

NPO PAAC
Meeting Minutes

January 14, 2014

Present: Theresa Phillips
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Next meeting: February 11, 2014 NPO Office 11:30am
Speaker: Stacy Saylor
Topic: Health Care Exchange Insurances

I. Speaker

Marie Hooper

II. Topic

ACO Update

III. Discussion

ACO

- The participation agreement to become an ACO has been accepted.
- There will be an informational presentation – details to be announced

PQRS

- PQRS – as of 2014 ACO will - I report PQRS Measures for participating offices
- Patient Satisfaction Surveys are ongoing – working with Arbor Associates

Accountable Care:

- Building on the physician-patient relationship
- Report once for all payers – ACO will assist us to reach this goal
- There will be a 90/10 sharing in the savings once quality is achieved:
- 90% to members 10% ACO

Medicare:

- Patients need to be informed of the registry
- Communications to Medicare Beneficiaries by May
- Patients need to understand their rights
- Patients have the right to opt out from having their data shared
- CMS will draft a notice to inform patients of the registry
- Patients will have 30 days to opt out – providers must have a signed release at the first visit after the release of information

NMHN Timeline

- To provide each practice the needed tools such as a script for all front desk staff with the language to inform patients of the registry and their rights
- Plans to establish a web site
- A webinar will be available at the end of January to inform all staff of current information

NMHN now has a CMS representative