

### Health Care Services FY2022 Overview

Senate Health & Social Services Finance Subcommittee

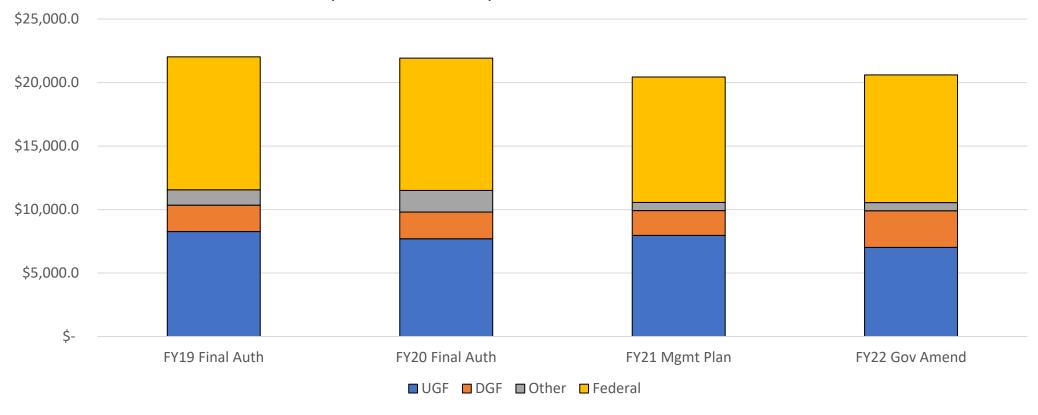
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#### Department of Health & Social Services

## Health Care Services Operating Budget Comparison FY2019-FY2022 (in thousands)



	FY19 Final Auth		FY20	O Final Auth	FY	21 Mgmt Plan	FY2	22 Gov Amend	Diff	ference FY19 and FY22	% Difference FY19 and FY22	Differer	nce FY21 and FY22
UGF	\$	8,263.8	\$	7,708.0	\$	7,961.9	\$	7,021.2	\$	(1,242.6)	-15.0%	\$	(940.7)
DGF	\$	2,082.0	\$	2,093.2	\$	1,958.2	\$	2,886.9	\$	804.9	38.7%	\$	928.7
Other	\$	1,209.6	\$	1,705.5	\$	641.7	\$	641.7	\$	(567.9)	-46.9%	\$	-
Federal	\$	10,476.1	\$	10,424.9	\$	9,885.5	\$	10,060.7	\$	(415.4)	-4.0%	\$	175.2
Total	\$	22,031.5	\$	21,931.6	\$	20,447.3	\$	20,610.5	\$	(1,421.0)	-6.4%	\$	163.2



### **Health Care Services Division**

- Medicaid Operations Unit
- Pharmacy & Ancillary Services Unit
- Tribal Health Program
- Systems & Analysis Unit
- Accounting & Recovery Unit
- Health Facilities Licensing and Certification Unit
- Residential Licensing Unit
- Background Check Unit
- Quality Assurance Unit
- Clinical Review Team



### Department of Health & Social Services

# FY2020 Medicaid Claims Processed through the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) and the Administrative Services Organization (ASO)

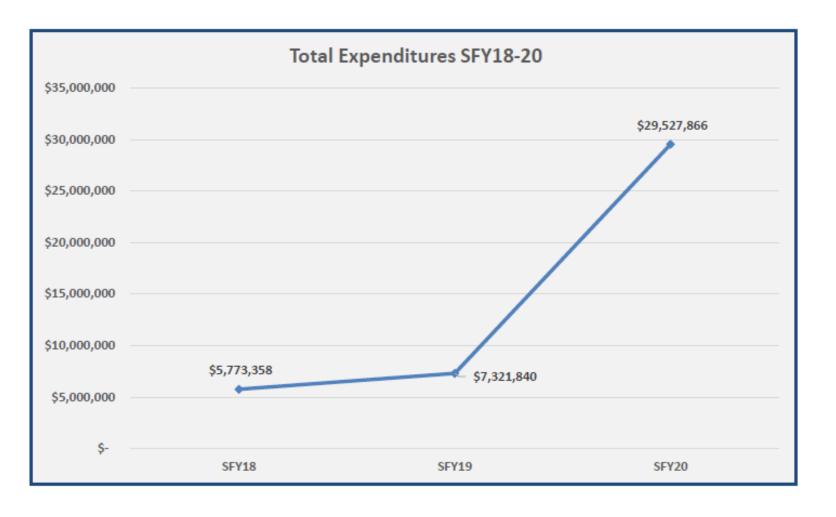
- MMIS Claims: 6,872,019
- MMIS Reimbursement: \$2,191,619,782

Top 10 Reimbursements by Provider Typ	e	Top 10 Claim Types		
General Hospital - Inpatient \$378,069,154		Pharmacy	1,665,624	
Home & Community Based Services	\$274,819,408	Health Professional Group	1,311,024	
General Hospital - Outpatient	\$254,987,573	Behavioral Health	824,784	
Health Professional Group	\$245,581,529	Home & Community Based Services	564,951	
Behavioral Health	\$224,337,834	General Hospital - Outpatient	456,772	
Skilled Nursing Facility/Intermediate Care Facility	\$189,300,818	Transportation	438,289	
Pharmacy	\$169,453,159	Federally Qualified Health Center/Rural Health Clinic	361,375	
Federally Qualified Health Center/Rural Health Clinic	\$144,213,967	Medicare Crossover - Part B	336,091	
Transportation	\$109,576,673	Dental	212,468	
Dental \$81,044,925		Personal Care Agency	172,184	

• ASO 1115 Substance Use Disorder Reimbursement: \$4,828,629



## Medicaid Operations Unit TELEHEALTH Total Expenditures FY2018 – FY2020





## Pharmacy & Ancillary Services Unit

### FY2020 Pharmacy Rebate Recoveries

		FY2020		
Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	TOTAL
7/1/2019 - 9/30/2019	10/1/2019 - 12/31/2019	1/1/2020 - 3/31/2020	4/1/2020 - 6/30/2020	\$105,723,347
\$26,299,032	\$32,035,646	\$33,700,226	\$13,688,442	\$105,725,547

Note: Reduction in Quarter 4 was the result of COVID-19 Public Health Emergency.



## Tribal Health Program

### **Tribal Reclaiming**

SFY	Target	State GF Savings	State GF Savings	Total State GF Savings	
		(Transportation)	(Other Services)		
SFY2017	\$32M	\$10,589,538	\$24,192,302	\$34,781,840	
SFY2018	\$42M	\$15,901,959	\$29,285,001	\$45,186,960	
SFY2019	\$84M	\$26,922,884	\$45,724,251	\$72,647,135	
SFY2020	\$104M	\$35,998,891	\$59,119,442	\$95,118,333	
TOTAL		\$89,413,272	\$158,320,996	\$247,734,268	

5,153 Care Coordination Agreements397 Providers13 Tribal Health Organizations Participating in Tribal Reclaiming

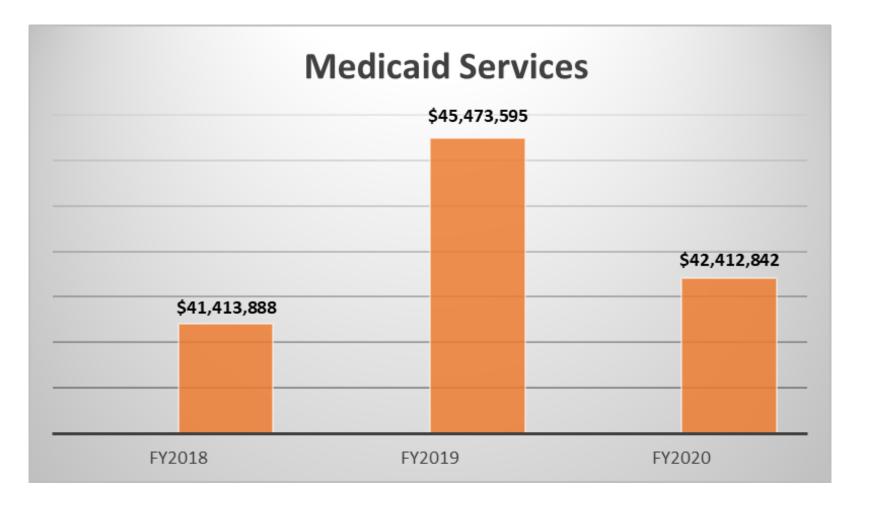


## Accounting & Recovery Unit FY2020 Authorization Report

	Third Party Liability Collections & Savings SFY2020				
	SFY20 TOTALS	Q4-FY20	Q3-FY20	Q2-FY20	Q1-FY20
		04/01/2020-06/30/2020	01/01/2020-03/31/2020	10/01/2019-12/31/2019	07/01/2019-09/30/2019
MEDICAID RECOVERIES					
TPL Contracted Recoveries	\$7,526,356	\$3,169,582	\$1,407,109	\$1,356,132	\$1,593,533
Working-Disabled Program Premiums	\$102,530	\$29,158	\$24,409	\$33,386	\$15,577
MQT & Miller Trust Recoveries	\$2,091,706	\$626,357	\$285,470	\$387,134	\$792,746
****Resource Remibursements	\$25,179	\$11,421	\$7,413	\$4,645	\$1,700
Drug Rebate Recoveries	\$105,723,347	\$13,688,442	\$33,700,226	\$32,770,966	\$25,563,712
AG's Subrogation	\$2,929,770	\$580,518	\$778,827	\$845,106	\$725,319
AG's Restitution/Lawsuits/Malpractice	\$127,724	\$85,309	\$14,584	\$17,807	\$10,024
AG's Estate Recovery	\$459,694	\$170,131	\$218,436	\$31,128	\$39,999
CAMA/ADMIN	\$25,713	\$21,344	\$2,378	\$245	\$1,746
Total Overall SFY20 Collections	\$119,012,019	\$18,382,262	\$36,438,852	\$35,446,550	\$28,744,355
COST AVOIDANCE SAVINGS					
Health Insurance Premium Program - HIPP	\$3,351,562	\$1,017,468	\$722,911	\$755,881	\$855,302
*Medicare Paid	\$176,407,613	\$40,426,680	\$45,780,085	\$43,733,518	\$46,467,330
**Other Resource Paid Prior to Medicaid Payment	\$190,275,203	\$55,307,175	\$49,670,400	\$43,791,074	\$41,506,553
Total Overall SFY20 TPL Savings	\$370,034,378	\$96,751,323	\$96,173,396	\$88,280,473	\$88,829,186
PREMIUMS and FEES					
TPL Contractor Recovery Fees Paid	\$1,974,250	\$707,238	\$393,096	\$433,095	\$440,821
Medicare Part A Hospital Premiums Paid	\$3,315,199	\$856,065	\$838,444	\$838,618	\$782,072
Medicare Part B Medical Premiums Paid	\$30,986,381	\$7,920,409	\$7,856,780	\$7,743,530	\$7,465,663
Total Overall SFY20 Fees/Premiums Paid	\$36,275,830	\$9,483,712	\$9,088,320	\$9,015,243	\$8,688,555
Combined TPL Collections and Savings	\$489,046,397	\$115,133,585	\$132,612,248	\$123,727,023	\$117,573,541
Minus Total Fees	\$36,275,830	\$9,483,712	\$9,088,320	\$9,015,243	\$8,688,555
Grand Total TPL Collections & Savings SFY20	\$452,770,567	\$105,649,873	\$123,523,928	\$114,711,780	\$108,884,986



### Accounting & Recovery Unit Medicaid Average Weekly Provider Check Write FY2018 – FY2020





### Health Facilities Licensing & Certification Section

- General Acute Care Hospitals (6)
- Long Term Acute Care Hospital (1)
- Specialty Hospitals (2)
- Critical Áccess Hospitals (7)
- Frontier Extended Stay Clinics (2)
- Long Term Care Facilities (15)
- Volunteer Hospice (7)
- Hospice Agencies (5)
- Home Health Agencies (17)
- Ambulatory Surgical Centers (22)
- Free Standing Birth Centers (16)
- Biennial licenses are renewed every other year (two-year license cycle)



## Residential Licensing Section

- Assisted Living Homes 701
  - Senior Homes 236
  - Development and Mental Health Disability Homes 421
  - Dual Licenses 44
- Residential Child Care Facilities

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- Residential Psychiatric Treatment Facilities for Children 5
- Biennial licenses are renewed every other year (two-year license cycle)
- Provisional licenses are renewed every year (one-year license cycle)



## Background Check Program

During CY2020, the HCS Background Check Program received and processed 33,510 background check applications.

- 23,680 New background check requests completed
- 9,830 Additional applications entered, connecting to a previous determination, receiving an instant clearance



## **Quality Assurance Unit**

#### **Alaska Medicaid Provider Enrollment FY2020**

- 24,045 Actively Enrolled Providers (652 new providers in FY2020)
  - 17,558 In-State Providers
  - 6,487 Out of State Providers
- Top Medicaid Enrolled Provider Types:

Proivder Type/Description	Provider Count
020 - Physician (MD)	7,017
094 - Personal Care Assistant	4,956
034 - Advanced Practice Registered Nurse	1,672
021 - Health Professional Group	1,212
033 - Physician Assistant	983
030 - Dentist	791
039 - Physical Therapist	655
131 - Behavioral Health Clinical Associate	599
055 - Community Health Aide/Practitioner	484
001 - General Hospital	422
047 - Home Community Based Agency	338
117 - Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	313

