authority
MI Health Link
d. P15(b)(4) - The State requires enrollees to obtain services only from specified providers who undertake to provide such services and meet reimbursement, quality, and utilization standards which are consistent with access, quality, and efficient and economic provision of covered care and services. The State assures it will comply with 42 CFR 431.55(f).  Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this authority
MI Health Link
The 1915(b)(4) waiver applies to the following programs
⊠ MCO
□ PIHP □ PAHP
PCCM (Note: please check this item if this waiver is for a PCCM program that limits who is eligible to be a primary care case manager. That is, a program that requires PCCMs to meet certain quality/utilization criteria beyond the minimum requirements required to be a fee-for-service Medicaid contracting provider.)  FFS Selective Contracting program Please describe:
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<b>2. Sections Waived.</b> Relying upon the authority of the above section(s), the State requests a waiver of the following sections of 1902 of the Act (if this waiver authorizes multiple programs, please list program(s) separately under each applicable statute):
a. Section 1902(a)(1) - StatewidenessThis section of the Act requires a Medicaid State plan to be in effect in all political subdivisions of the State. This waiver program is not available throughout the State.  Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this statute
MI Health Link
b. Section 1902(a)(10)(B) - Comparability of ServicesThis section of the Act requires all services for categorically needy individuals to be equal in amount, duration, and scope. This waiver program includes additional benefits such as case management and health education that will not be available to other Medicaid beneficiaries not enrolled in the waiver program.  Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this statute
MI Health Link
c. Section 1902(a)(23) - Freedom of ChoiceThis Section of the Act requires Medicaid State plans to permit all

individuals eligible for Medicaid to obtain medical assistance from any qualified provider in the State. Under this program, free choice of providers is restricted. That is, beneficiaries enrolled in this program must receive certain services through an MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.

-- Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this statute

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d. Section 1902(a)(4) - To permit the State to mandate beneficiaries into a single PIHP or PAHP, and restrict disenrollment from them. (If state seeks waivers of additional managed care provisions, please list here).
Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this statute
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e. Other Statutes and Relevant Regulations Waived - Please list any additional section(s) of the Act the State requests to waive, and include an explanation of the request.
Specify Program Instance(s) applicable to this statute
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Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

MI Health Link is a program that will coordinate supports and services for individuals who are dually eligible for both Medicare and Medicaid programs and reside in any one of the four regions as indicated in Section A, Part I (D) of this application, and meet the following other eligibility criteria.

### Included population:

Individuals who are aged and/or disabled, age 21 or older, eligible for full benefits under Medicare Part A, and enrolled under Parts B and D, receiving full Medicaid benefits, and living in Region 1, 4, 7, or 9. Also included are individuals who are eligible for Medicaid through expanded financial eligibility limits associated with nursing facility placement or under a 1915(c) HCBS waiver.

### Excluded population:

- Persons without full Medicaid coverage.
- Persons with Medicaid who reside in a State psychiatric hospital.
- Persons with commercial HMO coverage.
- Persons with Medicare Advantage through an employer.
- Persons disenrolled due to Special Disenrollment from Medicaid managed care.
- Persons incarcerated in a city, county, State, or federal correctional facility.
- Persons not living in a Demonstration region.
- Persons with Additional Low Income Medicare Beneficiary/Qualified Individuals (ALMB/QI).
- Persons enrolled in the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) or the MI Choice waiver program.
- Persons residing in a State VA Home (as f June 1, 2018)
- Individuals under age 21 who participate in the Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS) program operating under the authority of Title V.

Medicare and Medicaid supports and services will be provided through managed care organizations called Integrated Care Organizations (ICOs) under a three-way contract with CMS and MDHHS. All enrolled individuals may receive Medicaid State Plan physical health care supports and services through the MI Health Link §1915(b) waiver. This MI Health Link §1915(b) waiver operates concurrently with the §1915(c) waiver called MI Health Link HCBS. The MI Health Link HCBS waiver offers home and community-based services (HCBS) to MI Health Link enrollees who are elderly and/or physically disabled, dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid, and meet nursing facility level of care.

Under the entire MI Health Link §1915(b)/(c) waiver program, there are three capitation rate Tiers in which enrollees may be placed based on their needs. Tier 1 is for enrollees who reside in nursing facilities. Tier 1 enrollees will be given the choice of remaining in the nursing facilities or transitioning to the community and receiving home and community based services (HCBS). Tier 2 is for enrollees who participate in the MI Health Link HCBS waiver. Tier 2 enrollees would, if not for the provision of such home and community based services, require services in a nursing facility. The goal is to provide home and community based supports and services to participants using a person-centered planning process that allows them to maintain or improve their health, welfare, and quality of life. Tier 3 is for enrollees living in the community but are not eligible for MI Health Link HCBS. Michigan's Nursing Facility Level of Care Determination (NFLOCD) tool will be used to determine in which Tier an enrollee will be placed. Tier 1 enrollees may transition to the MI Health Link HCBS waiver and would then become under the Tier 2 category.

The waiver is administered by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), Medical Services Administration (MSA), which is the Single State Agency. MDHHS exercises administrative discretion in the administration and supervision of the waiver, as well as all related policies, rules, and regulations. CMS and MDHHS contract with Integrated Care Organizations (ICOs) to provide services to MI Health Link enrollees and carry out the waiver obligations. The ICOs are paid a monthly capitation rate for services rendered to MI Health Link enrollees. Each ICO must sign a provider agreement with MDHHS assuring that it meets all program requirements. ICOs may use written contracts meeting the requirements of 42 CFR 434.6 to deliver other services. Entities or individuals under contract or subcontract with the ICO must meet provider standards described elsewhere in the waiver application. Provider contracts or subcontracts also assure that providers of services receive full reimbursement for services outlined in the waiver application. Providers meeting the requirements outlined in the waiver are permitted to participate.

MI Health Link §1915(b)/(c) waiver program enrollees also may receive supports and services for needs related to behavioral health, intellectual/developmental disability, or substance use disorders through the PIHPs under the Michigan 1115 Behavioral Health Demonstration. ICOs are required to work with the PIHPs to coordinate all supports and services for enrollees.

Participants enrolled in the MI Health Link HCBS waiver may not be enrolled simultaneously in another of Michigan's §1915(c) waivers. Individuals who are enrolled in the Habilitation Supports Waiver through the PIHPs may receive services through the

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Print application selector for 1915(b) Waiver: MI.0717.R01.01 - Jan 01, 2023 Page 7 of 83 MI Health Link 1915(b) waiver but are not permitted to participate in the MI Health Link HCBS waiver. Due to Section A, Part III, Item 2 not yet being updated to reflect current 42 CFR 438 regulations, and it did not seem appropriate to add an assurance under the waiver comment area within Section A, Part III, Item 2, MDHHS is adding assurance language here. MDHHS complies with/will comply with 42 CFR Part 438 Subpart E as it applies to MCOs. **Section A: Program Description** Part I: Program Overview B. Delivery Systems (1 of 3) 1. Delivery Systems. The State will be using the following systems to deliver services: a. |X| MCO: Risk-comprehensive contracts are fully-capitated and require that the contractor be an MCO or HIO. Comprehensive means that the contractor is at risk for inpatient hospital services and any other mandatory State plan service in section 1905(a), or any three or more mandatory services in that section. References in this preprint to MCOs generally apply to these risk-comprehensive entities. **b.** PIHP: Prepaid Inpatient Health Plan means an entity that: (1) provides medical services to enrollees under contract with the State agency, and on the basis of prepaid capitation payments or other payment arrangements that do not use State Plan payment rates; (2) provides, arranges for, or otherwise has responsibility for the provision of any inpatient hospital or institutional services for its enrollees; and (3) does not have a comprehensive risk contract. Note: this includes MCOs paid on a non-risk basis. O The PIHP is paid on a risk basis O The PIHP is paid on a non-risk basis c. PAHP: Prepaid Ambulatory Health Plan means an entity that: (1) provides medical services to enrollees under contract with the State agency, and on the basis of prepaid capitation payments, or other payment arrangements that do not use State Plan payment rates; (2) does not provide or arrange for, and is not otherwise responsible for the provision of any inpatient hospital or institutional services for its enrollees; and (3) does not have a comprehensive risk contract. This includes capitated PCCMs. O The PAHP is paid on a risk basis O The PAHP is paid on a non-risk basis **d.** PCCM: A system under which a primary care case manager contracts with the State to furnish case management services. Reimbursement is on a fee-for-service basis. Note: a capitated PCCM is a PAHP. e. Fee-for-service (FFS) selective contracting: State contracts with specified providers who are willing to meet certain reimbursement, quality, and utilization standards. O the same as stipulated in the state plan O different than stipulated in the state plan Please describe: **f.** Other: (Please provide a brief narrative description of the model.)

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### **Section A: Program Description**

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C. Choice of MCOs, PIHPs, PAHPs, and PCCMs (2 of 3)

### 3. Rural Exception.

The State seeks an exception for rural area residents under section 1932(a)(3)(B) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.52(b), and assures CMS that it will meet the requirements in that regulation, including choice of physicians or case

managers, and ability to go out of network in specified circumstances. The State will use the rural exception in the following areas ( "rural area" must be defined as any area other than an "urban area" as defined in 42 CFR 412.62(f)(1)(ii)):

The rural exception is operated in the following Michigan counties (Region 1): Alger, Baraga, Chippewa, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette, Menominee, Ontonagon, and Schoolcraft.

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O Beneficiaries will be limited to a single provider in their service area					
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• Beneficiaries will be given a choice of providers in their service area

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C. Choice of MCOs, PIHPs, PAHPs, and PCCMs (3 of 3)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

### **Section A: Program Description**

# **Part I: Program Overview**

- D. Geographic Areas Served by the Waiver (1 of 2)
  - **1. General.** Please indicate the area of the State where the waiver program will be implemented. (If the waiver authorizes more than one program, please list applicable programs below item(s) the State checks.
    - Statewide -- all counties, zip codes, or regions of the State
      - -- Specify Program Instance(s) for Statewide

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- Less than Statewide
  - -- Specify Program Instance(s) for Less than Statewide

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**2. Details.** Regardless of whether item 1 or 2 is checked above, please list in the chart below the areas (i.e., cities, counties, and/or regions) and the name and type of entity or program (MCO, PIHP, PAHP, HIO, PCCM or other entity) with which the State will contract.

City/County/Region	Type of Program (PCCM, MCO, PIHP, or PAHP)	Name of Entity (for MCO, PIHP, PAHP)
Region 4	MCO	Aetna Better Health, Meridian Health Plan of Michigan
Region 1	MCO	Upper Peninsula Health Plan
Region 7	МСО	Molina, Aetna Better Health, AmeriHealth,HAP Empowered, Michigan Complete Health
Region 9	MCO	Molina, Aetna Better Health, AmeriHealth, HAP

City/County/Region	Type of Program (PCCM, MCO, PIHP, or PAHP)	Name of Entity (for MCO, PIHP, PAHP)
		Empowered, Michigan Complete Health

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# D. Geographic Areas Served by the Waiver (2 of 2)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

gions and associated counties:
gion 1: Alger, Baraga, Chippewa, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquett nominee, Ontonagon, Schoolcraft
gion 4: Barry, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, Van Buren
gion 7: Wayne
gion 9: Macomb
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neriHealth Michigan
ana Better Health
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ridian Health Plan of Michigan
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lina Healthcare of Michigan
per Peninsula Health Plan

### **Part I: Program Overview**

# E. Populations Included in Waiver (1 of 3)

Please note that the eligibility categories of Included Populations and Excluded Populations below may be modified as needed to fit the States specific circumstances.

1. Included Populations. The following populations are included in the Waiver Program:	
<ul> <li>Section 1931 Children and Related Populations are children including those eligible under S level related groups and optional groups of older children.</li> <li>Mandatory enrollment</li> </ul>	ection 1931, poverty
O Voluntary enrollment	
Section 1931 Adults and Related Populations are adults including those eligible under Section pregnant women and optional group of caretaker relatives.  O Mandatory enrollment	on 1931, poverty-leve
Voluntary enrollment	
Blind/Disabled Adults and Related Populations are beneficiaries, age 18 or older, who are el	ligible for Medicaid

due to blindness or disability. Report Blind/Disabled Adults who are age 65 or older in this category, not in Aged.
O Mandatory enrollment
O Voluntary enrollment
Blind/Disabled Children and Related Populations are beneficiaries, generally under age 18, who are eligible for
Medicaid due to blindness or disability.
O Mandatory enrollment
O Voluntary enrollment
Aged and Related Populations are those Medicaid beneficiaries who are age 65 or older and not members of the Blind/Disabled population or members of the Section 1931 Adult population.
O Mandatory enrollment
Voluntary enrollment
Foster Care Children are Medicaid beneficiaries who are receiving foster care or adoption assistance (Title IV-E), are in foster-care, or are otherwise in an out-of-home placement.  O Mandatory enrollment O Voluntary enrollment
TITLE XXI SCHIP is an optional group of targeted low-income children who are eligible to participate in Medicaid if the State decides to administer the State Childrens Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) through the Medicaid program.  O Mandatory enrollment
O Voluntary enrollment
Other (Please define):
Individuals who are aged and/or disabled, age 21 or older, eligible for full benefits under Medicare Part A, and enrolled under Parts B and D, receiving full Medicaid benefits, and living in Region 1, 4, 7, or 9. Also included are individuals who are eligible for Medicaid through expanded financial eligibility limits associated with nursing

facility placement or under a 1915(c) HCBS waiver.

Enrollees who are in need of services related to behavioral health (BH), intellectual/developmental disability (I/DD), and/or substance use disorders (SUD), will receive these services through the Michigan 1115 Behavioral Health Demonstration. Participants who are eligible for the Habilitation Supports Waiver (HSW) 1915(b)/(c) waiver, may choose to participate in the HSW instead of the MI Health Link HCBS 1915(c) waiver program, but will receive physical health supports and services through the MI Health Link 1915(b) waiver. The MI Health Link 1915(b) enrollees who are also enrolled in the HSW will also be able to receive all care coordination functions and requirements including use of the Care Bridge.

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### E. Populations Included in Waiver (2 of 3)

2. Excluded Populations. Within the groups identified above, there may be certain groups of individuals who are excluded from the Waiver Program. For example, the Aged population may be required to enroll into the program, but Dual Eligibles within that population may not be allowed to participate. In addition, Section 1931 Children may be able to enroll voluntarily in a managed care program, but Foster Care Children within that population may be excluded from that program. Please indicate if any of the following populations are excluded from participating in the Waiver Program:

- Persons without full Medicaid coverage.
- Persons with spend-down.
- Persons with Medicaid who reside in a State psychiatric hospital.
- Persons with commercial HMO coverage.
- Persons with Medicare Advantage through an employer.
- Persons disenrolled due to Special Disenrollment from Medicaid managed care.
- Persons incarcerated in a city, county, State, or federal correctional facility.
- Persons not living in a Demonstration region.
- Persons with Additional Low Income Medicare Beneficiary/Qualified Individuals (ALMB/QI).
- Persons enrolled in the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) or the MI Choice waiver program.
- Persons residing in a State VA Home (as of June 1, 2018)

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# **Part I: Program Overview**

E. Populations Included in Waiver (3 of 3)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

To avoid duplication of services, persons enrolled in either the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) or the MI Choice 1915(b)/(c) waiver program may participate in the MI Health Link Program, but must first disenroll from PACE or MI Choice.

