

# REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE IEHP HEALTH ACCESS

August 11, 2025 - 9:00 AM

Board Report #363

# Dr. Bradley P Gilbert Center for Learning and Innovation 9500 Cleveland Avenue - Board Room Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

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#### **AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Changes to the Agenda
- V. Public Comments on Matters on the Agenda

AGENDA

#### VI. Conflict of Interest Disclosure

Please note that Board members who also serve as a member of a legislative body of another public entity, such as San Bernardino County or the County of Riverside, does not by itself constitute a disqualifying conflict of interest that would prevent such members from participating on matters appearing on the agenda for IEHP Health Access despite their affiliation with both public entities:

- VII. Adopt and Approve of the Meeting Minutes from the July 7, 2025 Regular Meeting of the Governing Board of IEHP Health Access
- VIII. CONSENT AGENDA

# **ADMINISTRATION (Edward Juhn, M.D.)**

- 1. Approve the Second Amendment to the Enhanced Care Management Provider Agreement with Inland Empire Health Plan
- IX. Comments from the Public on Matters not on the Agenda
- X. Board Member Comments
- XI. Closed Session No Business
- XII. Adjournment

The next meeting of the IEHP Health Access Governing Board will be held on September 8, 2025 at the Dr. Bradley P. Gilbert Center for Learning and Innovation in Rancho Cucamonga.

## **Department: ADMINISTRATION**

# 1. <u>Title:</u> APPROVE THE SECOND AMENDMENT TO THE ENHANCED CARE MANAGEMENT PROVIDER AGREEMENT WITH INLAND EMPIRE HEALTH PLAN

**Chief:** Edward Juhn, Chief Executive Officer

#### **Background & Discussion:**

IEHP Health Access entered into an Enhanced Care Management (ECM) Provider Agreement with Inland Empire Health Plan (IEHP), effective July 1, 2024, for ECM service delivery to enrolled and qualified IEHP Medi-Cal Members, pursuant to Minute Order #24-019. Since establishing service delivery, IEHP Health Access has cared for an average enrolled population of over 2,600 IEHP members per month. These services are currently supplied by 15 total ECM care teams that have been strategically deployed across IEHP's areas of greatest member need or provider network coverage gaps.

#### **Procurement Solicitation Type:** N/A

# **Recommendation(s):**

That the Governing Board of IEHP Health Access approve the Second Amendment to the ECM Provider Agreement with IEHP. There are no costs associated with this Second Amendment.

IEHP Health Access must adhere to Medi-Cal requirements according to the Provider Agreement with IEHP Health Access. This Second Amendment includes the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) Closed-Loop Referral (CLR) requirements which became effective on July 1, 2025. A CLR is a referral initiated on behalf of a Medi-Cal Managed Care Member that is tracked, supported, monitored and results in a known closure.

The CLR requirements are designed to make sure members are connected to important services like ECM and Community Supports, and that every referral is tracked from start to finish. IEHP Health Access must collect and update key information about each referral, such as who made the referral, what service is needed and whether the member received the service or not. IEHP is required to notify both the member and the person or organization who made the referral about the status of the referral, including when services are approved, denied or completed.

The goal is to improve communication, reduce delays, and make sure members get the care and support they need. These changes are part of an effort to improve care coordination and outcomes for Medi-Cal members.

| Financial Impact: \$0 | Not to Exceed Amount: \$0 | Term: N/A |
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| Fiscal Impact | Financial Review | Procurement<br>Review | Reviewed by<br>Counsel | Director<br>Approval | Chief Approval     |
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| None          | NA               | NA                    | S. Oh                  | A. Edwards           | E. Juhn<br>7/11/25 |

# THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE IEHP HEALTH ACCESS

Inland Empire Health Plan
Dr. Bradley P Gilbert Center for
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# DRAFT - MINUTES OF THE JULY 3, 2025 REGULAR MEETING

## **Governing Board Members Present:**

Supervisor Yxstian Gutierrez Supervisor Curt Hagman Supervisor Karen Spiegel Supervisor Jesse Armendarez Eileen Zorn Drew Williams

Governing Board Members Absent: Dr. Dan Anderson

**Governing Board Member Vacancy:** None

### **Inland Empire Health Plan Employees and Legal Counsel Present:**

Jarrod McNaughton, Chief Executive Officer Keenan Freeman, Chief Financial Officer Edward Juhn, Chief Quality Officer Supriya Sood, Chief People Officer Takashi Wada, Interim Chief Medical Officer Susie White, Chief Operations Officer Anna Wang, Esq., Vice President, General Counsel Raymond Mistica, Esq. Deputy County Counsel Victoria Ostermann, Director of Government Affairs Administrator Annette Taylor, Secretary to the Governing Board

**IEHP Staff Absent:** Michelle Rai, Chief Communications & Marketing Officer and Vinil Devabhaktuni, Chief Digital and Information Officer

Guests: IEHP Interns

#### I. Call to Order:

Chair Gutierrez called the July 7, 2025 regular meeting of IEHP Health Access Governing Board to order at 9:00 a.m.

- II. Pledge of Allegiance:
- III. Roll Call

IV. <u>Agenda Changes:</u> None

V. Public Comment: None

VI. Conflict of Interest Disclosure: None

VII. Adopt and Approve the Meeting Minutes from January 13, 2025 Meeting of the Governing Board of the IEHP Health Access Governing Board.

Action: On motion of Member Anderson and seconded by Member Williams, the Meeting Minutes from the January 13, 2025, Regular Meetings of the Governing Board of IEHP Health Access were approved as presented. (Hagman/Armendarez; Anderson Absent)

#### VIII. <u>IHEP Health Access:</u>

#### Consent Agenda:

Action: On motion of Member Hagman and seconded by Member Armendarez, Items 1 - 2 on the IEHP Health Access Consent Agenda were approved as presented. (Hagman/Armendarez; Anderson absent)

- IX. Comments from the Public on Matters Not on The Agenda: None
- X. Board Comments: No comments
- XI. Adjournment

Chair Gutierrez adjourned the July 7, 2025, IEHP Health Access Governing Board meeting at 9:02 a.m.

The Approved Governing Board Minutes for July 7, 2025, will have a copy of the IEHP Health Access Board Report #362 attached

These Meeting Minutes were duly adopted and approved on August 11, 2025.

Annette Taylor

Secretary to the IEHP Governing Board