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Florida Medicaid Health Care Alert

June 1, 2020

Provider Type(s): All

1115 Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) Waiver Extension

The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) is announcing the start of a 30-day public notice and comment period. The State is seeking federal authority to extend Florida's 1115 Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) Waiver (Project Number 11-W-00206/4) for the period July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2024. The MMA program operates statewide and provides primary and acute medical care for Florida Medicaid recipients through competitively procured managed care plans. The State seeks to extend the MMA waiver with no amendments, in order to build upon the successful elements of the program including stronger protections for Florida Medicaid recipients.

For more information on the public meetings, information on submitting comments, and to view a comprehensive description of the waiver extension request. Please visit:

https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/Policy_and_Quality/Policy/federal_authorities/federal_waivers/mma_fed_a

During the meetings, the Agency for Health Care Administration will provide a description of the MMA program and allow time for public comments. The public meetings for the MMA Waiver extension request will take place:

Webinar

Monday, June 8, 2020 from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

GoToMeeting: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5097900362915034381>

Webinar

Wednesday, June 17, 2020 from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

GoToMeeting: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2727264232989173008>

Pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, any person requiring special accommodations to participate in this workshop/meeting is asked to advise the Agency at least seven days before the workshop/meeting by contacting Karen Williams-Rockwell via email at Karen.Williams-Rockwell@ahca.myflorida.com

If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1 (800) 955-8771 (TTY) or 1 (800) 955-8770 (Voice).

In addition to providing comment at the aforementioned public meetings, comments can be submitted via mail or email per the instructions below. The Agency will conduct the 30-day public

notice and comment period from June 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020, prior to the submission of the Demonstration Extension Application to Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS). The public notice and public comment period is being held to solicit public input from recipients, providers, and all stakeholders and interested parties. The Agency will consider all public comments received during the public notice and comment period regarding the proposed MMA Waiver Extension Application.

Comments will be accepted from June 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020.

Mail comments and suggestions to:

1115 MMA Waiver Extension Request
Office of the Deputy Secretary for Medicaid
Agency for Health Care Administration
2727 Mahan Drive, MS #20
Tallahassee, Florida 32308

E-mail comments and suggestions to: FLMedicaidWaivers@ahca.myflorida.com with "1115 MMA Waiver Extension Request" referenced in the subject line.

Additional information about the SMMC program can be accessed by visiting www.ahca.myflorida.com/SMMC

QUESTIONS? FLMedicaidManagedCare@ahca.myflorida.com
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