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### F. Services (1 of 5)

List all services to be offered under the Waiver in Appendices D2.S. and D2.A of Section D, Cost-Effectiveness.

### 1. Assurances.

- The State assures CMS that services under the Waiver Program will comply with the following federal requirements:
  - Services will be available in the same amount, duration, and scope as they are under the State Plan per 42 CFR 438.210(a)(2).
  - Access to emergency services will be assured per section 1932(b)(2) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.114.
  - Access to family planning services will be assured per section 1905(a)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 431.51(b)
    - The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of more of the regulatory requirements listed above for PIHP or PAHP programs. Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any. (See note below for limitations on requirements that may be waived).
- The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM contracts for compliance with the provisions of 42 CFR 438.210(a)(2), 438.114, and 431.51 (Coverage of Services, Emergency Services, and Family Planning) as applicable. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
- This is a proposal for a 1915(b)(4) FFS Selective Contracting Program only and the managed care regulations do not apply. The State assures CMS that services will be available in the same amount, duration, and scope as they are under the State Plan.
- The state assures CMS that it complies with Title I of the Medicare Modernization Act of 2003, in so far as these requirements are applicable to this waiver.

Note: Section 1915(b) of the Act authorizes the Secretary to waive most requirements of section 1902 of the Act for the purposes listed in sections 1915(b)(1)-(4) of the Act. However, within section 1915(b) there are prohibitions on waiving the following subsections of section 1902 of the Act for any type of waiver program:

- Section 1902(s) -- adjustments in payment for inpatient hospital services furnished to infants under age 1, and to children under age 6 who receive inpatient hospital services at a Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) facility.
- Sections 1902(a)(15) and 1902(bb) prospective payment system for FQHC/RHC
- Section 1902(a)(10)(A) as it applies to 1905(a)(2)(C) comparability of FQHC benefits among Medicaid beneficiaries
- Section 1902(a)(4)(C) -- freedom of choice of family planning providers
- Sections 1915(b)(1) and (4) also stipulate that section 1915(b) waivers may not waive freedom of choice of emergency services providers.

### **Section A: Program Description**

# Part I: Program Overview

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enrol	lees in an MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM must have access to emergency services without prior authorization, even if mergency services provider does not have a contract with the entity.
	The PAHP, PAHP, or FFS Selective Contracting program does not cover emergency services.
Emer	gency Services Category General Comments (optional):
autho progr	<b>ly Planning Services.</b> In accordance with sections 1905(a)(4) and 1915(b) of the Act, and 42 CFR 431.51(b), prior rization of, or requiring the use of network providers for family planning services is prohibited under the waiver am. Out-of-network family planning services are reimbursed in the following manner:
X	The MCO/PIHP/PAHP will be required to reimburse out-of-network family planning services.
	The MCO/PIHP/PAHP will be required to pay for family planning services from network providers, and the State will pay for family planning services from out-of-network providers.
	The State will pay for all family planning services, whether provided by network or out-of-network providers.
	Other (please explain):
	Family planning services are not included under the waiver.  ly Planning Services Category General Comments (optional):
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_	C Services. In accordance with section 2088.6 of the State Medicaid Manual, access to Federally Qualified Health er (FQHC) services will be assured in the following manner:
	The program is <b>voluntary</b> , and the enrollee can disenroll at any time if he or she desires access to FQHC services.  The MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM is not required to provide FQHC services to the enrollee during the enrollment period
1	The program is <b>mandatory</b> and the enrollee is guaranteed a choice of at least one MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM which has at least one FQHC as a participating provider. If the enrollee elects not to select a MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM that gives him or her access to FQHC services, no FQHC services will be required to be furnished to the enrollee while the enrollee is enrolled with the MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM he or she selected. Since reasonable access to FQHC services will be available under the waiver program, FQHC services outside the program will not be available. Please explain how the State will guarantee all enrollees will have a choice of at least one MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM with a participating FQHC:

	Enrollees will have access to FQHCs either in the regional service area or out-of-network if an FQHC does not exist within the service area.
	The program is <b>mandatory</b> and the enrollee has the right to obtain FQHC services <b>outside</b> this waiver program through the regular Medicaid Program.
FQH	C Services Category General Comments (optional):
5. EPS	DT Requirements.
	The managed care programs(s) will comply with the relevant requirements of sections 1905(a)(4)(b) (services), 1902(a)(43) (administrative requirements including informing, reporting, etc.), and 1905(r) (definition) of the Act related to Early, Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT) program.
EPSI	DT Requirements Category General Comments (optional):
	waiver program will enroll only those individuals who are age 21 and older, therefore EPSDT would not be icable to this program.
Section A	: Program Description
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F. Service	es (4 of 5)
6. 1915	(b)(3) Services.
	This waiver includes 1915(b)(3) expenditures. The services must be for medical or health-related care, or other services as described in 42 CFR Part 440, and are subject to CMS approval. Please describe below what these expenditures are for each waiver program that offers them. Include a description of the populations eligible, provider type, geographic availability, and reimbursement method.
1915	(b)(3) Services Requirements Category General Comments:
7. Self-	referrals.
	The State requires MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs/PCCMs to allow enrollees to self-refer (i.e. access without prior authorization) under the following circumstances or to the following subset of services in the MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM contract:
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Self-referrals Requirements Category General Comments:

An enrollee may - Emergency med	access the following services without prior authorization regardless of network affiliation:
- Family planning	
, ,	nd communicable disease management from local Public Health Departments
	access the following services without prior authorization from In-Network providers: s offered by women's health specialists
8. Other.	
Other (Please	e describe)
Section A: Program	Description
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F. Services (5 of 5)	
Additional Information	Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:
_	provide for all services covered by Medicaid and Medicare and additional items or services indicated in (c) waiver application under a capitated model of financing. For additional details, refer to:
Health and Human Servi	ial Alignment Model Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the Michigan Department of ces (MDHHS) and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) act for CMS, the State of Michigan, and ICOs
Section A: Program	Description
Part II: Access	
A. Timely Access St	andards (1 of 7)
Waiver Program. Section	nat all services covered under the State plan are available and accessible to enrollees of the 1915(b) a 1915(b) of the Act prohibits restrictions on beneficiaries access to emergency services and family
1. Assurances for N	ACO, PIHP, or PAHP programs
The Sta	te assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.206 illity of Services; in so far as these requirements are applicable.
	te seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements or PIHP or PAHP programs.
	identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
I. Assurances for M  The Sta Availab  The Sta listed for	MCO, PIHP, or PAHP programs  te assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.206 fility of Services; in so far as these requirements are applicable.  te seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements or PIHP or PAHP programs.  identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to

The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, or PAHP contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.206 Availability of Services. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.

If the 1915(b) Waiver Prog	ram does not include a PCCM component, please continue with Part II.B. Capacity Standards.
Section A: Program 1	Description
Part II: Access	
A. Timely Access Sta	ndards (2 of 7)
	<b>program.</b> The State must assure that Waiver Program enrollees have reasonable access to services. he activities the State uses to assure timely access to services.
time re	bility Standards. The States PCCM Program includes established maximum distance and/or travel quirements, given beneficiarys normal means of transportation, for waiver enrollees access to the ng providers. For each provider type checked, please describe the standard.
1. —	Please describe:
	Specialists  Please describe:
	Ancillary providers
	Please describe:
4. ⊔	Dental  Please describe:
5. 🗆	Hospitals  Please describe:
	rieuse descrive.

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	Please describe:
7. 🗆	Pharmacies
	Please describe:
8.	Substance Abuse Treatment Providers
	Please describe:
9.	Other providers
	Please describe:
Section A: Program I	Description
Part II: Access	
A. Timely Access Star	ndards (3 of 7)
2. Details for PCCM	program. (Continued)
provide	<b>ntment Scheduling</b> means the time before an enrollee can acquire an appointment with his or her er for both urgent and routine visits. The States PCCM Program includes established standards for timent scheduling for waiver enrollees access to the following providers.
1.	PCPs
	Please describe:
2.	Specialists
	Please describe:
3. 🗆	Ancillary providers
	Please describe:

4.	Dental
	Please describe:
5. □	Mental Health
	Please describe:
6.	Substance Abuse Treatment Providers
	Please describe:
7.	Urgent care
	Please describe:
8.	Other providers
	Please describe:
Section A: Program	Description
Part II: Access	
A. Timely Access Sta	ndards (4 of 7)
2. Details for PCCM	program. (Continued)
c. In-Off times.	<b>ice Waiting Times</b> : The States PCCM Program includes established standards for in-office waiting For each provider type checked, please describe the standard.
1. 🗀	PCPs  Please describe:

# A. Timely Access Standards (5 of 7) 2. Details for PCCM program. (Continued) d. Other Access Standards 12/09/2022

Section A: Program Description
Part II: Access
A. Timely Access Standards (6 of 7)
3. Details for 1915(b)(4)FFS selective contracting programs: Please describe how the State assures timely access to the services covered under the selective contracting program.
Section A: Program Description
Part II: Access
A. Timely Access Standards (7 of 7)
Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:
Section A: Program Description
Part II: Access
B. Capacity Standards (1 of 6)
1. Assurances for MCO, PIHP, or PAHP programs
The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(b)(5) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.207 Assurances of adequate capacity and services, in so far as these requirements are applicable.
The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements listed for PIHP or PAHP programs.
Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, or PAHP contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(b)(5) and 42 CFR 438.207 Assurances of adequate capacity and services. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
If the 1915(b) Waiver Program does not include a PCCM component, please continue with Part II, C. Coordination and Continuity of Care Standards.
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**B.** Capacity Standards (2 of 6)

				rollees have reasonable access to services. ider capacity in the PCCM program.
a. 🗆	The State has set	enrollment limits for	r each PCCM primary car	e provider.
	Please describe th	e enrollment limits a	and how each is determine	d:
<sub>b</sub> . П	The State ensures	that there are adequa	te number of PCCM PCP	s with open panels.
	Please describe th	e States standard:		
с. 🗆	services covered u	inder the Waiver.	uate number of PCCM P	CPs under the waiver assure access to all
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Section A · Pro	gram Descripti	on		
Part II: Access	•	OII		
B. Capacity Sta				
	PCCM program.	(Continued)		
			<b>ders</b> before and during th	e Waiver.
	Provider Type	# Before Waiver	# in Current Waiver	# Expected in Renewal
	Please note any lii	mitations to the data	in the chart above:	<u>.</u>
е. 🗆	The State ensures	adequate <b>geographi</b>	c distribution of PCCMs.	
	Please describe th	e States standard:		
Section A: Pro	gram Descripti	on		
Part II: Access				
B. Capacity Sta				

	Area/(City/County/Region)	PCCM-to-Enrollee Ratio	
	Please note any changes that will occur due to	the use of physician extenders.:	
g. [	Other capacity standards.		
	Please describe:		
Section A: Pr	rogram Description		
Part II: Acce	SS		
B. Capacity S	Standards (5 of 6)		
not been number o transporta	negatively impacted by the selective contracting prof beds (by type, per facility) for facility programs,	s: Please describe how the State assures provider capacity hat ogram. Also, please provide a detailed capacity analysis of to or vehicles (by type, per contractor) for non-emergency cient capacity under the waiver program. This analysis should not the waiver.	the
Section A: Pr	ogram Description		
Part II: Acce	ss		
B. Capacity S	Standards (6 of 6)		
Additional Info	rmation. Please enter any additional information n	ot included in previous pages:	
Section A: Pr	ogram Description		
Part II: Acces	ss		
C. Coordinat	ion and Continuity of Care Standards (1	of 5)	
1. Assurance	ces for MCO, PIHP, or PAHP programs		
X	The State assures CMS that it complies with section Availability of Services; in so far as these requires	on 1932(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.206 ments are applicable.	
	•	02(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of more of the	

	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
[2	The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, or PAHP contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(c)(1)(A)(i) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.206 Availability of Services. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
Section A: 1	Program Description
Part II: Acc	cess
C. Coordina	ation and Continuity of Care Standards (2 of 5)
2. Details	on MCO/PIHP/PAHP enrollees with special health care needs.
The fol	lowing items are required.
a.	The plan is a PIHP/PAHP, and the State has determined that based on the plans scope of services, and how the State has organized the delivery system, that the <b>PIHP/PAHP need not meet the requirements</b> for additional services for enrollees with special health care needs in 42 CFR 438.208.
	Please provide justification for this determination:
b.	Identification. The State has a mechanism to identify persons with special health care needs to MCOs, PIHPs, and PAHPs, as those persons are defined by the State.  Please describe:
	Tiedse describe.
	Individuals with special health care needs are excluded from MI Health Link enrollment. This is defined as those individuals under age 21 who participate in the Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS) program operating under the authority of Title V.
c.	Assessment. Each MCO/PIHP/PAHP will implement mechanisms, using appropriate health care professionals, to assess each enrollee identified by the State to identify any ongoing special conditions that require a course of treatment or regular care monitoring. Please describe:
	Please describe the enrollment limits and how each is determined:
d.	Treatment Plans. For enrollees with special health care needs who need a course of treatment or regular care monitoring, the State requires the MCO/PIHP/PAHP to produce a treatment plan. If so, the treatment plan meets the following requirements:
	1. Developed by enrollees primary care provider with enrollee participation, and in consultation with any specialists care for the enrollee.
	2. Approved by the MCO/PIHP/PAHP in a timely manner (if approval required by plan).
	3. In accord with any applicable State quality assurance and utilization review standards.

	Please describe:
е. 🗆	<b>Direct access to specialists</b> . If treatment plan or regular care monitoring is in place, the MCO/PIHP/PAHP has a mechanism in place to allow enrollees to directly access specialists as appropriate for enrollees condition and identified needs.
	Please describe:
	gram Description
Part II: Access	
C. Coordination	n and Continuity of Care Standards (3 of 5)
	<b>PCCM program.</b> The State must assure that Waiver Program enrollees have reasonable access to services. below which of the strategies the State uses assure adequate provider capacity in the PCCM program.
a. 🗆	Each enrollee selects or is assigned to a <b>primary care provider</b> appropriate to the enrollees needs.
ь. 🗆	Each enrollee selects or is assigned to a designated <b>designated health care practitioner</b> who is primarily responsible for coordinating the enrollees overall health care.
c. 🗀	Each enrollee is receives <b>health education/promotion</b> information.
	Please explain:
d. 🗆	Each provider maintains, for Medicaid enrollees, <b>health records</b> that meet the requirements established by the State, taking into account professional standards.
e. 🗆	There is appropriate and confidential <b>exchange of information</b> among providers.
f. —	Enrollees receive information about specific health conditions that require <b>follow-up</b> and, if appropriate, are given training in self-care.
g. 🗆	Primary care case managers <b>address barriers</b> that hinder enrollee compliance with prescribed treatments or regimens, including the use of traditional and/or complementary medicine.
h. 🗀	Additional case management is provided.
	Please include how the referred services and the medical forms will be coordinated among the practitioners, and documented in the primary care case managers files.
i. 🗆	Referrals.

Please explain in detail the process for a patient referral. In the description, please include how the referred services and the medical forms will be coordinated among the practitioners, and documented in the primary care case managers files.

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**4. Details for 1915(b)(4) only programs:** If applicable, please describe how the State assures that continuity and coordination of care are not negatively impacted by the selective contracting program.

As required by the Three Way contract the Care Coordinator works with individuals to develop an individual integrated care and supports plan. The Care Coordinator is also responsible for coordination of supports and services for all enrollees served by the ICO. Additionally, the Three Way contract describes continuity and coordination of care requirements that must be followed by the ICO.

