

## Meeting Agenda

**Low Income Pool (LIP) Council Meeting  
January 22, 2009**

**Tampa Airport Marriott  
Hillsborough Grand Ballroom East  
10:00 am – 4:00 pm  
1-888-808-6959  
Conference Code 4138067**

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1. **Welcome and Housekeeping – Paul Belcher**
2. **Approval of January 9, 2009 Minutes – Paul Belcher**
3. **Presentation – St. Johns River Rural Health Network – Nikole Helvey**
4. **Update – Michele Hudson**
  - **Agency**
  - **Session**
  - **CMS**
5. **Models:**
  - DSH**
    - **Model 1**  
SFY 2009-10 growth applied to Regular DSH; current policy
    - **Model 2**  
SFY 2009-10 growth applied to GME DSH; current policy
    - **Model 3**  
SFY 2009-10 growth applied to GME DSH; split equally between Statutory Teaching and Family practice hospitals.
  - LIP**
    - **Model 7 – Mike Gingras (Previously presented Dec. 15, 2008 and Jan. 9, 2009)**  
Demonstrates: \$25 Million New GR to cover increase in exemptions; updated with 2007 FHURS; Tiered Exemptions; Allocation Factor of 114.758%.
    - **Model 13 – Paul Belcher**  
Demonstrates: Rate buy backs using the \$25 million GR and current policy on buy backs; \$1 million for CHD; \$1 million for FQHCs; Increased proportional allocation distribution by \$4.6 million; Current exemption policy at 100%; allocation factor of 112.72; DSH distribution - Increase family practice to \$1.8 million and distribute remainder in GME silo based on current formula.
    - **Model 14 – Dwight Chenette**  
Demonstrates: Allocation factor 114%; reduced LIP qualifying threshold from 10 to 8%; for any county over their equitable distribution of IGTs a (uninsured plus Medicaid Enrollees) IGT reduction of 5%; includes a Health Care Demonstration Project; DSH distribution - Allocate \$4 million to rural hospitals participating in the Rural Hospital DSH Program, Allocate \$9 million to public hospitals, Allocate \$4 million to statutory teaching

hospitals, Allocate \$2 million to others DSH qualifying hospitals, Allocate \$1 million to regional prenatal intensive care centers.

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- **Model 15 – John Benz**  
Demonstrates: Begin with Model 11; \$10 million funding of Primary Care Innovation: Allocate to hospital-based primary care centers that are approved by the LIP Council via an application for funding; Proportional Allocation Distribution participation limited to providers with at least 5% combined Medicaid and Charity utilization; Consistent with CMS approved definition of LIP cost limit, exclude bad debt days from allocation basis; allocation factor of 115.6 %; increase in DSH funds allocated to hospitals based on hospital PSN inpatient days; \$15 million of unallocated LIP IGTs, with an associated \$18 million in Proportional Allocation Distribution payments, allocate to premium assistance projects.
- **Model 16 – Tony Carvalho**  
Demonstrates: 6.3% reduction from the base Special LIP; 6.3% reduction to Proportional Allocation Distribution factor reduced from 17.4% to 15.0%; Undetermined IGTs to Palm Beach Health Care District Demonstration Project (\$20M); \$6M added to Continuation of DOH-Primary Care Initiatives, with \$2M minimum for hospital based primary care projects; \$9.6M PSN DSH, distributed proportionally, using SFY200607 PSN inpatient days; \$9.7M GME DSH, 1) Added \$1.2M total to family practice, distributed evenly and 2) Added \$8.5M to GME DSH, distributed in proportion to current year (SFY 2008-09) funding; Provided funding in the amount of \$800,000 for Children’s Specialty Hospital DSH; \$25M General Revenue to fund buy backs.
- **Model 17 – Dave Ross**  
Demonstrates: All IGTs are to be paid back to the hospitals with no (zero %) allocation factor; Remove all Safety Net Payments; Use the new \$25M in GR to exempt all hospitals with Medicaid and charity audited DSH data of greater than 5% at 100%; Allocate the remainder of the LIP funds available after repayment of IGTs and Exemptions payments based upon FHURS Medicaid and charity (no bad debt) patient days as a percentage of all participating hospitals FHURS Medicaid and charity (no bad debt) patient days; To participate in the Proportional Allocation Distribution, a hospital must have FHURS Medicaid and charity care (no bad debt) patient days as a percentage of total patient days of greater than 10%; Include the new \$20M in DSH payments; Include the \$64M in Medicaid Trend Adjustments (rate buy-backs).
- **Model 18 – Dave Ross**  
Demonstrates: Based upon Model 17 with the threshold to participate in the Proportional Allocation Distribution lowered to 5%

**6. Final Comments/ Meeting Adjourned**

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