

Maine Telehealth and Telemonitoring Advisory Group Agenda

Thursday, February 2, 2023 (10:30AM – 12:00PM)

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Invitees: Maine Telehealth and Telemonitoring Advisory Group [Membership](#), John Holland – MeCDC CHW Program, Maggie Drummond-Bahl, Strategic Partnership Director - Maine Connectivity Authority

10:30A **Welcome, Announcements & Agenda Scan** (*Danielle Louder, All*)

10:35A **TH/TM Priority Areas: Discussion and Next Steps (55 minutes)**

- **Promote Payment Change** (*Policy Workgroup*)
 - Federal Policy Status Updates – [PHE vs. 2024 Extensions](#) (*Reid & Lisa HM*)
 - Proposed Federal Rule Changes (e.g. Opioid Treatment Clinics)
 - Telehealth Policy Activity in the [131st Legislature](#) (5 related bills)
 - Updated Private Payer Policies – [January 2023 Resource](#)
 - **Behavioral Health** (10 minutes)
 - Digital Therapeutics – Updates, DRAFT one-pager/feedback (*BH Workgroup*)
 - New Toolkits in Beta Phase:
 - [Developing a School-Based Telebehavioral Health Program](#)
 - [Telehealth for SUD and OUD Services](#)
 - **Support Primary Care** (15 minutes) (*Andrew, Caren*)
 - [Maine eConsult Network](#) updates on live sites, network services, outreach
 - **New Workforce Development Models** (15 minutes)
 - Updates RE: Telehealth and Community Health Workers (*Caren, John*)
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11:30A **Maine Connectivity Authority** (*Maggie Drummond-Bahl*) **(15 minutes)**

- Digital Equity Task Force – updates on key activities and input from the Advisory on telehealth/healthcare integration in Maine’s Digital Equity Plan
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11:45A **Resources and Opportunities** (*All*) **(10 minutes)**

- Policy related resources: CCHP newsletter – [Preparing for the End of the PHE](#); NCTRC post: [End of PHE and HIPAA Enforcement Discretion](#); NCTRC Webinar Recording – [Telehealth Policy in 2023](#); Foley & Lardner Article: Removal of DEA DATA/X-Waiver; CMS [Memo to States RE: Coverage of eConsults for Medicaid and CHIP](#)
 - Funding and Other Opportunities: Forecasted - Evidence-Based Telehealth Network Program - Direct to Consumer ([HRSA-23-092](#))
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11:55A **Wrap-Up & Next Steps** (*Danielle*) **(5 minutes)**

- Action items and agenda items for next meeting
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12:00P **Adjourn**

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 4, 2023; 10:30am to 12:00pm