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C. Coordination and Continuity of Care Standards (5 of 5)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

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Special Health Care Needs: The State defines individuals with special health care needs as including only children or those individuals participating in the Children's Special Health Care Services program. The MI Health Link (MHL) program will not be enrolling any individuals in these groups.

Care Bridge&Care Coordination Process: There is an extensive care coordination & continuity of care process for the MHL Program, as required by, and further detailed in the MOU, the Three-Way Contract, & also the contract(s) between ICOs and PIHPs.Care coordination services are available to all enrollees. The care coordination process/framework, referred to as the Care Bridge, includes the following components. Through the Care Bridge, the members of the enrollee's care & supports team facilitate access to formal & informal supports & services identified in the enrollee's Individual Integrated Care & Supports Plan (IISCP). The Care Bridge includes an electronic Care Coordination platform which will support an Integrated Care Bridge Record(ICBR) to facilitate timely & effective information flow between the members of the care & supports team. The Care Bridge & related care coordination will provide for a person-centered approach that is consistent with the CMS model of care & Medicare & Medicaid requirements & guidance, the opportunity for enrollees to choose arrangements that support selfdetermination, appropriate access & information sharing for enrollees and treating providers, & medication review & reconciliation. The Care Bridge provides the functionality to facilitate coordination across the full continuum of the enrollee's services, supports, and providers. This includes facilitating access to appropriate community-based resources, with a focus on providing services in the most integrated setting & supporting transitions between care settings. The ICO Care Coordinator will offer care coordination services to the enrollee. The ICO Care Coordinator will be required to jointly coordinate with the PIHP supports coordinator when the enrollee has received services through a PIHP within the last 12 months, or a newly enrolled person requests or is identified as having potential need for behavioral health BH, I/DD, or SUD needs. If the enrollee has need for long term supports & services (LTSS), the ICO Care Coordinator will collaborate with the enrollee's chosen LTSS supports coordinator. All ICOs and PIHPs have the capability to exchange data, Level 1 Assessments & requests for Level 2 Assessments, & the Level 2 Assessments themselves via the C-CDA Care Bridge. The ICOs & PIHPs are currently able to use V1.5 of MHL's C-CDA & MDHHS has developed a version of the C-CDA capable of encompassing the IICSP. Care coordination will include, at a minimum, the following steps within prescribed timeframes:1) an assessment process that includes an Initial Screening, a Level I Assessment, and if needed, a Level II Assessment;2) Meeting of the Integrated Care Team (ICT), as needed or as requested by the enrollee; 3) development of an IICSP based on the person-centered planning process; 4) ongoing care coordination, facilitating access to services supports, monitoring advocacy; 5) utilizing the Care Coordination platform to develop & maintain an ICBR.

The assessment process that must be completed for all enrollees:

1)Initial Screening using specified yes/no screening questions at the time of enrollment. Questions are related to historical & current service use. The purpose is to identify enrollees with immediate needs/prioritize enrollees needing a Level I Assessment conducted in person.

2)Level I Assessment: The ICO Care Coordinator will conduct this assessment using an MDHHS approved tool to assess an enrollee's current health, welfare, functional needs & risks. This Assessment will serve as the basis for identifying need for Level II Assessment & referral. The Level I Assessment process may also include completing the Nursing Facility Level of Care Determination (NFLOCD)tool to determine whether an enrollee meets criteria for level of care as required for nursing facility residential placement or MHL HCBS waiver enrollment. More information about the NFLOCD tool may be found at https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71547\_4860\_78446\_78448-103102--,00.html

3)Level II Assessment for enrollees identified as having a need for supports and services related to LTSS, BH,I/DD, SUD,or complex medical conditions. The Level II Assessment tools) are determined by MDHHS. If an individual has been assessed within the previous 12 months, the current assessment may be incorporated into the IICSP until the time of the annual reassessment or if the enrollee has a significant change in condition.

The enrollee must be reassessed at least annually, or sooner if there is a significant change in condition or upon request from the enrollee.

Integrated Care Team (ICT):An ICT will be offered to each enrollee. Membership will include the enrollee (to the extent he or she chooses to participate),his or her chosen allies,the ICO Care Coordinator,PCP,& LTSS Supports Coordinator,&/or PIHP Supports Coordinator(as applicable),& other individuals as appropriate. The role of the ICT is to participate in the person-centered planning process as directed by the enrollee,collaborate with other ICT members to ensure the person-centered planning process is maintained, assist the enrollee in meeting their goals,ensure the IICSP is monitored & implemented according to the enrollee's goals, review assessment or test results as needed, address transitions of care when a change between care settings occurs, ensure continuity of care, & monitor issues related to quality of care & quality of life. Refer to Table 7-C in the MOU for details regarding continuity of care transition requirements for different types of services such as primary care, DME, surgeries, chemotherapy & radiation, dialysis treatment, home health, nursing facility services,&others.

### **Section A: Program Description**

**Part III: Quality** 

### 1. Assurances for MCO or PIHP programs

×	The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(c)(1)(A)(iii)-(iv) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.202,
	438.204, 438.210, 438.214, 438.218, 438.224, 438.226, 438.228, 438.230, 438.236, 438.240, and 438.242 in so
_	far as these regulations are applicable.
Ш	The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements
	listed for PIHP programs.
	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:

- The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, or PAHP contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(c)(1)(A)(iii)-(iv) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.202, 438.204, 438.210, 438.214, 438.218, 438.224, 438.226, 438.228, 438.230, 438.236, 438.240, and 438.242. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
- Section 1932(c)(1)(A)(iii)-(iv) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.202 requires that each State Medicaid agency that contracts with MCOs and PIHPs submit to CMS a written strategy for assessing and improving the quality of managed care services offered by all MCOs and PIHPs.

The State assures CMS that this quality strategy was initially submitted to the CMS Regional Office on:

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The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(c)(2) of the Act and 42 CFR 438 Subpart E, to arrange for an annual, independent, **external quality review** of the outcomes and timeliness of, and access to the services delivered under each MCO/ PIHP contract. Note: EQR for PIHPs is required beginning March 2004. *Please provide the information below (modify chart as necessary):* 

	Name of	Ac	ivities Conducted		
Program Type Organ		EQR study	Mandatory Activities	Optional Activities	
мсо	Health Services Advisory Group (HSAG)	CMS and MDHHS shall coordinate the ICO external quality reviews conducted by the Quality Improvement Organizatio (QIO) and External Quality Review Organizatio (EQRO).	performance measurement and 3)		

	Name of	Activities Conducted			
Program Type	Organization	EQR study	Mandatory Activities	Optional Activities	
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Section A: Pr	ogram Description				
Part III: Qua	lity				
2. Assuranc	es For PAHP program				
	The State assures CMS that it complies with s 438.214, 438.218, 438.224, 438.226, 438.228 The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4 listed for PAHP programs.	, 438.230 and 43	8.236, in so far a	s these regulation	ns are applicable.
	Please identify each regulatory requirement f which the waiver will apply, and what the Sta		•		program(s) to
	The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and a section 1932(c) (1)(A)(iii)-(iv) of the Act and 438.230 and 438.236. If this is an initial waiv	42 CFR 438.210	), 438.214, 438.2	18, 438.224, 438	.226, 438.228,
	provisions will be submitted to the CMS Reg MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.	ional Office for a	pproval prior to e	enrollment of ber	reficiaries in the
Section A: Pro	ogram Description				
Part III: Qua	lity				
	or PCCM program. The State must assure that f adequate quality. Please note below the strate	•			
a. [	The State has developed a set of overall qu	•	-	•	
	Please describe:				
Section A: Pro	ogram Description				
Part III: Qua	lity				
3. Details fo	<b>State Intervention</b> : If a problem is identification intervene as indicated below.	ed regarding the	quality of service	es received, the S	tate will
	1. Provide education and information	al mailings to ben	neficiaries and PC	CCMs	
	2. Initiate telephone and/or mail	inquiries and foll	ow-up		

3.	Request PCCMs response to identified problems
4.	Refer to program staff for further investigation
5.	☐ Send warning letters to PCCMs
6.	Refer to States medical staff for investigation
7.	☐ Institute corrective action plans and follow-up
8.	Change an enrollees PCCM
9.	☐ Institute a restriction on the types of enrollees
10.	Further limit the number of assignments
11.	Ban new assignments
12.	Transfer some or all assignments to different PCCMs
13.	Suspend or terminate PCCM agreement
14.	Suspend or terminate as Medicaid providers
15.	Other
	Please explain:
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Section A: Program I	Description
Section A: Program I Part III: Quality	Description
2. Details for PCCM c. Selection	program. (Continued) on and Retention of Providers: This section provides the State the opportunity to describe any
2. Details for PCCM c. Selection requires qualific PCCM	program. (Continued) on and Retention of Providers: This section provides the State the opportunity to describe any ments, policies or procedures it has in place to allow for the review and documentation of ations and other relevant information pertaining to a provider who seeks a contract with the State or administrator as a PCCM. This section is required if the State has applied for a 1915(b)(4) waiver that
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Please describe:

listed for PIHP or PAHP programs.

	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
X	The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(d)(2) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.104 Marketing activities. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
	This is a proposal for a 1915(b)(4) FFS Selective Contracting Program only and the managed care regulations do not apply.
Section A: Pr	rogram Description
Part IV: Prog	gram Operations
A. Marketing	g (2 of 4)
2. Details	
a. So	cope of Marketing
	1. The State does not permit direct or indirect marketing by MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM or selective contracting FFS providers.
	2. The State permits indirect marketing by MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM or selective contracting FFS providers (e.g., radio and TV advertising for the MCO/PIHP/PAHP or PCCM in general).
	Please list types of indirect marketing permitted:
	ICOs may participate in group marketing events and provide general audience materials such as general circulation brochures, pamphlets, newspaper articles, newspaper/magazine/billboard/radio/television advertisements, signs, non-ICO sponsored events, public transportation, mailings to general population, malls or commercial retail establishments, community centers, churches, non-ICO sponsored health fairs conducted in a public setting and provided to the general public. Some marketing and outreach may be conducted at local senior centers. ICOs must refer all potential enrollees to the enrollment broker for enrollment questions and information. Marketing materials must be approved by CMS and/or the State in accordance with federal or State policies and as indicated in Michigan's Request for Proposals (RFP) for the MI Health Link program, the MOU, and/or the Three-Way Contract. Additional requirements will be described in the RFP, MOU and the Three-Way Contract.
	3. The State permits direct marketing by MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM or selective contracting FFS providers (e.g., direct mail to Medicaid beneficiaries).
	Please list types of direct marketing permitted:
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b. Description. Pl	lease describe the St	ates procedures r	regarding direct	and indirect	marketing by	answering the
following quest	tions, if applicable.					

1.	The State prohibits or limits MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs/PCCMs/selective contracting FFS providers from
	offering gifts or other incentives to potential enrollees.

Please explain any limitation or prohibition and how the State monitors this

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		Direct marketing to individual enrollees or potential enrollees is prohibited.
		ICOs are allowed to market their services to the general population within their entire service area. The ICO may not provide inducements through which compensation, reward, or supplementary benefits or services are offered to individuals to enroll or remain enrolled with the ICO. The State, and CMS in some instances, will review and approve marketing materials.
		Marketing materials and processes will be reviewed during MI Health Link annual compliance reviews.
2.		The State permits MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs/PCCMs/selective contracting FFS providers to pay their marketing representatives based on the number of new Medicaid enrollees he/she recruited into the plan.
		Please explain how the State monitors marketing to ensure it is not coercive or fraudulent:
3.	×	The State requires MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM/selective contracting FFS providers to translate marketing materials.
		Please list languages materials will be translated into. (If the State does not translate or require the translation of marketing materials, please explain):
		Prevalent Language is defined as specific Non-English Languages that are spoken as the primary language by more than 5% of the ICO's enrollee population. Materials are translated into all Prevalent Languages. Oral translation is also required for all individuals.
	The	State has chosen these languages because (check any that apply):
		a. The languages comprise all prevalent languages in the service area.
		Please describe the methodology for determining prevalent languages:
		Prevalent language is defined as specific Non-English Languages that are spoken as the primary language by more than 5% of the ICO's enrollee population. Materials are translated into all Prevalent Languages. Oral translation is also required.
		The languages comprise all languages in the service area spoken by approximately percent or more of the population.
		c. Other
		Please explain:

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Additional Information. Please enter any add	litional information not included in previous pages:	
Section A: Program Description		
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<b>B.</b> Information to Potential Enrollees	s and Enrollees (1 of 5)	
1. Assurances		
	t complies with Federal Regulations found at section 1932(a) uirements; in so far as these regulations are applicable.	o(5) of the Act and 42
	waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more dabove for PIHP or PAHP programs.	re of more of the
••	ory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if	
compliance with the provision this is an initial waiver, the So	as reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM ons of section 1932(a)(5) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.10 Informate assures that contracts that comply with these provisions proval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP	mation requirements. If will be submitted to the
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Section A: Program Description		
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B. Information to Potential Enrollees	s and Enrollees (2 of 5)	
2. Details		
a. Non-English Languages		

1.  $\boxed{\times}$  Potential enrollee and enrollee materials will be translated into the prevalent non-English languages.

Please list languages materials will be translated into. (If the State does not require written materials to be translated, please explain):

langu	alent Language is defined as Specific Non-English Language that is spoken as the primary tage by more than 5% of the potential enrollee/enrollee population. Enrollee materials are lated into all Prevalent Languages.	
If the	State does not translate or require the translation of marketing materials, please explain:	
The S	tate defines prevalent non-English languages as: (check any that apply):	
8	The languages spoken by significant number of potential enrollees and enrollees.	
	Please explain how the State defines significant.:	
t	The languages spoken by approximately 5.00 percent or more of the potential enrollee/enrollee population.	
(	c. ☐ Other	
	Please explain:	
	e describe how oral translation services are available to all potential enrollees and enrollees, dless of language spoken.	
poter	and Michigan ENROLLS are required to have oral translation services available to any stial enrollees or enrollees. ICOs will be required to have oral interpretation services through interpreters or via telephone through the Member Services toll-free telephone line.	
	The State will have a mechanism in place to help enrollees and potential enrollees understand the managed care program.	
Pleas	e describe:	
provi reque	State, the Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP), and Michigan ENROLLS will de factual and unbiased information about ICOs to potential enrollees and enrollees upon est. All enrollees are provided with basic information about the program and any enrollee rights protections as required in 42 CFR 438.10.	
Section A: Program Descr	iption	
Part IV: Program Operati	ions	
<b>B.</b> Information to Potentia	al Enrollees and Enrollees (3 of 5)	
2. Details (Continued)		
b. Potential Enrolle	e Information	
Information is dist	cributed to potential enrollees by:	
⊠ State		
⊠ Contractor		

Please specify:

ICOs, Michigan's State Health Insurance Program (Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP)), or Michigan ENROLLS will distribute information to potential enrollees. The State may also distribute information. Potential enrollees may call 1-800-MEDICARE for information related to Medicare, but the beneficiary should contact Michigan ENROLLS for MI Health Link enrollment information.

There are no potential enrollees in this program. (Check this if State automatically enrolls beneficiaries into a single PIHP or PAHP.)

### **Section A: Program Description**

### **Part IV: Program Operations**

### **B.** Information to Potential Enrollees and Enrollees (4 of 5)

#### 2. Details (Continued)

#### c. Enrollee Information

The State has designated the following as responsible for providing required information to enrollees:

☐ the State

X State contractor

Please specify:

Michigan ENROLLS and possibly Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program (MMAP).

The MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM/FFS selective contracting provider.

### **Section A: Program Description**

#### **Part IV: Program Operations**

### **B.** Information to Potential Enrollees and Enrollees (5 of 5)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

Enrollment Counseling is provided by Michigan ENROLLS through telephone access and information distributed in the mail. Michigan ENROLLS holds subcontracts with local agencies that provide both information sessions as well as opportunities for individual counseling. All counselors hired by MAXIMUS, (dba Michigan ENROLLS) receive initial training that addresses the special needs of the Medicaid population, such as referral to community mental health agencies and other local agencies that provide services for that population. They also receive desk references that provide the information that can be referenced after training is completed. The Michigan ENROLLS maintains a TTY phone line for individuals who are hearing impaired. The field staff is also provided with the same training as the call center staff. The regional coordinators, who oversee the field staff, are also available to provide assistance for beneficiaries and their families in accessing necessary services, coordinating with local agencies and in assuring such services are available within the ICO choices for new enrollees.

### **Section A: Program Description**

### **Part IV: Program Operations**

### C. Enrollment and Disenrollment (1 of 6)

### 1. Assurances

The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(a)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.56 Disenrollment; in so far as these regulations are applicable.

	The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements listed for PIHP or PAHP programs. (Please check this item if the State has requested a waiver of the choice of plan requirements in section A.I.C.)
	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
X	The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(a)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.56 Disenrollment requirements. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.
	This is a proposal for a $1915(b)(4)$ FFS Selective Contracting Program only and the managed care regulations do not apply.
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	gram Operations
C. Enrollmen	at and Disenrollment (2 of 6)
2. Details	
	scribe the States enrollment process for MCOs/PIHPs/PAHP/PCCMs and FFS selective contracting provider by the applicable items below.
a. O	utreach
[	The State conducts outreach to inform potential enrollees, providers, and other interested parties of the managed care program.
	Please describe the outreach process, and specify any special efforts made to reach and provide information to special populations included in the waiver program:
	MDHHS staff have provided informational presentations to various stakeholder groups and regional forums which include provider organizations, potential enrollees and their representatives, advocates, and other individuals. These presentations and forums will be ongoing throughout the duration of the MI Health Link program. MDHHS has also developed a website which can be found at https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/0,5885,7-339-71551_2945_64077,00.html
	The enrollment broker (Michigan ENROLLS) does most of the outreach. Refer to Part IV(B)(Additional Information) for details. The Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program may also conduct some outreach activities.
Section A: Pr	rogram Description
Part IV: Prog	gram Operations
C. Enrollmen	t and Disenrollment (3 of 6)
2. Details (	
b. A	dministration of Enrollment Process
	☐ State staff conducts the enrollment process.

	The State contracts with an independent contractor(s) (i.e., enrollment broker) to conduct the enrollment
	process and related activities.
	The State assures CMS the enrollment broker contract meets the independence and freedom from conflict of interest requirements in section 1903(b) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.810.
	Broker name: Michigan ENROLLS
	Please list the functions that the contractor will perform:
	Choice counseling
	× enrollment
	× other
	Please describe:
	Enrollment Counseling is provided by Michigan ENROLLS through telephone access, face to
	face meetings and information distributed in the mail. Michigan ENROLLS holds subcontracts with local agencies that provide both information sessions as well as
	opportunities for individual counseling. The majority of enrollment contact is through the telephone.
	All counselors hired by MAXIMUS, (dba Michigan ENROLLS) are given initial training that addresses the special needs of the Medicaid population. Michigan ENROLLS also has desk
	references that provide the reference information that can be utilized after training is
	completed. Michigan ENROLLS maintains a dedicated TTY phone line for hearing impaired. The field staff is also provided with the same training as the call center staff. The regional
	coordinators, who oversee the field staff, are also available to provide assistance for
	beneficiaries and their families in accessing necessary services, coordinating with local
	agencies and in assuring such services are available within the ICO network for new enrollees.
☐ State	allows MCO/PIHP/PAHP or PCCM to enroll beneficiaries.
Pleas	se describe the process:
Section A: Program	Description
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	Disenrollment (4 of 6)
2. Details (Continue	d)
	<b>nt</b> . The State has indicated which populations are mandatorily enrolled and which may enroll on a basis in Section A.I.E.
$\square$ This	is a <b>new</b> program.
	e describe the <b>implementation schedule</b> (e.g. implemented statewide all at once; phased in by area; ed in by population, etc.):

The State **automatically re-enrolls** a beneficiary with the same PCCM or MCO/PIHP/PAHP if there is a loss of Medicaid eligibility of 2 months or less.

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**Part IV: Program Operations** 

C. Enrollment and Disenrollment (5 of 6)

### 2. Details (Continued)

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	of wheth	her j ond i	lows enrollees to <b>disenroll</b> from/transfer between MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs and PCCMs. Regardless plan or State makes the determination, determination must be made no later than the first day of month following the month in which the enrollee or plan files the request. If determination is not a this time frame, the request is deemed approved.
	i.		Enrollee submits request to State.
	ii.		Enrollee submits request to MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM. The entity may approve the request, or refer it to the State. The entity may not disapprove the request.
	iii.		Enrollee must seek redress through MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM grievance procedure before determination will be made on disenrollment request.
			oes not permit disenrollment from a single PIHP/PAHP (authority under 1902 (a)(4) authority uested), or from an MCO, PIHP, or PAHP in a rural area.
	The Star	te ha	as a <b>lock-in</b> period (i.e. requires continuous enrollment with MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM) of
	CFR 43	8.56	months (up to 12 months permitted). If so, the State assures it meets the requirements of 42 (cc).
	period (	in a	ribe the good cause reasons for which an enrollee may request disenrollment during the lock-in ddition to required good cause reasons of poor quality of care, lack of access to covered services, access to providers experienced in dealing with enrollees health care needs):
×	terminat	te oı	bes not have a <b>lock-in</b> , and enrollees in MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs and PCCMs are allowed to a change their enrollment without cause at any time. The disenrollment/transfer is effective no later at day of the second month following the request.
X	The Star	te pe	ermits MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs and PCCMs to request disenrollment of enrollees.
			MCO/PIHP/PAHP and PCCM can request reassignment of an enrollee.
			Please describe the reasons for which enrollees can request reassignment
			The ICO may initiate special disenrollment requests for behaviors as defined in 42 CFR 438.56.
	ii.	X	The State reviews and approves all MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM-initiated requests for enrollee transfers or disenrollments.
	iii.	×	If the reassignment is approved, the State notifies the enrollee in a direct and timely manner of the desire of the MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM to remove the enrollee from its membership or from the

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MCO/PIHP/PAHP/PCCM is chosen or assigned.

**Section A: Program Description** 

### **Part IV: Program Operations**

C. Enrollment and Disenrollment (6 of 6)

Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

PCCMs caseload.

Enrollment:

Beneficiary-elected enrollment is effective the first calendar day of the month following the initial receipt of a beneficiary's request to enroll, or the first day of the month following the month in which the beneficiary is eligible, as applicable for an individual enrollee.

MDHHS will conduct ongoing Passive enrollment which is effective no sooner than 60 days after beneficiary notification of the right to select an ICO.

Effective July 1, 2016 MDHHS implemented a new process for beneficiary enrollment involving those individuals who lose Medicaid eligibility. In many cases, loss of eligibility is only temporary due to delays in Medicaid redetermination paperwork submission or processing. Even though it appears that these individuals have lost Medicaid according to state enrollment systems they will be "deemed" eligible for the MI Health Link program and remain enrolled in the Integrated Care Organization during a deeming period. This period will last up to three (3) months after an individual loses full Medicaid eligibility, or until the individual regains full Medicaid eligibility, whichever is sooner. Integrated Care Organizations are required to provide MI Health Link covered services to individuals during this time. Additionally, individuals who are determined to have lesser Medicaid (ALMB, SLMB, QMB, or spenddown) will remain enrolled with the ICO for up to three (3) months after the full Medicaid end date or until they regain full Medicaid eligibility, whichever is sooner. If after the deeming period the individual does not regain full Medicaid eligibility, he or she will be disenrolled from the ICO effective the last day of the deeming period.

### **Section A: Program Description**

### Part IV: Program Operations

### D. Enrollee Rights (1 of 2)

1. Assuran	ces					
X	The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(a)(5)(B)(ii) of the Act and 42 CFR 438 Subpart C Enrollee Rights and Protections.					
	The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements listed for PIHP or PAHP programs.					
	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:					
X	The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(a)(5)(B)(ii) of the Act and 42 CFR Subpart C Enrollee Rights and Protections. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.					
	This is a proposal for a 1915(b)(4) FFS Selective Contracting Program only and the managed care regulations do not apply.					
X	The State assures CMS it will satisfy all HIPAA Privacy standards as contained in the HIPAA rules found at 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164.					
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Part IV: Pro	gram Operations					
D. Enrollee I	Rights (2 of 2)					
Additional Info	rmation. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:					
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### **Section A: Program Description**

### Part IV: Program Operations

E. Grievance System (1 of 5)

- **1. Assurances for All Programs** States, MCOs, PIHPs, PAHPs, and States in PCCM and FFS selective contracting programs are required to provide Medicaid enrollees with access to the State fair hearing process as required under 42 CFR 431 Subpart E, including:
  - **a.** informing Medicaid enrollees about their fair hearing rights in a manner that assures notice at the time of an action
  - b. ensuring that enrollees may request continuation of benefits during a course of treatment during an appeal or reinstatement of services if State takes action without the advance notice and as required in accordance with State Policy consistent with fair hearings. The State must also inform enrollees of the procedures by which benefits can be continued for reinstated, and
  - c. other requirements for fair hearings found in 42 CFR 431, Subpart E.
  - The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(a)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.56 Disenrollment; in so far as these regulations are applicable.

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- **2. Assurances For MCO or PIHP programs**. MCOs/PIHPs are required to have an internal grievance system that allows an enrollee or a provider on behalf of an enrollee to challenge the denial of coverage of, or payment for services as required by section 1932(b)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438 Subpart H.
  - The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(b)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438 Subpart F Grievance System, in so far as these regulations are applicable.

Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:

The grievance and appeal process must follow the process described in the Three-Way Contract and MOU, which include the Medicare and Medicaid processes.

The CMS Regional Office has reviewed and approved the MCO or PIHP contracts for compliance with the provisions of section 1932(b)(4) of the Act and 42 CFR 438 Subpart F Grievance System. If this is an initial waiver, the State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.

### **Section A: Program Description**

#### **Part IV: Program Operations**

E. Grievance System (3 of 5)

- 3. Details for MCO or PIHP programs
  - a. Direct Access to Fair Hearing

X	The State <b>requires</b> enrollees to <b>exhaust</b> the MCO or PIHP grievance and appeal process before enrollees may
	request a state fair hearing.

L	The State does not require enrollees to exhaust the MCO or PIHP grievance and appeal process before
	enrollees may request a state fair hearing.

b. Timeframe	s
The St	ates timeframe within which an enrollee, or provider on behalf of an enrollee, must file an <b>appeal</b> is 90 days (between 20 and 90).
The St	ates timeframe within which an enrollee must file a <b>grievance</b> is days.
c. Special Ne	eds
The St	ate has special processes in place for persons with special needs.
Please	describe:
variou	are required to provide enrollees with additional assistance for completing forms and working through as procedural steps. Additional assistance includes, but is not limited to, interpreter services and tollall centers that have TTY/TDD and interpreter capability.
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PAHP grievance properties of the provided interfere with a PC direct access to a far Medicaid covered so the grievance of the	a grievance procedure for its PCCM and/or PAHP program characterized by the following any of the following optional procedures that apply to the optional PCCM/PAHP grievance procedure): procedures are operated by:  State  States contractor.  se identify:  PCCM PAHP eview can be made in the PCCM and/or PAHP grievance system (e.g. grievance, appeals):
Please descrit	re:
☐ Has a commit	tee or staff who review and resolve requests for review.
	oe if the State has any specific committee or staff composition or if this is a fiscal agent, enrollment CM administrator function:

	Specifies a time frame from the date of action for the enrollee to file a request for review.
	Please specify the time frame for each type of request for review:
	Has time frames for resolving requests for review.  Specify the time period set for each type of request for review:
	specify the time period serjor eden type of request for remem.
	Establishes and maintains an expedited review process.  Please explain the reasons for the process and specify the time frame set by the State for this process:
	Permits enrollees to appear before State PCCM/PAHP personnel responsible for resolving the request for review. Notifies the enrollee in writing of the decision and any further opportunities for additional review, as well as the procedures available to challenge the decision.  Other.
	Please explain:
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**Additional Information.** Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:

For appeals involving Medicare and Medicaid overlapping benefits, enrollees may file an appeal through either the Medicare or Medicaid appeals processes or both.

Beginning January 1, 2018 all appeals for Medicaid service denials must be made to the ICO prior to filing an appeal with the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules (MOAHR).

If an appeal involves an ICO Medicaid only benefit and the enrollee chooses to appeal through the Michigan Department of Financial and Insurance Services (DIFS), Patient Right to Independent Review Act, external review, the enrollee must first exhaust the ICO appeal process.

Initial appeals for Medicare service denials, reductions and terminations will be made to the ICOs; sustained decisions will be auto-forwarded to the Medicare Independent Review Entity (IRE). Enrollees will be able to request a hearing before an Office of Medicare Hearings and Appeals (OMHA) administrative law judge for decisions sustained by the IRE.

The Medicaid Fair Hearing process:

Requests for State Fair Hearing filed on or after January 1, 2018 must be filed within one hundred and twenty (120) days of the notice of resolution following the ICO internal appeal process.

Enrollees have the right to a Fair Hearing when they are denied eligibility (for the MI Health Link §1915(b)/(c) waiver only, the MI Health Link 1915(b) waiver, or Medicaid in general), denied choice of providers, or when services have been denied, suspended, reduced or terminated and the decision was sustained by the ICO during the internal appeal. When denials, suspensions, reductions, or terminations occur, ICOs will provide the enrollee with a notice of denial of medical coverage. This notice of denial of medical coverage is a single, integrated form for Appeals related to Medicare and Medicaid supports and services or providers and must include the following components:

- The action the ICO has taken or intends to take;
- The reasons for the action explained in terms that are easy for the enrollee to understand;
- The citation to the supporting regulations;
- The enrollee's, provider's or authorized representative's right to file an internal Appeal with the ICO and that exhaustion of the ICO's internal Appeal processes is a prerequisite to filing an External Appeal to Medicare for a Medicare service or filing an external review (Patient's Right to Independent Review Act (PRIRA)) with DIFS or the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules (MOAHR) for a Medicaid service;
- Procedures for exercising enrollee's rights to appeal;
- The enrollee's right to request a State Fair Hearing in accordance with MCL 400.9,
- Circumstances under which expedited resolution is available and how to request it;
- The enrollee's right to request an independent review of a Medicaid service with the DIFS in the implementation of PRIRA, MCL 550.1901-1929; and
- If applicable, the enrollee's rights to have benefits continue pending the resolution of the appeal, and the circumstances under which the enrollee may be required to pay the costs of these services.

