NC Get Covered Coalition Meeting March 10, 2023

Happy Women's History Month!

Purpose of Meeting:

- To convene and educate organizations interested in connecting North Carolinians to health coverage
- Collaborative learning
- Understand what is working well
- Find solutions to challenges

This Meeting Will Be Recorded





Today's Meeting

- Medicaid Expansion Update
- Medicaid Unwinding & The Marketplace - Alex DeAbreu of CMS
- Upcoming Calls & Webinars
- Partner Updates





Medicaid Expansion

NC House and Senate have "come to an agreement" on Medicaid Expansion

NC GA want Medicaid Expansion to be passed as part of the budget

Expansion will likely look similar to <u>NC House Bill 76</u> NC House Bill 76 includes a work requirement

Governor Cooper is supportive of Medicaid Expansion but would like to see it enacted as soon as possible

Gov. Cooper also wants NC to take advantage of up to \$1.8 billion in Healthcare Access and Stabilization Program (HASP) funds for hospitals which was included in HB 76





Enhanced ePass Accounts

NC Medicaid encourages beneficiaries to create an enhanced ePASS account where they can make sure their contact information is correct and make any updates without having to go through their local DSS.

Enhanced ePASS Accounts: <u>https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/blog/2022/12/15/</u> enhanced-epass-accounts-nc-medicaid-beneficiaries

Sign Up for ePASS: https://epass.nc.gov/

Enhanced ePass Promotion in NC DHH's UPDATED Unwinding Toolkit: https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/End-of-PHE-Toolkit





Upcoming Webinars/Calls

CMS Atlanta Marketplace Stakeholder Monthly Calls Every third Wednesday at 1:00-2:00pm

Zoom Access Link: <u>https://cms.zoomgov.com/j/1602756474?pwd=R2ZpLy9uc2pUYIdHT3IaK3orakg0dz09</u> Meeting ID: 160 275 6474 ; Password: 367152

> Monthly CMS Medicaid and CHIP Continuous Enrollment Unwinding: What to Know and How to Prepare, A Partner Education Monthly Series Next Meeting: March. 22, 2023 at 12:00PM

Register: https://cms.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_qma5AvyBQWCTB0vbNF3ITA





Partner Updates





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Thank You! Erin Storie NC Get Covered Coordinator Director of Communications Care Share Health Alliance

Next Meeting - April 14, 2023 at 1:00pm



