Medical Loss Ratio Rebates

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Premium Rate Review Medical Loss Ratio Requirements (MLR)

- Established minimum MLR for commercial health care plans
 - Individual Market 80%
 - Small Group Market 80%
 - Large Group Market 85%
- Requires Health Plans to submit MLR template to federal government and state no later than June 1 each year
- Requires Health Plans to pay rebates to enrollees no later than August 1 each year

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Premium Rate Review Impact on California Enrollees

- Rebates total \$74 million
 - DMHC \$42 million
 - CDI \$32 million
- DMHC plans issuing rebates
 - Anthem Blue Cross (\$38.5M)
 - United Health Care (\$3.5M)
- CDI plans issuing rebates
 - Blue Shield (\$10.8M)
 - Kaiser (\$0.3M)
 - CIGNA (\$3.4M)
 - Anthem Blue Cross (\$1.3M)
 - Aetna (\$3.4M)
 - PacifiCare (\$0.8M)



Summary of Plan MLR Reporting 2011

| | | Small | Large |
|--|------------|---------------|-------|
| | Individual | Group | Group |
| MLR Standard | 80% | 80% | 85% |
| MLR Reported by Plan : | | | |
| Blue Cross of California | 80.9% | 77.5% | 89.8% |
| Rebate amount being paid* | | \$ 38,562,392 | |
| Number of policyholders/subscriber being paid a rebate | | 182,214 | |
| Number of enrollees | | 323,585 | |
| UHC of California | 80.1% | 77.7% | 88.6% |
| Rebate amount being paid* | | \$ 3,857,554 | |
| Number of policyholders/subscriber being paid a rebate | | 22,260 | |
| Number of enrollees | | 35,649 | |

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Summary of Plan MLR Reporting 2011

| Medical Loss Ratio Summary | | | |
|---|------------|-------|--------|
| Reporting Year: 2011 | | | |
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| MLR Standard | 80% | 80% | 85% |
| MLR Reported by Plan : | | | |
| ACN Group of California | 0.0% | 80.0% | 86.5% |
| Aetna Health of California | 80.0% | 84.6% | 85.2% |
| Blue Cross of California | 80.9% | 77.5% | 89.8% |
| California Physicians' Service (Blue Shield) | 83.7% | 82.6% | 91.6% |
| Chinese Community Health Plan | 90.5% | 89.7% | 90.6% |
| Cigna of HealthCare of California, Inc. | 80.0% | 80.0% | 97.5% |
| Cigna of HealthCare -Pacific, Inc. | 0% | 80.0% | 80.0% |
| GEMCare Health Plan, Inc. | 0% | 80.0% | 94.4% |
| HealthNet of California, Inc. | 105.3% | 80.6% | 90.8% |
| Kaiser Foundation Health Plan, Inc. | 99.9% | 93.8% | 92.9% |
| San Mateo Health Commission | 0.0% | 0.0% | 129.8% |
| Santa Cruz-Monterey-Merced managed Care Comm. | 80.0% | 80.0% | 85.0% |
| Sharp Health Plan | 80.0% | 96.3% | 90.4% |
| UHC of California | 80.1% | 77.7% | 88.6% |
| U.S. Behavioral Health Plan, CA | 0.0% | 0.0% | 97.1% |
| Western Health Advantage | 0.0% | 96.0% | 90.7% |

Next Steps

- Initiate MLR audits of selected plans
- 1st plan notification scheduled for late August
- Subsequent audits will be scheduled as resources become available



Questions?

Plan MLR filings are available on DMHC website at:

http://wpso.dmhc.ca.gov/fe/search/Default.aspx#results