Internal or Initial Appeals for Medicaid service denials will be made to the ICO. If the ICO's decision is sustained in the Initial Appeal, the enrollee may appeal to MOAHR as long as it is within the 120 days of the notice of denial of medical coverage. All Appeals must be resolved by the ICO as expeditiously as the enrollee's condition requires, but always within 30 calendar days of the request for standard appeals, and within 72 hours of the request for expedited appeals. This timeframe may be extended up to 14 days if the party or parties can show there is a need for the delay and it is in the enrollee's best interest. MOAHR will resolve appeals as expeditiously as the enrollee's condition requires, but ordinarily within 90 calendar days of the received request. The ICO must continue to provide benefits for all prior approved benefits (excluding Medicare Part D) that are terminated or changed pending ICO Internal Appeals. For all appeals filed with MOAHR, ICOs must continue to cover benefits for requests received within 10 calendar days of the notice of denial of medical coverage. In circumstances where the time for a standard appeal is too long and may seriously jeopardize the enrollee's life, health, or ability to attain, maintain, or regain maximum function, the ICO or the enrollee's provider may request an Expedited Appeal. If the Expedited Appeal is denied, the appeal request is moved to the standard appeal timeframe and attempts must be made to notify the enrollee immediately and also provide the enrollee with written notice of the denial within two calendar days.

All appeal decisions must be in writing and must include, but not be limited to, the decision that was reached and the date of the decision. If the appeal decision is not entirely in favor of the enrollee, the following information must be included in the notification to the enrollee: 1) the right to request a State Fair Hearing and how to do so within the 120 calendar days timeframe, 2) the right to receive benefits if the Internal Appeal was received within 10 calendar days of the notice of denial of medical coverage, and 3) the right to request external review through PRIRA, DIFS, and how to do so.

Payments for services covered during a pending appeal will not be recouped based on the outcome of the appeal. Additionally, the Enrollee Handbook (or Member Handbook, the alternative name) which is provided to enrollees upon enrollment will also describe the entire appeals process including the State Fair Hearing process.

Refer to the Three-Way Contract for additional details regarding appeals and grievances processes.

### **Part IV: Program Operations**

### F. Program Integrity (1 of 3)

#### 1. Assurances

- The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(d)(1) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.610 Prohibited Affiliations with Individuals Barred by Federal Agencies. The State assures that it prohibits an MCO, PCCM, PIHP, or PAHP from knowingly having a relationship listed below with:
  - 1. An individual who is debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded from participating in procurement activities under the Federal Acquisition Regulation or from participating in nonprocurement activities under regulations issued under Executive Order No. 12549 or under guidelines implementing Executive Order No. 12549, or
  - **2.** An individual who is an affiliate, as defined in the Federal Acquisition Regulation, of a person described above.

The prohibited relationships are:

- 1. A director, officer, or partner of the MCO, PCCM, PIHP, or PAHP;
- **2.** A person with beneficial ownership of five percent or more of the MCOs, PCCMs, PIHPs, or PAHPs equity;
- **3.** A person with an employment, consulting or other arrangement with the MCO, PCCM, PIHP, or PAHP for the provision of items and services that are significant and material to the MCOs, PCCMs, PIHPs, or PAHPs obligations under its contract with the State.
- The State assures that it complies with section 1902(p)(2) and 42 CFR 431.55, which require section 1915(b) waiver programs to exclude entities that:
  - 1. Could be excluded under section 1128(b)(8) of the Act as being controlled by a sanctioned individual;
  - **2.** Has a substantial contractual relationship (direct or indirect) with an individual convicted of certain crimes described in section 1128(b)(8)(B) of the Act;
  - 3. Employs or contracts directly or indirectly with an individual or entity that is
    - **a.** precluded from furnishing health care, utilization review, medical social services, or administrative services pursuant to section 1128 or 1128A of the Act, or
    - **b.** could be exclude under 1128(b)(8) as being controlled by a sanctioned individual.

### **Section A: Program Description**

#### **Part IV: Program Operations**

F. Program Integrity (2 of 3)

#### 2. Assurances For MCO or PIHP programs

X	The State assures CMS that it complies with section 1932(d)(1) of the Act and 42 CFR 438.608 Program Integrity Requirements, in so far as these regulations are applicable.
X	
	The State seeks a waiver of section 1902(a)(4) of the Act, to waive one or more of the regulatory requirements listed for PIHP or PAHP programs.
	Please identify each regulatory requirement for which a waiver is requested, the managed care program(s) to which the waiver will apply, and what the State proposes as an alternative requirement, if any:
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State assures that contracts that comply with these provisions will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval prior to enrollment of beneficiaries in the MCO, PIHP, PAHP, or PCCM.

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Part IV: Program Operations			
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Additional Information. Please enter any additional information not included in previous pages:			
Section B: Monitoring Plan			
Part I: Summary Chart of Monitoring Activities			

**Summary of Monitoring Activities (1 of 3)** 

The charts in this section summarize the activities used to monitor major areas of the waiver program. The purpose is to provide a big picture of the monitoring activities, and that the State has at least one activity in place to monitor each of the areas of the waiver that must be monitored.

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  - There must be at least one checkmark in each column.
- PCCM and FFS selective contracting programs:
  - There must be at least one checkmark in each column under Evaluation of Program Impact.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Access.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Quality.

**Summary of Monitoring Activities: Evaluation of Program Impact** 

Evaluation of Program Impact							
Monitoring Activity	Choice	Marketing	Enroll Disenroll	Program Integrity	Information to Beneficiaries	Grievance	
Accreditation for Non- duplication	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	
Accreditation for Participation	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	
Consumer Self-Report data	MCO     PIHP     PAHP     PCCM     FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	MCO     PIHP     PAHP     PCCM     FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	
Data Analysis (non-claims)	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× MCO	× MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	

	Evaluation of Program Impact					
Monitoring Activity	Choice	Marketing	Enroll Disenroll	Program Integrity	Information to Beneficiaries	Grievance
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\mathrm{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	FFS	FFS	FFS		FFS	FFS
Enrollee Hotlines	× <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	× MCO	× <sub>MCO</sub>
	PCCM		PCCM			
	FFS FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS
Focused Studies		<del>                                     </del>			□ FF5	
Focused Studies	☐ MCO	☐ MCO	☐ MCO	☐ MCO	□ мсо	□ <sub>MCO</sub>
	□ PIHP	☐ PIHP	□ PIHP	☐ PIHP	☐ PIHP	
	□ PAHP	РАНР	□ РАНР	□ РАНР	□ РАНР	□ PAHP
	☐ PCCM	PCCM	☐ PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM
	└ FFS	☐ FFS	☐ FFS	☐ FFS	☐ FFS	☐ FFS
Geographic mapping	$\bowtie$ MCO	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{\text{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS
Independent Assessment	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$
		$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\mathrm{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>
Measure any Disparities by Racial or Ethnic Groups	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$
racial of Ethnic Groups	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS
Network Adequacy Assurance by Plan	$\boxtimes_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$
by Fian	$\square$ PIHP			$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS
Ombudsman	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$
	PIHP	PIHP	PIHP	PIHP	PIHP	PIHP
		□ РАНР		□РАНР		PAHP
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>

Evaluation of Program Impact						
Monitoring Activity	Choice	Marketing	Enroll Disenroll	Program Integrity	Information to Beneficiaries	Grievance
On-Site Review	$\boxtimes_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× MCO	$\boxtimes$ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\boxtimes$ MCO
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>
Performance Improvement Projects	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$
Tojecis	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{PAHP}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS
Performance Measures	$\boxtimes$ MCO	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× MCO
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS
Periodic Comparison of # of Providers	$\boxtimes$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$
	$\square_{\text{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS	FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$
Profile Utilization by Provider Caseload	☐ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	☐ <sub>MCO</sub>
	□ <sub>PAHP</sub>	PAHP	□ <sub>PAHP</sub>	PAHP	□ <sub>PAHP</sub>	PAHP
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM
	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS
Provider Self-Report Data	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\boxtimes$ MCO
		$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{\mathrm{PIHP}}$
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	PCCM	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	PCCM	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>
Test 24/7 PCP Availability	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$
	PAHP	$\bigsqcup_{=}^{}$ PAHP	$\bigsqcup_{=}^{PAHP}$	$\bigcap_{PAHP}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	PAHP
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM
	FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS	FFS	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>
Utilization Review	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{\mathrm{MCO}}$
			$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{PAHP}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$

		Evaluation of P	rogram Impact			
Monitoring Activity	Choice	Marketing	Enroll Disenroll	Program Integrity	Information to Beneficiaries	Grievance
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>
Other	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS

**Section B: Monitoring Plan** 

### Part I: Summary Chart of Monitoring Activities

**Summary of Monitoring Activities (2 of 3)** 

The charts in this section summarize the activities used to monitor major areas of the waiver program. The purpose is to provide a big picture of the monitoring activities, and that the State has at least one activity in place to monitor each of the areas of the waiver that must be monitored.

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  - There must be at least one checkmark in <u>each column</u> under Evaluation of Program Impact.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Access.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Quality.

### **Summary of Monitoring Activities: Evaluation of Access**

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Monitoring Activity	Timely Access	PCP / Specialist Capacity	Coordination / Continuity
Accreditation for Non-duplication	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS
Accreditation for Participation	MCO PIHP PAHP PCCM FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS	☐ MCO ☐ PIHP ☐ PAHP ☐ PCCM ☐ FFS
Consumer Self-Report data	MCO  PIHP  PAHP  PCCM  FFS	MCO     PIHP     PAHP     PCCM     FFS	MCO     PIHP     PAHP     PCCM     FFS
Data Analysis (non-claims)	□ <sub>MCO</sub> □ <sub>PIHP</sub>	⊠ <sub>MCO</sub> □ <sub>PIHP</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub> □ <sub>PIHP</sub>

Evaluation of Access					
Monitoring Activity	Timely Access	PCP / Specialist Capacity	Coordination / Continuity		
	□РАНР	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$		
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$		
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ FFS	$\square$ FFS		
Enrollee Hotlines	□мсо	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>MCO</sub>		
		$\square$ PIHP			
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$		
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$		
	$\square$ FFS	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>		
Focused Studies	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$		
		$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP		
	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>		
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$		
Geographic mapping	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	× MCO	□ <sub>MCO</sub>		
	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>		
		$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP		
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$		
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$		
Independent Assessment	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>MCO</sub>		
	РАНР	$\square_{\text{PAHP}}$			
		PCCM			
	FFS	FFS	FFS		
Measure any Disparities by Racial or Ethnic	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>		
Groups					
	РАНР	PAHP	РАНР		
		PCCM	PCCM		
		FFS	FFS		
Network Adequacy Assurance by Plan	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>мсо</sub>		
	FFS	FFS	FFS		
Ombudsman	<del>                                     </del>		<del>                                     </del>		
		☐ MCO	□ MCO		
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM		
On-Site Review	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ FFS		
On-one Review	⊠ <sub>MCO</sub>	× MCO	× MCO		

Evaluation of Access				
Monitoring Activity	Timely Access	PCP / Specialist Capacity	Coordination / Continuity	
	$\square$ PIHP	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ ext{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Performance Improvement Projects	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ ext{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Performance Measures	× MCO	× MCO	× <sub>MCO</sub>	
			$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ ext{PCCM}}$	PCCM	
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	
Periodic Comparison of # of Providers	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
		$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ ext{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	
Profile Utilization by Provider Caseload	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
		$\square$ PIHP		
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	
Provider Self-Report Data	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	
	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	
	FFS	FFS	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	
Test 24/7 PCP Availability	× MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
		$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	
Utilization Review	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
		$\square$ PIHP		
	□РАНР	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ ext{PCCM}}$	PCCM	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	

Evaluation of Access				
Monitoring Activity	Timely Access	PCP / Specialist Capacity	Coordination / Continuity	
Other	MCO     PIHP     PAHP     PCCM     FFS	MCO  PIHP  PAHP  PCCM  FFS	MCO  □ PIHP  □ PAHP  □ PCCM □ FFS	

**Section B: Monitoring Plan** 

### Part I: Summary Chart of Monitoring Activities

**Summary of Monitoring Activities (3 of 3)** 

The charts in this section summarize the activities used to monitor major areas of the waiver program. The purpose is to provide a big picture of the monitoring activities, and that the State has at least one activity in place to monitor each of the areas of the waiver that must be monitored.

Please note:

- MCO, PIHP, and PAHP programs:
  - There must be at least one checkmark in each column.
- PCCM and FFS selective contracting programs:
  - There must be at least one checkmark in <u>each column</u> under Evaluation of Program Impact.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Access.
  - There must be at least one check mark in one of the three columns under Evaluation of Quality.

**Summary of Monitoring Activities: Evaluation of Quality** 

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Monitoring Activity	Coverage / Authorization	Provider Selection	Qualitiy of Care
Accreditation for Non-duplication	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$
	$\square$ PIHP		$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM
	FFS	FFS	FFS
Accreditation for Participation	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$
	$\square$ PIHP		$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM
	FFS	FFS	FFS
Consumer Self-Report data	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× MCO
	$\square$ PIHP	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	$\square$ PIHP
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM
	$\square_{ ext{ FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$
Data Analysis (non-claims)	× <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× <sub>MCO</sub>
	$\square$ PIHP	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM

Evaluation of Quality				
Monitoring Activity	Coverage / Authorization	Provider Selection	Qualitiy of Care	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	FFS	
Enrollee Hotlines	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ FFS	FFS	
Focused Studies	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	
	FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Geographic mapping	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square$ MCO	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	
	FFS	$\square$ FFS	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Independent Assessment	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Measure any Disparities by Racial or Ethnic Groups	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
Groups	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ FFS	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Network Adequacy Assurance by Plan	$\square_{ m MCO}$	× <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	PCCM	
	FFS	FFS	FFS	
Ombudsman	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	□ РАНР	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	
	FFS	FFS	FFS	
On-Site Review	× <sub>MCO</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	

Evaluation of Quality				
Monitoring Activity	Coverage / Authorization	Provider Selection	Qualitiy of Care	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Performance Improvement Projects	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	× MCO	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Performance Measures	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	× <sub>MCO</sub>	
	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{ m PCCM}$	
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ FFS	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	
Periodic Comparison of # of Providers	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	
Profile Utilization by Provider Caseload	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	
	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\mathrm{PCCM}}$	$\square_{\text{PCCM}}$	
	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	$\square$ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	
Provider Self-Report Data	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	□ <sub>мсо</sub>	
	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square$ PAHP	$\square$ PAHP	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM	
	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	$\square_{ ext{FFS}}$	
Test 24/7 PCP Availability	$\square_{ m MCO}$	$\square_{ m MCO}$	□ <sub>MCO</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	PCCM	□ <sub>PCCM</sub>	PCCM	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	FFS	
Utilization Review	⊠ <sub>MCO</sub>	$\square$ MCO	⊠ <sub>MCO</sub>	
	$\square$ PIHP	□ <sub>PIHP</sub>	$\square_{ ext{PIHP}}$	
	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	$\square_{ ext{PAHP}}$	
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM	
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS	FFS	
Other	× MCO	× MCO	× MCO	
	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	$\square$ PIHP	

**Activity Details:** 

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itoring Activity	Coverage / Authorization	Provider Selection	Qualitiy of Care
	□РАНР	□РАНР	□РАНР
	PCCM	PCCM	PCCM
	☐ <sub>FFS</sub>	□ <sub>FFS</sub>	FFS
ion B: Monitoring Plan			
t II: Details of Monitoring Activit	ties		
ails of Monitoring Activities by A		rams	
each program authorized by this waiver l below. Programs Authorized by this Waiver:	, please provide th		ng activities by editing eacl
Program  MI Health Link		Type of Program MCO:	
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Note: If no programs appear in this list, p the	iease aejine the pro	ograms autnorized by this	waiver on
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Program Instance: MI Health Link  Please check each of the monitoring activities  State may identify any others it uses. If federa	below used by the Sta I regulations require	a given activity, this is indica	
Program Instance: MI Health Link  Please check each of the monitoring activities	below used by the Sta I regulations require ctivity, it must explain ollowing information: aid, other state agency, a(s) being monitored if the contractor is accredic ement standards, and the st	a given activity, this is indicated why.  delegated to plan, EQR, other  ted by an organization to meet certate determines that the organizatior	ated just after the name of the contractor)  ain access, as standards are at least as

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d.

NCQA
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AAAHC
Other
Please describe:
Consumer Self-Report data
Activity Details:
According to the Three-Way Contract, the ICO is required to submit an annual Adult Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems Survey (CAHPS) conducted by a certified vendor. Additionally, MDHHS also contracts with a vendor to complete an annual CAHPS survey across all ICOs.
The CAHPS is used to assess enrollee satisfaction with their healthcare experience. The CAHPS results are utilized in the scoring methodology for quality withhold and passive enrollment algorithm. The aggregate CAHPS results provide important program information as part of the State's overall quality improvement strategy. The State may also develop additional survey(s) to capture data for any CMS/State defined performance measures or other initiatives for which there are no related CAHPS measures as indicated in the MI Health Link Quality Strategy. There may also be consumer self-report data related to the concurrent MI Health Link HCBS waiver.
CAHPS Please identify which one(s):
Most current version of the CAHPS Adult completed both by each individual ICO and by MDHHS contractor across all ICOs.
State-developed survey
Disenrollment survey
Consumer/beneficiary focus group
X Data Analysis (yan alaims)
Data Analysis (non-claims)  Activity Details:
Activity Details.
The State reviews available reports and data sources to evaluate enrollment and disenrollment trends, program integrity issues, coverage and authorizations, grievances and appeal activity within the plans, and other measures established by the CMT.
The State reviews provider files to evaluate PCP/Specialist Capacity and access by plan.
MDHHS also conducts data analysis for the MI Health Link HCBS waiver Quality Improvement Strategy. There are many performance measures in the Quality Improvement Strategy that require analysis of data from many sources such as annual on-site and off-site reviews of ICOs, home visits/interviews with enrollees, the MMIS system (CHAMPS), the Waiver Management System for MI Health Link HCBS, provider monitoring reports, and the Critical Incident Management System.
Denials of referral requests
Disenrollment requests by enrollee

	From plan
	From PCP within plan
	X Grievances and appeals data
	⊠ <sub>Other</sub>
	Please describe:
	Provider Files
e.	X 5 11 11 42
	Enrollee Hotlines Activity Details:
	Activity Details:
	The State maintains a beneficiary Michigan ENROLLS telephone line to address enrollee
	inquiries regarding provider choice, enrollment/disenrollment, and other related questions and
	concerns.
f.	
1.	Focused Studies (detailed investigations of certain aspects of clinical or non-clinical services at a point in time, to answer defined
	questions. Focused studies differ from performance improvement projects in that they do not require demonstrable and sustained improvement in significant aspects of clinical care and non-clinical service)
	Activity Details:
g.	X
	— Geographic mapping
	Activity Details:
	MDHHS requires geographic mapping as part of the contract requirements for adequate
	provider networks and for changes in service area. Geographic mapping is monitored by the
	State during annual provider network validation. The ICO must have at least two available
	providers for each provider type with sufficient capacity to accept enrollees. For services
	provided in the enrollee's home, the ICO must assure that the enrollee has choice of providers.
	For services provided in the community, the ICO must assure that the enrollee has a choice of
	providers and the enrollee does not travel more than 30 miles or for more than 30 minutes to
	receive the service. (Travel time is measured during non-peak hours.) If the ICO cannot assure choice within the travel time or distance for each Enrollee, it may make a request of MDHHS
	for a rural exception.
h.	Independent Assessment (Required for first two waiver periods)
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	Activity Details:
	Activity Details:  The independent assessment for MI Health Link will be conducted by a contractor selected by
	Activity Details:  The independent assessment for MI Health Link will be conducted by a contractor selected by MDHHS. Contractor will complete the independent assessments according to CMS issued
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	Activity Details:  The independent assessment for MI Health Link will be conducted by a contractor selected by MDHHS. Contractor will complete the independent assessments according to CMS issued guidelines.
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The network adequacy data provides evaluation of and information for provider capacity, provider selection and enrollee choice.

Network Validation is completed annually in the fall.

# k. 🔀 Ombudsman

**Activity Details:** 

Through the State's procurement process, the Michigan Advocacy Program was selected to contract with MDHHS to implement the MI Health Link Ombudsman (MHLO) program. MDHHS has direct oversight of the MHLO. MDHHS will ensure all required reporting (ad hoc, quarterly, and semi-annually) is completed and forwarded to CMS.

# l. X On-Site Review

Activity Details:

MDHHS contracts with an EQRO to conduct compliance reviews to ensure ICO compliance with contract requirements for choice, program integrity, information to beneficiaries, grievances, timely access, PCP/Specialists capacity, coordination/continuity of care, coverage/authorization, provider selection, and quality of care. Compliance review reports are developed which provide a summary of findings, identification of areas in which action is needed, and opportunities for improvement.

CMT members will conduct on-site visits as needed to evaluate and monitor program activities.

m. Performance Improvement Projects [Required for MCO/PIHP]
 Activity Details:

ICOs are required to conduct Performance Improvement Projects (PIP). Generally, ICOs can select PIP topics specific to the populations within each ICO. However, the State may also identify and mandate topics for specific regional or program-wide projects. HSAG is acting as the state's EQRO and the state has defined the topic of 30 day Follow Up after Hospitalization for Mental Illness using the HEDIS measure data to measure improvement. CY 19 was year 1 of the PIP 3 year cycle. HSAG performed validation of the ICO's improvement plans.

- X Clinical
- × Non-clinical
- n. Performance Measures [Required for MCO/PIHP]

  Activity Details:

The State and ICOs are responsible for the performance measurement process. The State has established performance measures that are monitored on a regular basis. The scope of the performance monitoring measures includes quality of care, access to care, customer service, encounter data, care coordination, and claims reporting and processing measures.

The State has also identified key HEDIS and AHRQ/CAHPS measures for tracking and trending. Additionally, the EQRO will evaluate areas of opportunity and provide recommendations in the final EQR Technical Report. The Technical Report will be available in February 2020. The MHL CMT works closely with the EQRO and will take actions on recommendations as available.

These data provide information relative to grievances, timely access, and quality of care. MDHHS utilizes these data in setting quality strategy goals, performance standards, improvement plans, passive enrollment assignments, and payment related to quality withhold.

The ICOs are required to incorporate these findings into their annual Quality Assessment and Improvement Plans, which is reviewed by the State annually.

	Improvement Plans, which is reviewed by the State annually.
	Process
	Health status/ outcomes
	X Access/ availability of care
	✓ Use of services/ utilization
	Health plan stability/ financial/ cost of care
	Health plan/ provider characteristics
	Beneficiary characteristics
0.	
	Activity Details:
	Weekly provider files for PCPs and Specialists are collected and monitored and an annual network validation is conducted for each ICOs full network of providers.
	network varidation is conducted for each fees full network of providers.
р.	Profile Utilization by Provider Caseload (looking for outliers)
	Activity Details:
q.	Provider Self-Report Data
	Activity Details:
	Survey of providers
	Focus groups
r.	Test 24/7 PCP Availability
	Activity Details:
	The State requires ICOs to monitor 24/7 Primary Care Provider availability and the
	requirement that each location must be open a minimum of 20 hours per week. This is

reviewed by State staff through the CMT.

s. Utilization Review (e.g. ER, non-authorized specialist requests)

Activity Details:

ICOs conduct utilization reviews. The State assures that the ICO has a utilization management program that governs the ICO's utilitization review and decision-making through the CMT.

t. X Other

**Activity Details:** 

The State staff routinely conducts review of marketing, educational and member material to ensure contract compliance prior to distribution by the ICO. The Three-Way Contract defines the criteria for marketing materials. The CMT is utilized as a vehicle to request additional data as needed from ICOs and conduct routine and ad hoc monitoring through monthly calls and as needed on-site visits. MDHHS has identified HSAG as the EQRO. HSAG conducted compliance reviews of all ICOs in 2019, validated a new PIP for each ICO, and performed PMV. HSAG's final report with recommendations will be available in February 2020 and the state CMT will take action on recommendations when available.

### **Section C: Monitoring Results**

### **Renewal Waiver Request**

Section 1915(b) of the Act and 42 CFR 431.55 require that the State must document and maintain data regarding the effect of the waiver on the accessibility and quality of services as well as the anticipated impact of the project on the States Medicaid program. In Section B of this waiver preprint, the State describes how it will assure these requirements are met. For an initial waiver request, the State provides assurance in this Section C that it will report on the results of its monitoring plan when it submits its waiver renewal request. For a renewal request, the State provides evidence that waiver requirements were met for the most recent waiver period. Please use Section D to provide evidence of cost-effectiveness.

CMS uses a multi-pronged effort to monitor waiver programs, including rate and contract review, site visits, reviews of External Quality Review reports on MCOs/PIHPs, and reviews of Independent Assessments. CMS will use the results of these activities and reports along with this Section to evaluate whether the Program Impact, Access, and Quality requirements of the waiver were met.

#### This is a renewal request.

- This is the first time the State is using this waiver format to renew an existing waiver. The State provides below the results of the monitoring activities conducted during the previous waiver period.
- O The State has used this format previously The State provides below the results of the monitoring activities conducted during the previous waiver period.

For each of the monitoring activities checked in Section B of the previous waiver request, the State should:

- **Confirm** it was conducted as described in Section B of the previous waiver preprint. If it was not done as described, please explain why.
- Summarize the results or findings of each activity. CMS may request detailed results as appropriate.
- **Identify problems** found, if any.
- **Describe plan/provider-level corrective action**, if any, that was taken. The State need not identify the provider/plan by name, but must provide the rest of the required information.
- Describe system-level program changes, if any, made as a result of monitoring findings.

#### The Monitoring Activities were conducted as described:

O Yes O No

If No, please explain:

Monitoring activities were in some cases conducted utilizing alternate methodology than was initially described. During the first waiver period of the demonstration, the state adapted monitoring methodology and frequency of data collection in some cases to align with alternate methods that were either already in place or to align with how systems and work were actually operationalized as the demonstration developed as below:

- -Consumer self-reported data: CAHPS surveys were conducted annually by the plans as described. In addition to the plan CAHPS survey, MDHHS also contracted with a vendor to conduct a CAHPS survey spanning across all ICOs, as well as conducted surveys of enrolled, disenrolled and never enrolled beneficiaries. Michigan's federal partners, CMS also conducted multiple rounds of focus groups to gather data directly from consumers.
- -Data Analysis (non-claims): The state did utilize its Customer Relations Management System to monitor and evaluate System Requests related to enrollment on a daily basis. However, there were not quarterly reports as the initial methodology indicated. Instead, enrollment dashboards were created and utilized to trend enrollment and disenrollment throughout the demonstration until a system conversion impacted the ability to obtain accurate information leading to a moratorium on these reports. The Contract Management Team (CMT) members and monthly calls were utilized to monitor coverage and authorization issues as well as any program integrity (fraud/abuse issues). Grievances and Appeals were monitored through the CMT and data related to grievances and appeals was routinely collected from plans, reported by NORC, and evaluated by the CMT as part of mandatory reporting requirements. Additionally, MHLO reports were evaluated routinely for trends/patterns in grievances, as were CMT quarterly reports tracking ICO call center complaints. Provider files were submitted weekly by ICOs versus monthly as indicated. These files contained information on PCPs and Specialists. All other network provider requirements were monitored through a network validation which was completed twice yearly until 2018 when frequency was decreased to annually to align with CMS guidelines.
- -Independent Assessment is being conducted by an Independent contractor versus by the CMT as initially indicated.
- -Measure and Disparities by Racial or Ethnic Groups: This data was evaluated where available throughout the demonstration. While it remains a goal to better drill down to this type of data, unfortunately most data results (HEDIS/CAHPS) were not available to this level of detail.
- -Network Adequacy: Was not completed monthly as indicated. Network validation was conducted twice yearly until 2018 when it was decreased to annually to align with CMS guidelines.
- -On-site Review: Much of what was initially thought to be monitored through a one time annual on-site visit was monitored remotely through the CMT with data submissions by ICOs. CMT did make on-site visits to plans to hold occasional meetings, but monitoring was done throughout the year. Additionally, MDHHS contracted with an EQRO to complete an on-site compliance review as required by regulation every three years.
- -Performance Improvement Projects: ICOs were required to work on both QIPs and PIPs throughout the demonstration. Data was collected by MDHHS on projects that were defined by CMS and/or MDHHS. These projects focused on clinical issues.
- -Periodic Comparison of # of Providers: MDHHS has utilized the Network Validation to ensure adequacy of ICOs full networks. Additionally, weekly file submissions of ICO's PCPs and Specialists were monitored.
- -Test 24/7 PCP Availability: While ICOs are required to ensure this element is achieved through their contracts the state did not directly monitor this requirement.
- -Utilization Review: Was monitored through the CMT as issues were identified.

#### Provide the results of the monitoring activities:

Consumer Self-Report data: Both ICOs&MDHHS conducted annual surveys to gather feedback on enrollee experience. Results were reviewed with individual ICOs through the monthly CMT meeting. Areas of opportunity that ICOs needed to address were identified as were areas of success. Results of the MDHHS annual CAHPS survey are posted publicly on the MI Health Link website.

State developed survey: MDHHS contracted with the Institute for Health Policy to conduct surveys of individuals that were enrolled, never enrolled, and disenrolled from MI Health Link. Results were aggregated analyzed by MDHHS and shared with ICOs to help drive improvements and develop mechanisms to address the reasons identified for disenrollment.

Data Analysis: Provider Files have been monitored throughout the demonstration w/ no issues identified. All of the ICOs have adequate networks to address enrollee needs. Types of grievances & appeals have also been monitored & as needed discussed w/ the ICOs to ensure systematic changes were made as needed. A detailed review of multiple data sources including enrollee interview, record & system review has been completed annually as part of the waiver quality assurance process. These reviews result in an annual report for each ICO & where needed corrective action plans were developed and monitored by MDHHS until compliance was achieved. Results have also been included in the CMS-372 report.

Enrollee Hotline: The State maintains a beneficiary Michigan ENROLLS telephone line to address enrollee inquiries regarding provider choice, enrollment/disenrollment, & other related questions & concerns. No significant issues or trends were identified through this means.

Geographic Mapping/Network Adequacy/Periodic Comparison of # of Providers: All ICO networks were deemed compliant through this process or exceptions were approved.

Independent Assessment: MDHHS contracted with the Institute for Health Policy to complete an assessment of the demonstration's impact on the quality, access and cost of care. That report is submitted along with this application for renewal.

Ombudsman: MDHHS monitored all MI Health Link Ombudsman reporting for patterns/trends and discussed with both the Ombudsman, and CMS and the ICOs through the CMT. Monthly calls were held with the Ombudsman to work through any identified issues.

