

Older Adult Services Advisory Committee

Rebalancing & HCBS Priority Areas CY 2024

- <u>Caregiver Support</u>— Continue to assist with increasing access to services and supports for non-paid and paid family and others providing caregiver support, including I&A, support groups, caregiver training and respite.
- <u>Colbert & Williams Consent Decrees</u> Continue to receive updates on Implementation Plan activities, deflections and reintegration efforts. Participate on internal state agency calls and with the Court Monitor.
- <u>Data-driven Program Development & Information Technology</u> Continue to receive updates on IDoA's ongoing efforts to utilize data to drive programmatic decisions and improve outcomes. Continue to receive updates on IDoA Aging Cares IT reporting system development and launch in mid-March 2024.
- <u>Dementia-Friendly Communities</u> Continue to learn more about and work with the Aging Network on the expansion of this model in the State and addressing the State Plan objectives.
- <u>Federal Level Changes Impacting Rebalancing</u> Continue to identify and track new and existing federal initiatives.
- Healthy Aging/Prevention & Addressing Social Isolation Continue to identify and research best practices
 and work with IDoA to disseminate educational materials and quality webinar training to the Aging Network.
 Receive ongoing ACL IL Care Connections grant updates and CCU and AAA outreach and referral activities for
 assisting seniors with obtaining tablets with technical assistance to address Social Isolation.
- <u>Managed Care</u> Continue engagement with HFS on learning how Managed Care impacts rebalancing; receive expansion updates, and information on the impact of Managed Care in Nursing Facility deflections and admissions.
- Money Follows the Person (MFP) 2.0 Work with HFS and DHS in the development and implementation on the relaunch of MFP in the State.
- OASAC Subcommittees & Education
 - <u>Workforce Stabilization</u> Continue participation on the Workforce Stabilization workgroup. Report on State Interdepartmental workgroup activities.
 - <u>Learn about OASAC Members Organizations</u> Continue to invite Members to present on their organization's mission and initiatives during OASAC meetings.
 - Other Subcommittees Convene new Subcommittees as areas are identified.
- <u>Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)</u> Work with HFS on implementation of P.A. 102-0043. PACE provides comprehensive medical and social services to certain frail community-dwelling elderly individuals. CCUs will be the point of entry for all PACE as participants must have a DON level of care determination. Reimbursement for the program is through a Medicare and Medicaid per month capitated rate. There are a total of eight PACE organizations in five Regions that are set to begin in June 2024.
- <u>Persons who are Elderly Waiver Services</u> Continue to report on development of FMAP Incentive priority areas and roll out timeframes for new Waiver services and implementation of recently approved Waver Amendments.