



# Early Warning System

## Fully-Integrated Medicaid Contracting Advisory Committee



## The Purpose

- To identify and resolve implementation issues quickly
- by
- Monitoring metrics to determine if any transition issues are occurring that we should rapidly respond to



# Priorities

- **Quickly identify disruption in access to care**
- **Ensure a smooth transition for the patients**
- **Maintain timeliness of provider payments**



# Metrics

- **Workgroup will:**
  - **Review indicators selected in SWWA and determine appropriateness**
  - **Determine necessary additional indicators**
  - **Determine if baseline data is available/needed**
  - **Recommend a set of metrics to be used**



# SWWA Metrics

- **Quantitative EWI Categories**
  - **Payment and Utilization Patterns**
  - **Client Experience of Care**
  - **Crisis system, Western State Hospital & Jail System**
- **Qualitative**
  - **Collected via survey, key informant interviews, provider/consumer self-report**



## Partners (list from SWWA)

- Behavioral Health Providers
- Primary Care Providers
- County Representatives
- Criminal Justice
- Selected MCOs and ASO
- Public Health
- Health Care Authority



# Considerations

- **Who will manage the data collection, hosting, and monitoring of data?**
- **Who is missing from the table?**
- **Mitigation strategies?**
- **Availability of Baseline data?**
- **Others?**



# Report from SWWA

- **Delivery of Whole-Person Care in Southwest Washington: Report on the First 90 Days of Fully Integrated Managed Care**
  - **First 90 Days Highlights**
  - **Early Warning System Results and Mitigation Strategies**
  - **Implementation Issues and Solutions**
  - **Collaborative Systems Developed**

<http://www.hca.wa.gov/assets/program/early-adopter-report.pdf>





# Questions?

**Want to join the Early Warning System  
Workgroup???**

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