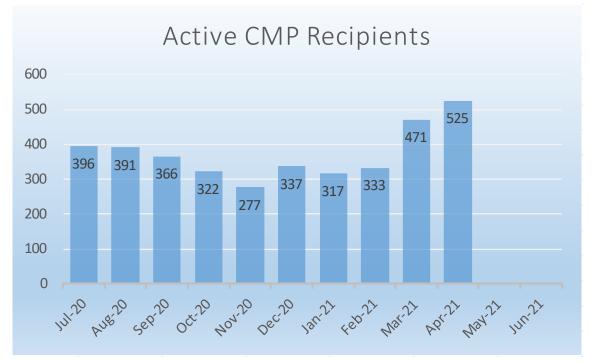


## Quality Assurance Unit Care Management Program – FY2021 Summary

Active CMP Recipients	
Currently in CMP	317
Recipients Beginning CMP This Month	1
Recipients Serving Final Month	7
Recipients Beginning February 2021	20
Recipients Beginning March 2021	143

Year to Date Active Summary -- FY2021

	Active CMP
Month	Recipients
Jul-20	396
Aug-20	391
Sep-20	366
Oct-20	322
Nov-20	277
Dec-20	337
Jan-21	317
Feb-21	333
Mar-21	471
Apr-21	525
May-21	
Jun-21	_





## Quality Assurance Unit Care Management Program: Cost Savings

- Average monthly costs savings, based on current CMP cohort is \$1,503.00 per person.
- General Fund ROI for CMP in FY20 was \$5.35 per dollar invested.
- Total claim ROI (GF/Fed) for CMP was \$17.86 per dollar spent.
- CMP Program Cost Savings in FY21/FY22 are expected to increase.



### Quality Assurance Unit Explanation of Medical Benefits (EOMB)

- In October 2020 DHCS completed the effort to release EOMB functionality for both adults and children.
- Members can register for EOMB access at https://member.medicaidalaska.com/

• Two years of claim information is available for review. Members have the option report questionable claims to DHCS for review.

## Clinical Review Team Medical Care Advisory Committee

#### **Purpose**

The Medical Care Advisory Committee (MCAC) is a public advisory group charged with advising the Department of Health and Social Services on Medicaid policy and program changes.

#### **Members**

7 – 13 members, including 6 from the following professions:

- Physician
- Behavioral health provider
- Nurse
- Dentist
- Pharmacist
- Hospital Administrator
- Nursing Home Administrator

#### **Subcommittees**

Bylaws, Consumer Relations, Executive, Legislative, Strategic Planning

#### Workgroups

- Chiropractic (Wellness)
- Dental Quality (Oral Héalth, including Oral Surgery)
- Genetic Testing
- Telehealth (including pediatric telehealth focus)



# How has the Public Health Emergency affected programs?

Alaska was approved the flexibility to waive the following requirements:

### Section 1135 Waiver

- Suspend Prior Authorization (PA) Requirements
- Extend Pre-Existing Prior Authorizations
- Extend Appeal/Fair Hearing Time Limits by up to 120 days
- Waive certain provider enrollment screening requirements
- Auto enroll providers certified by another state Medicaid program or by Medicare
- Temporarily cease revalidation of Alaska-based providers
- Allow services provided in unlicensed facility to be reimbursed under certain circumstances
- Provision of Care: Suspend enforcement of the Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor Act (EMTALA)
- Allow Facilities/institutional providers to setup and bill for ACS, outside licensed and traditional space to be used for COVID

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### Section 1135 Disaster Relief State Plan Amendment

- Do not impose cost sharing for COVID-19 testing and treatments
- Suspend premiums for qualified working disabled under 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XIII)
- Allow for postponement or modification of provider CPR/first aid certification requirements for certain providers
- Claims for outpatient drugs with days' supply up to 68 days shall be permitted
- Raise dispensing fee to \$15.86 when a pharmacy delivers meds (\$23.78 in roadless areas)
- Allow WAC+1% when drug acquisition cost exceeds "lesser of" logic, bypassing FUL and NADAC.



# How has the Public Health Emergency affected programs?

### Appendix K –

### Provider Enrollment and Participation Requirements

- Streamline provider enrollment requirements when enrolling providers
- Postpone deadlines for revalidation of providers who are located in state or otherwise directly impacted by the emergency
- Waive revalidation and provider renewal requirements
- Allow for provider electronic signature
- Postpone fingerprint requirements, allowing the issuance of a background check approval on a provisional basis
- Waive provider and recipient signature requirements
- Waive all face-to-face requirements



### Currently in Process for SFY 2021:

- Review telehealth outcomes during COVID-19 public health emergency; identify successes for permanent regulatory change consideration
- Medicaid dental, therapy, and visions services regulatory changes to curtail overuse and misuse of services
- Fiscal agent and Pharmacy RFP
- Transportation Efficiencies
- Additional Pharmacy Rebates
- Additional recoveries in Accounting & Recovery



## QUESTIONS?