On-Site Review: While much of the oversight and monitoring through the CMT was off-site each team met on-site at the ICO throughout the demonstration as well. On-site waiver audits were completed during the demonstration to evaluate ICO compliance with performance measures and ensure waiver services were being administered according to regulation and guidance.

Other: State staff routinely conducts review of marketing, educational and member materials to ensure compliance with contractual requirements. No significant findings/patterns were identified.

EQRO Activities: MDHHS contracted with an EQRO, HSAG to complete required EQR activities including an on-site compliance review of all ICOs. An aggregated and individual report for each ICO resulted. Compliance with federal, state, and contractual requirements was reviewed and where needed corrective action plans were required to achieve compliance. The final technical report will be available in February 2020. The EQRO has provided an interim report with recommendations. Based on the recommendations of the EQRO MDHHS has initiated a review of a sample of each ICOs IICSPs. The review is focusing on the person centeredness and inclusion of required elements and spans a 4 month period with discussions held during the monthly CMT call to discuss findings. The CMT discussed plan denials on as a monthly topic with ICOs including denial templates, use of denials/vendors using appropriate templates. MDHHS will develop and require plans to submit a denial file quarterly. A sample will be audited for compliance. MDHHS is planning to hold an educational opportunity jointly with the MHLO for plans related to Denials/Appeals and Grievances in CY 2020. MDHHS has implemented a provider monitoring program with plans completing monitoring of direct waiver service providers and submitting their monitoring reports to MDHHS for review and tracking. HSAG will also conduct a focused review of appeals and grievances as an EQR function. MDHHS will collect and review ICOs QAPI plans.

Performance Improvement Projects: ICOs maintain Quality Improvement Plans that were monitored through the EQR process. Additionally, MDHHS and CMS collected data from ICOs related to mandatory Quality and Performance Improvement Projects with topics defined by CMS and/or the State throughout the demonstration. Results of Quality Projects are discussed with all ICOs through Quality Workgroup Meetings and MHL Quality data is shared with enrollees through State Advisory Council Meetings.

Performance Measures: The State and CMS have defined Performance Measures that were monitored routinely throughout the demonstration. The CMT, and waiver quality assurance audits were vehicles used to monitor all measures which covered quality of care, access to care, customer service, encounter data, care coordination, and claims reporting and processing. Areas of

opportunity are discussed with ICOs and corrective action plans are required when applicable. Data is reported through the CMS 372 report and also utilized when designing quality strategy goals, performance standards, payments related to quality withholds, and passive enrollment assignments. Best practices are discussed through Quality Management Workgroup Meetings and Quality Data is shared with enrollees through State Advisory Council Meetings.

MDHHS will act upon any additional recommendations from the EQRO as they become available.

### **Section D: Cost-Effectiveness**

### **Medical Eligibility Groups**

Title	
Nursing Facility	
Community Residents	
Nursing Facility Level of Care - Waiver	

	First I	Period	Second Period			
	Start Date	End Date	Start Date	End Date		
Actual Enrollment for the Time Period**	01/01/2017	12/31/2017	01/01/2018	12/31/2018		
Enrollment Projections for the Time Period*	01/01/2020	12/31/2020	01/01/2021	12/31/2021		
**Include actual data and dates used in conversion - no estimates  *Projections start on Quarter and include data for requested waiver period						

### **Section D: Cost-Effectiveness**

Services Included in the Waiver

## Document the services included in the waiver cost-effectiveness analysis:

Service Name	State Plan Service	1915(b)(3) Service	Included in Actual Waiver Cost	
Home Delivered Meals (1915c waiver)			X	
Respite (1915c waiver)			X	
Adaptive Medical Equipment and Supplies (1915c waiver)			×	
Home Health - Oxygen, DME, & Medical Supplies	×		$\boxtimes$	
Respiratory Care	X		×	
Family Planning	X		X	
Personal Care Services	×		X	
Laboratory and Radiology	×		×	
Oral Surgeons	×		×	
Non-Medical Transportation (1915c waiver)			×	
Personal Emergency Response System (1915c waiver)			$\boxtimes$	
Environmental Modifications (1915c waiver)			X	
Community Transition Services (1915i	X		X	

Service Name	State Plan Service	1915(b)(3) Service	Included in Actual Waiver Cost	
effective 4/24/19)				
Preventive Nursing Services (1915c waiver)			$\boxtimes$	
Chiropractors	X		X	
Outpatient Hospital (excludes psych)	X		X	
Other DME & Medical Supplies	X		X	
Medicaid Covered Drugs (includes over the counter)	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	
Podiatrist	X		×	
Inpatient Hospital (excludes psych)	×		×	
Chore Services (1915c waiver)			×	
Clinic Services	X		X	
Private Duty Nursing (1915c waiver)			X	
Vision Services and Eyeglasses	X		X	
Certified Nurse Anesthetist	X		×	
Rural Health Clinic	X		X	
Assistive Technology (1915c waiver)			×	
Skilled Nursing Home - Maintenance and Co-Insurance Days	X		$\boxtimes$	
Speech and Hearing Services	X		×	
Physician Services	X		X	
FQHC	×		×	
Tribal 6.38	X		×	
Non-Skilled Nursing Home Stay (Leave Days)	$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	
Sterilizations	×		×	
Home Health - Intermittent or Part-Time Nursing Services	X		$\boxtimes$	
Optometrist	X		X	
Fiscal Intermediary (1915c waiver)			X	
Adult Day Program (1915c waiver)			×	
Nurse Midwives	×		×	
Prosthetics and Orthotics	X		×	
Expanded Community Living Supports (1915c waiver)			×	

**Section D: Cost-Effectiveness** 

**Part I: State Completion Section** 

#### A. Assurances

- a. [Required] Through the submission of this waiver, the State assures CMS:
  - The fiscal staff in the Medicaid agency has reviewed these calculations for accuracy and attests to their correctness.
  - The State assures CMS that the actual waiver costs will be less than or equal to or the States waiver cost projection.
  - Capitated rates will be set following the requirements of 42 CFR 438.6(c) and will be submitted to the CMS Regional Office for approval.
  - Capitated 1915(b)(3) services will be set in an actuarially sound manner based only on approved 1915(b)(3) services and their administration subject to CMS RO prior approval.
  - The State will monitor, on a regular basis, the cost-effectiveness of the waiver (for example, the State may compare the PMPM Actual Waiver Cost from the CMS 64 to the approved Waiver Cost Projections). If changes are needed, the State will submit a prospective amendment modifying the Waiver Cost Projections.
  - The State will submit quarterly actual member month enrollment statistics by MEG in conjunction with the States submitted CMS-64 forms

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	Signature:	Kate Massey
		State Medicaid Director or Designee
	Submission Date:	Dec 8, 2022
		Note: The Signature and Submission Date fields will be automatically completed when the State Medicaid Director submits the application.
		Cost-effectiveness spreadsheet is required for all 1915b waiver submissions.
b. Nan	ne of Medicaid	Financial Officer making these assurances:
	an Keisling	
c. Tele	ephone Numbe	er:
(51)	7) 241-7181	<del></del>
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	slingB@michig	
e. The	State is choosi	ing to report waiver expenditures based on
	O date of p	payment.
	the CMS service v	service within date of payment. The State understands the additional reporting requirements in S-64 and has used the cost effectiveness spreadsheets designed specifically for reporting by date of within day of payment. The State will submit an initial test upon the first renewal and then an ind final test (for the preceding 4 years) upon the second renewal and thereafter.
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Part I: St	tate Comple	tion Section
B. Exped	ited or Com	prehensive Test
Comprehen		the waiver program to determine whether the waiver will be subject to the Expedited or iveness test. Note: All waivers, even those eligible for the Expedited test, are subject to further review and OMB.
ь. <u> </u>	The State provi	ides additional services under 1915(b)(3) authority.
c. 🗆	The State make	es enhanced payments to contractors or providers.
d. 🗆	The State uses	a sole-source procurement process to procure State Plan services under this waiver.
		a sole-source procurement process to procure State Plan services under this waiver. <i>Note: do not mark</i>

overlapping populations with another waiver meeting one of these three criteria. For transportation and dental waivers alone, States do not need to consider an overlapping population with another waiver containing additional services, enhanced payments, or sole source procurement as a trigger for the comprehensive waiver test. However, if the transportation services or dental PAHP waiver meets the criteria in a, b, or c for additional services, enhanced payments, or sole source procurement then the State should mark the appropriate box and process the waiver using the Comprehensive Test.

If you marked any of the above, you must complete the entire preprint and your renewal waiver is subject to the Comprehensive Test. If you did not mark any of the above, your renewal waiver (not conversion or initial waiver) is subject to the Expedited Test:

- Do not complete *Appendix D3*
- Your waiver will not be reviewed by OMB at the discretion of CMS and OMB.

The following questions are to be completed in conjunction with the included in the preprint. Where further clarification was needed, we have	
Section D: Cost-Effectiveness	
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C. Capitated portion of the waiver only: Type of Capit	ated Contract
The response to this question should be the same as in A.I.b.	
a. 🗵 MCO	
b. — РІНР	
с. 🗆 РАНР	
d. PCCM	
e. U Other	
Please describe:	
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D. PCCM portion of the waiver only: Reimbursement	of PCCM Providers
Under this waiver, providers are reimbursed on a fee-for-ser	
management in the following manner (please check and desc	ribe):
a. $\square$ Management fees are expected to be paid under t	this waiver.
The management fees were calculated as follows.	<b>.</b>
1.	per member per month fee.
	per member per month fee.
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determined.	

c.  $\square$  Bonus payments from savings generated under the program are paid to case managers who control

beneficiary utilization. Under **D.I.H.d.**, please describe the criteria the State will use for awarding the incentive payments, the method for calculating incentives/bonuses, and the monitoring the State will have in place to ensure that total payments to the providers do not exceed the Waiver Cost Projections (Appendix D5). Bonus payments and incentives for reducing utilization are limited to savings of State Plan service costs under the waiver. Please also describe how the State will ensure that utilization is not adversely affected due to incentives inherent in the bonus payments. The costs associated with any bonus arrangements must be accounted for in Appendix D3. Actual Waiver Cost.

	Other which are sent and the Manager
d. □	Other reimbursement method/amount.
	Please explain the State's rationale for determining this method or amount.
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E. Member M	
Please mark all t	that apply.
a. X	[Required] Population in the base year and R1 and R2 data is the population under the waiver.
	For a renewal waiver, because of the timing of the waiver renewal submittal, the State did not have a complete
	R2 to submit. Please ensure that the formulas correctly calculated the annualized trend rates. <i>Note: it is no longe</i>
	acceptable to estimate enrollment or cost data for R2 of the previous waiver period.
	[Required] Explain the reason for any increase or decrease in member months projections from the base year or
,	over time:
	We have reported actual enrollment for the base period of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018. 4/6/22:
	We have made revisions to include actual exposure summarized from capitation payments made during CY
	2020 and 2021 and through September 2022. No enrollment trend is applied for P4 (CY 2023) and P5 (CY 2024).
d. 🗆	[Required] Explain any other variance in eligible member months from BY/R1 to P2:
u. —	[Kequired] Explain any other variance in engine member months from B1/K1 to F2.
e. 🛛	[Required] Specify whether the BY/R1/R2 is a State fiscal year (SFY), Federal fiscal year (FFY), or other
	period:
	The BY is CY 2017 and CY 2018.
Appendix D1 M	ember Months
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	D2.S - Services in Actual Waiver Cost
I. Appendix I	72.0 - Del fices ili Actuai frairei Cust
For Conversion	or Renewal Waivers:
a. 🗆	[Required] Explain if different services are included in the Actual Waiver Cost from the previous period
	in Appendix D3 than for the upcoming waiver period in Appendix D5.

	Explain the dif	ferences here	and how the ac	djustments we	re made on Ap	ppendix D5:		
	[Required] Ex For States with individuals tak	multiple waiv	vers serving a					ver covered
	Hospice service being exclude				tiveness analy	sis due to indi	viduals receivi	ng hospice
Appendix D2.S:	Services in W	aiver Cost						
State Plan Services	MCO Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by MCO	PCCM FFS	PIHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PIHP	PAHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PAHP	
Home Delivered								

State Plan Services	MCO Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by MCO	PCCM FFS Reimbursement	PIHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PIHP	PAHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PAHP
Home Delivered Meals (1915c waiver)	X						
Respite (1915c waiver)	×						
Adaptive Medical Equipment and Supplies (1915c waiver)	×						
Home Health - Oxygen, DME, & Medical Supplies	×						
Respiratory Care	×						
Family Planning	×						
Personal Care Services	×						
Laboratory and Radiology	$\boxtimes$						
Oral Surgeons	×						
Non-Medical Transportation (1915c waiver)	×						
Personal Emergency Response System (1915c waiver)	×						
Environmental Modifications (1915c waiver)	×						
Community Transition Services (1915i effective 4/24/19)	×						
Preventive Nursing Services (1915c waiver)	×						

State Plan Services	MCO Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by MCO	PCCM FFS Reimbursement	PIHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PIHP	PAHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PAHP
Chiropractors	×						
Outpatient Hospital (excludes psych)	X						
Other DME & Medical Supplies	×						
Medicaid Covered Drugs (includes over the counter)	X						
Podiatrist	×						
Inpatient Hospital (excludes psych)	×						
Chore Services (1915c waiver)	×						
Clinic Services	×						
Private Duty Nursing (1915c waiver)	X						
Vision Services and Eyeglasses	X						
Certified Nurse Anesthetist	X						
Rural Health Clinic	X						
Assistive Technology (1915c waiver)	×						
Skilled Nursing Home - Maintenance and Co-Insurance Days	X						
Speech and Hearing Services	×						
Physician Services	×						
FQHC	×						
Tribal 6.38	$\boxtimes$						
Non-Skilled Nursing Home Stay (Leave Days)	×						
Sterilizations	×						
Home Health - Intermittent or Part-Time Nursing Services	×						
Optometrist	×						
Fiscal	×						

State Plan Services	MCO Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by MCO	PCCM FFS Reimbursement	PIHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PIHP	PAHP Capitated Reimbursement	FFS Reimbursement impacted by PAHP
Intermediary (1915c waiver)							
Adult Day Program (1915c waiver)	×						
Nurse Midwives	×						
Prosthetics and Orthotics	×						
Expanded Community Living Supports (1915c waiver)	×						
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Administrative costs were developed based on the filed PMPMs for Projection Year 5 from the initial 5-year waive submission. Because this level of information is not readily available we used information from the initial submission to determine the administrative allocation by line item and per member per month cost for each of the three MEGs. Using actual enrollment for the base period of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018, we estimated the emerging administrative costs for the base period.							
	2.A: Adminis		ual Waiver C	cost			
Section D: Co	st-Effective	ness					
Part I: State ( H. Appendix )							
	D3 - Actual	<b>Waiver Co</b>	st				

Prospective risk selection factors were applied to the base data in order to reflect the voluntary and opt-out nature of the MI Health Link program. These selection factors were developed using claims probability distributions (CPDs) by population and applying penetration assumptions by cost category which reflects a more favorable mix of enrollment than the current FFS experience. Evaluation of the CPDs showed that the risk selection is applicable only to the Community population, since the majority of service cost for the Nursing Facility and MI Health Link HCBS populations is determined by the nursing facility and MI Health Link HCBS services.

Overall penetration for community residents was assumed at 20% during the applicable voluntary periods and 75% during the passive enrollment period. However, assumed penetration levels varied based on members' annual cost and types of services that were utilized.

