

Medical Assistance Advisory Committee Meeting

December 8, 2022

Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services
Dr. Dale Adair, Acting Deputy Secretary

12/19/2022

General Updates



- Crisis Services & 988
- Adult Behavioral Health Commission
- Act 32 Mental Health Procedures Act Confidentiality of Records
 - More information on the federally proposed rule: https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2022/12/02/2022-25784/confidentiality-of-substance-use-disorder-sud-patient-records

Public Health Emergency



- Members must keep their contact information up to date with their MCO
- Reminder that all stakeholder resource materials are available online at https://www.dhs.pa.gov/PHE/Pages/Stakeholder-Resources.aspx
- Links to some BH-MCO outreach examples:
 - "Keeping Your Medical Assistance Benefits Active" Tip Sheet for members, https://s18637.pcdn.co/wp-content/uploads/sites/9/Keeping-Your-MA-Benefits-Active-04-20-22.pdf
 - "Resources for the Public Health Emergency" Outreach information for providers on Beacon-PA's website, https://s18637.pcdn.co/wp-content/uploads/sites/9/Resources-for-the-Unwinding-of-the-Public-Health-Emergency-August-2022.pdf
 - Post-COVID and PHE Ending Information https://members.ccbh.com/post-covid-resources

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