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Hello!

Welcome to the *ODM Managed Care Procurement Periodical*, a short periodic update

on the progress of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) Managed Care Procurement.

You are receiving this newsletter because you have requested to receive periodic updates about the Managed Care Procurement, responded to our first Request for Information (RFI), met with ODM and Procurement Team members to provide feedback, or participated in a listening session.

Thank you for taking time to provide your ideas and feedback! Through this time of uncertainty and need for many Ohioans, and into the future, we continue to focus on the individual rather than the business of managed care. We want to do better for the people we serve.



Feel free to share this update with anyone who you think might find it useful. We want all Ohioans to know what is going on with the ODM Managed Care Procurement.

Please also encourage anyone who you think might be interested in receiving similar updates to send us an email at the Medicaid managed care procurement mailbox, MCPurchasement@medicaid.ohio.gov.

Ohio Medicaid Reimagined: Putting the individual at the center of focus

We have launched a new video series highlighting the goals of the reimagined Ohio Medicaid managed care program. These brief videos focus on the key elements of the

future program and how it will enable us to better serve the needs of Ohioans into the future.

The first video, "[Putting the Individual at the Center of Focus](#)," describes how we are focusing on the individual rather than the business of managed care and outlines the five pillars of the reimagined Ohio Medicaid program. Click the image below to view the video.



Video - Ohio Medicaid Reimagined: Putting the individual at the center of focus

For more information about the reimagined managed care program, visit the [Medicaid Managed Care Reimagined page](#) of the managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov website.

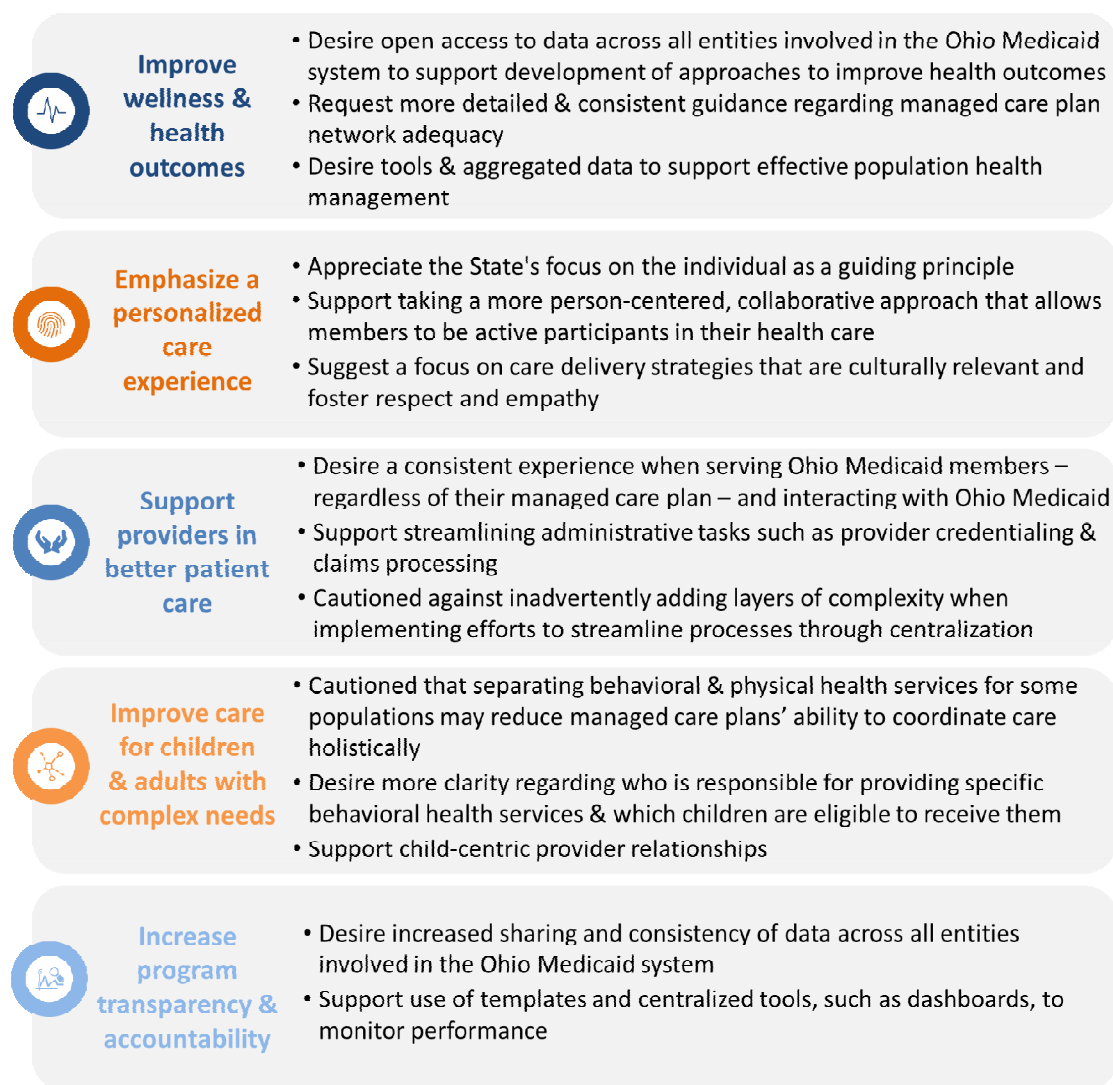
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What we heard through our second Request for Information (RFI #2)

Released earlier this year, the second Ohio Medicaid Managed Care Procurement Request for Information (RFI #2) sought input from providers, associations, advocacy groups, data and information technology vendors, and managed care organizations

regarding ODM's reimagined managed care program. RFI #2 asked these respondents to provide insight into how they can support components of a reimagined managed care program that is person-centered and focused on the individual rather than the business of managed care.

ODM received nearly 100 responses to RFI #2, and the feedback generally aligned to the five goals of the reimagined Ohio Medicaid managed care program, as shown in the graphic below.



Ohio Medicaid Managed Care Procurement RFI #2 Response Themes

ODM is taking this feedback, along with the suggestions and input from individuals, into account in the coming months as we finalize the design for the future managed care program. We continue to monitor and adjust to the current environment to verify readiness for future milestones and support smooth implementation of the future program.

While the RFI phases have come to a close, the Managed Care Procurement mailbox - MCPurchase@medicaid.ohio.gov - remains open as a way for individuals, providers, and advocates to communicate to ODM about the current Medicaid managed care program.

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Supporting providers in better patient care

Health care providers are valued and important partners in serving Ohio Medicaid members. Click the image below to view a video that explains how the reimagined managed care program is supporting these providers in delivering better patient care.



Video - Ohio Medicaid Reimagined: Supporting providers in better patient care

Check out the [Medicaid Managed Care Reimagined page](#) on managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov for more details about the vision for the future of the managed care program.

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