The composite selection factor that was estimated for the Community population assumed to participate in the Demonstration is approximately 0.819 for the Over Age 65 population and 0.812 for the Under Age 65 population. This adjustment is applied to the total PMPM cost after application of trend, program and rating period adjustments.

The selection factor for the Community Tier is only applied to fee-for-service base experience as the Duals Lite experience reflects the impact of enrollment selection being estimated for the demonstration.

c. Capitated portion of the waiver only -- Reinsurance or Stop/Loss Coverage: Please note how the State will be providing or requiring reinsurance or stop/loss coverage as required under the regulation. States may require MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs to purchase reinsurance. Similarly, States may provide stop-loss coverage to MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs when MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs exceed certain payment thresholds for individual enrollees. Stop loss provisions usually set limits on maximum days of coverage or number of services for which the MCO/PIHP/PAHP will be responsible. If the State plans to provide stop/loss coverage, a description is required. The State must document the probability of incurring costs in excess of the stop/loss level and the frequency of such occurrence based on FFS experience. The expenses per capita (also known as the stoploss premium amount) should be deducted from the capitation year projected costs. In the initial application, the effect should be neutral. In the renewal report, the actual reinsurance cost and claims cost should be reported in Actual Waiver Cost.

#### **Basis and Method:**

1.	The State does not provide stop/loss protection for MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs, but requires MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs to purchase reinsurance coverage privately. No adjustment was necessar
2.	The State provides stop/loss protection  Describe below how the issue of selection bias has been addressed in the Actual Waiver Cost calculations:

- d. X Incentive/bonus/enhanced Payments for both Capitated and fee-for-service Programs:
  - 1. For the capitated portion of the waiver] the total payments under a capitated contract include any incentives the State provides in addition to capitated payments under the waiver program. The costs associated with any bonus arrangements must be accounted for in the capitated costs (Column D of Appendix D3 Actual Waiver Cost). Regular State Plan service capitated adjustments would apply.

#### **Document**

- i. Document the criteria for awarding the incentive payments.
- ii. Document the method for calculating incentives/bonuses, and
- iii. Document the monitoring the State will have in place to ensure that total payments to the MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs do not exceed the Waiver Cost Projection.

- i. MDHHS will be withholding a percentage of the capitation payments and will pay this out to ICOs after the end of the year based on their performance indicators. The criteria for the awards are communicated to the ICOs each year. These are illustrated as a 1% withhold in P1, 2% in P2, and 3% in P3-P5.
- ii. For each contract year, performance bonus incentives are withheld from the capitation payments for the respective ICOs. The amount withheld for each year of the waiver period is a percentage of the capitation payment. The incentive costs are calculated as a percentage of the capitated costs.
- iii. The total payments will not exceed the Waiver Cost Projection because the incentives are included in the approved capitation payments. We have assumed the full bonus is paid under the waiver. If performance criteria are not met, incentive payments are not awarded. Conversely, the award cannot exceed the amount from each capitation payment.

The incentive payments have been broken out in the Appendix D spreadsheets for the purposes of determining cost effectiveness.

2. For the fee-for-service portion of the waiver, all fee-for-service must be accounted for in the fee-for-service incentive costs (Column G of Appendix D3 Actual Waiver Cost). ). For PCCM providers, the amount listed should match information provided in D.I.D Reimbursement of Providers. Any adjustments applied would need to meet the special criteria for fee-for-service incentives if the State elects to provide incentive payments in addition to management fees under the waiver program (See D.I.I.e and D.I.J.e)

#### **Document:**

- i. Document the criteria for awarding the incentive payments.
- ii. Document the method for calculating incentives/bonuses, and
- iii. Document the monitoring the State will have in place to ensure that total payments to the MCOs/PIHPs/PAHPs/PCCMs do not exceed the Waiver Cost Projection.

Appendix D3 Actual Waiver Cost

**Section D: Cost-Effectiveness** 

**Part I: State Completion Section** 

I. Appendix D4 - Adjustments in the Projection OR Conversion Waiver for DOS within DOP (1 of 8)

This section is only applicable to Initial waivers

**Section D: Cost-Effectiveness** 

**Part I: State Completion Section** 

I. Appendix D4 - Adjustments in the Projection OR Conversion Waiver for DOS within DOP (2 of 8)

This section is only applicable to Initial waivers

**Section D: Cost-Effectiveness** 

**Part I: State Completion Section** 

I. Appendix D4 - Adjustments in the Projection OR Conversion Waiver for DOS within DOP (3 of 8)

This section is only applicable to Initial waivers

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J. Appendix D4 - Conversion or Renewal Waiver Cost Projection and Adjustments. (1 of 5)
a. State Plan Services Trend Adjustment the State must trend the data forward to reflect cost and utilization increases. The R1 and R2 (BY for conversion) data already include the actual Medicaid cost changes for the population enrolled in the program. This adjustment reflects the expected cost and utilization increases in the managed care program from R2 (BY for conversion) to the end of the waiver (P2). Trend adjustments may be service-specific and expressed as percentage factors. Some states calculate utilization and cost separately, while other states calculate a single trend rate. The State must document the method used and how utilization and cost increases are not duplicative if they are calculated separately. This adjustment must be mutually exclusive of programmatic/policy/pricing changes and CANNOT be taken twice. The State must document how it ensures there is no duplication with programmatic/policy/pricing changes.
1. [Required, if the States BY or R2 is more than 3 months prior to the beginning of P1] The State is using actual State cost increases to trend past data to the current time period (i.e., trending from 1999 to
present). The actual trend rate used is:
Please document how that trend was calculated:

futur regio regul	uired, to trend BY/R2 to P1 and P2 in the future] When cost increases are unknown and in the e, the State is using a predictive trend of either State historical cost increases or national or nal factors that are predictive of future costs (same requirement as capitated ratesetting ations) (i.e., trending from present into the future).  State historical cost increases.
ı. <u> —</u>	Please indicate the years on which the rates are based: base years. In addition, please indicate the mathematical method used (multiple regression, linear regression, chi-square, least squares, exponential smoothing, etc.). Finally, please note and explain if the States cost increase calculation includes more factors than a price increase such as changes in technology, practice patterns, and/or units of service PMPM.
	Adjustments were made to P1 (CY 2020) and P2 (CY 2021) to reflect the actual capitation payments that were made during these time periods. The percentage changes applied to each of the three MEG are listed in column N with rows 13-15 representing P1 and rows 30-32 representing P2. There is an additional adjustment listed in column AC (Rows 14 and 31) specific to the Nursing Facility Level o Care-Waiver MEG for the 1915c waiver service cost component. We have updated the projections from the original Appendix D renewal submission based on material changes to the capitation rates during these years. As these are known changes, we have listed them under the identified Program Adjustment column with no state plan inflation adjustment in column L. Additional changes are liste for P3 (CY 2022) in column N, rows 43-45, based on capitation rates developed for CY 2022 (Column AC, row 44 for the 1915c costs). Once again, we have listed the percentage factors under the Program Adjustment column due to these representing known changes for CY 2022.  We have included an inflation adjustment of 3-5% for P4 (CY2023) and 3% for P5 (CY 2024). The varying adjustments for P4 are based on proposed changes to the capitation rates for the different
ii. 🗆	MEGs in CY 2023.  National or regional factors that are predictive of this waivers future costs.  Please indicate the services and indicators used. In addition, please indicate how this factor was determined to be predictive of this waivers future costs. Finally, please note and explain if the States cost increase calculation includes more factors than a price increase such as changes in technology, practice patterns, and/or units of service PMPM.
that v Utiliz docur utiliza	State estimated the PMPM cost changes in units of service, technology and/or practice patterns would occur in the waiver separate from cost increase.  ation adjustments made were service-specific and expressed as percentage factors. The State has mented how utilization and cost increases were not duplicated. This adjustment reflects the changes in ation between R2 and P1 and between years P1 and P2.  i. Please indicate the years on which the utilization rate was based (if calculated separately only).  i. Please document how the utilization did not duplicate separate cost increase trends.

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  - b. State Plan Services Programmatic/Policy/Pricing Change Adjustment: This adjustment should account for any programmatic changes that are not cost neutral and that affect the Waiver Cost Projection. For example, changes in rates, changes brought about by legal action, or changes brought about by legislation. For example, Federal mandates, changes in hospital payment from per diem rates to Diagnostic Related Group (DRG) rates or changes in the benefit coverage of the FFS program. This adjustment must be mutually exclusive of trend and CANNOT be taken twice. The State must document how it ensures there is no duplication with trend. If the State is changing one of the aspects noted above in the FFS State Plan then the State needs to estimate the impact of that adjustment. Note: FFP on rates cannot be claimed until CMS approves the SPA per the 1/2/01 SMD letter. Prior approval of capitation rates is contingent upon approval of the SPA. The R2 data was adjusted for changes that will occur after the R2 (BY for conversion) and during P1 and P2 that affect the overall Medicaid program.

#### Others:

- Additional State Plan Services (+)
- Reductions in State Plan Services (-)

☐ Other:

Please describe

- Legislative or Court Mandated Changes to the Program Structure or fee
- Graduate Medical Education (GME) Changes This adjustment accounts for **changes** in any GME payments in the program. 42 CFR 438.6(c)(5) specifies that States can include or exclude GME payments from the capitation rates. However, GME payments must be included in cost-effectiveness calculations.
- Copayment Changes This adjustment accounts for changes from R2 to P1 in any copayments that are collected under the FFS program, but not collected in the MCO/PIHP/PAHP capitated program. States must ensure that these copayments are included in the Waiver Cost Projection if not to be collected in the capitated program. If the State is changing the copayments in the FFS program then the State needs to estimate the impact of that adjustment.
- The State has chosen not to make an adjustment because there were no programmatic or policy changes in the FFS program after the MMIS claims tape was created. In addition, the State anticipates no programmatic or policy changes during the waiver period.
   An adjustment was necessary. The adjustment(s) is(are) listed and described below:

   The State projects an externally driven State Medicaid managed care rate increases/decreases between the base and rate periods.

Please list the changes.

For the list of changes above, please report the following:

A. 

The size of the adjustment was based upon a newly approved State Plan Amendment (SPA).

PMPM size of adjustment

B. 

The size of the adjustment was based on pending SPA.

Approximate PMPM size of adjustment

C. 

Determine adjustment based on currently approved SPA.

PMPM size of adjustment

D. 

Determine adjustment for Medicare Part D dual eligibles.

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ii.			ate has projected no externally driven managed care rate increases/decreases in the ed care rates.
iii.		_	es brought about by legal action: list the changes.
]	For t	the list o	of changes above, please report the following:
			The size of the adjustment was based upon a newly approved State Plan Amendment (SPA).  PMPM size of adjustment
		в. 🗆	The size of the adjustment was based on pending SPA.  Approximate PMPM size of adjustment
			Determine adjustment based on currently approved SPA.  PMPM size of adjustment
			Other Please describe
iv.		_	es in legislation. List the changes.
]	For t	the list o	of changes above, please report the following:
			The size of the adjustment was based upon a newly approved State Plan Amendment (SPA).  PMPM size of adjustment
		в. 🗆	The size of the adjustment was based on pending SPA.  Approximate PMPM size of adjustment
			Determine adjustment based on currently approved SPA PMPM size of adjustment
			Other Please describe

$\mathbf{v}$ . $\mathbf{X}$ Other	
Please	describe:
See J.	Appendix D4: J-a-2-i
A. 🗆	The size of the adjustment was based upon a newly approved State Plan Amendment (SPA).  PMPM size of adjustment
в. 🗆	The size of the adjustment was based on pending SPA.  Approximate PMPM size of adjustment
с. 🗆	Determine adjustment based on currently approved SPA.  PMPM size of adjustment
D. 🗵	Other Please describe
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administrative expense fac participating in the waiver additional per record PRO well as actuarial contracts, Note: one-time administrate should use all relevant Med	ustment: This adjustment accounts for changes in the managed care program. The tor in the renewal is based on the administrative costs for the eligible population for managed care. Examples of these costs include per claim claims processing costs, review costs, and additional Surveillance and Utilization Review System (SURS) costs; as consulting, encounter data processing, independent assessments, EQRO reviews, etc. tion costs should not be built into the cost-effectiveness test on a long-term basis. States dicaid administration claiming rules for administration costs they attribute to the managed is changing the administration in the fee-for-service program then the State needs to adjustment.
•	t was necessary and no change is anticipated.
	tive adjustment was made.
P2.	istrative functions will change in the period between the beginning of P1 and the end of describe:
See J.	Appendix D4: J-a-2-i
ii. Cost in	ncreases were accounted for.
А. □	Determine administration adjustment based upon an approved contract or cost allocation plan amendment (CAP).

**B.** Determine administration adjustment based on pending contract or cost allocation plan amendment (CAP).

 $\mathbf{C}$ . State Historical State Administrative Inflation. THe actual trend rate used is PMPM size

of adjustment

d. 1915(b)(3) Adjustment: The State must document the amount of State Plan Savings that will be used to provide additional 1915(b)(3) services in Section D.I.H.a above. The Base Year already includes the actual trend for the State Plan services in the program. This adjustment reflects the expected trend in the 1915(b)(3) services between the Base Year and P1 of the waiver and the trend between the beginning of the program (P1) and the end of the program (P2). Trend adjustments may be service-specific and expressed as percentage factors.

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	State is using the actual State historical trea	nd to project past data to the current time period (i.e., trending
	from 1999 to present).	
	The actual documented trend is:	

Please provide documentation.

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  - **p.** Other adjustments including but not limited to federal government changes.
    - If the federal government changes policy affecting Medicaid reimbursement, the State must adjust P1 and P2 to reflect all changes.
      - Once the States FFS institutional excess UPL is phased out, CMS will no longer match excess institutional UPL payments.
        - Excess payments addressed through transition periods should not be included in the 1915(b)
          cost effectiveness process. Any State with excess payments should exclude the excess amount
          and only include the supplemental amount under 100% of the institutional UPL in the cost
          effectiveness process.
          - For all other payments made under the UPL, including supplemental payments, the costs should be included in the cost effectiveness calculations. This would apply to PCCM enrollees and to PAHP, PIHP or MCO enrollees if the institutional services were provided as FFS wrap

around. The recipient of the supplemental payment does not matter for the purposes of this

Pharmacy Rebate Factor Adjustment (Conversion Waivers Only) \*: Rebates that States receive from drug manufacturers should be deducted from Base Year costs if pharmacy services are included in the capitated base. If the base year costs are not reduced by the rebate factor, an inflated BY would result. Pharmacy rebates should also be deducted from FFS costs if pharmacy services are impacted by the waiver but not capitated.

Basis and Method:

	1.	Determine the percentage of Medicaid pharmacy costs that the rebates represent and adjust the base year costs by this percentage. States may want to make separate adjustments for prescription versus over the counter drugs and for different rebate percentages by population. States may assume that the rebates for the targeted population occur in the same proportion as the rebates for the total Medicaid population which includes accounting for Part D dual eligibles. Please account for this adjustment in Appendix D5.
	2.	The State has not made this adjustment because pharmacy is not an included capitation service and the capitated contractors providers do not prescribe drugs that are paid for by the State in FFS or Part D for the dual eligibles.
	3.	Other
		Please describe:
1.	No adjustment was	
2.	This adjustment was Please describe	as made. This adjustment must be mathematically accounted for in Appendix D5.

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### K. Appendix D5 Waiver Cost Projection

The State should complete these appendices and include explanations of all adjustments in Section D.I.I and D.I.J above.

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