



A Focus on Impact: MassHealth and the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Wednesday, June 30, 2021
2:00 – 4:00 PM

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions

Audrey Shelto, President and Chief Executive Officer, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Reflection on Past, Present, and Future of the Foundation

Host: Audrey Shelto, President and Chief Executive Officer, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Andrew Dreyfus, President and Chief Executive Officer, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts and First President, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation

Phil Johnston, President and Founder, Johnston Associates, LLC, and Founding Chair, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation Board of Directors

Manny Lopes, President and Chief Executive Officer, East Boston Neighborhood Health Center, and Chair, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation Board of Directors

Presentation – Key findings from MassHealth Impacts Series

Patricia Boozang, Senior Managing Director, Manatt Health Strategies

Remarks

Marylou Sudders, Massachusetts Secretary of Health and Human Services

Concurrent Breakout Sessions

1. MassHealth and the Behavioral Health System

Panel Moderator: Sharon Hanson, Chief Executive Officer, Massachusetts Behavioral Health Partnership (MBHP)

- Carlos F. Cappas, PsyD, MBA, Chief Behavioral Health Officer, Lynn Community Health Center
- Christie L. Hager, JD, MPH, Interim Director, Office of Behavioral Health, MassHealth, Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services, and Managing Director, Commonwealth Medicine, UMass Medical School



- Darrell Wright, MassHealth Member and Recovery Coach, Massachusetts Organization for Addiction Recovery (MOAR)

2. MassHealth and Schools and School-Aged Children, Teens, and Young Adults

Panel Moderator: Tara Agrawal, PhD, Director of Community Investment, Office of Community Health, Boston Children's Hospital (*Massachusetts Institute for Community Health Leadership alum*)

- Marisol Garcia, JD, Senior Director/Managing Attorney and Director of the Mental Health Advocacy Program for Kids, Health Law Advocates
- Kate Ginnis, Senior Director of Child, Youth, and Family Policy and Programs, MassHealth, Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services
- John Salovardos, Director of Pupil Services, Athol-Royalston Regional School District

3. MassHealth and Justice-Involved People

Panel Moderator: Deborah Becker, Senior Correspondent and Host, WBUR (*Health Coverage Fellowship alum*)

- Haner Hernandez, PhD, Program Director, AdCare Educational Institute
- Jacqueline E. Scott, MassHealth Member
- Scott Taberner, Special Advisor for Behavioral Health and Criminal Justice, Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services

Wrap Up and Closing

Audrey Shelto, President and Chief Executive Officer, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation