

**PUBLIC RISK, INNOVATION, SOLUTIONS, AND MANAGEMENT  
(PRISM)**

**PRISMHEALTH COMMITTEE**

**MEETING SUMMARY**

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Web Conference/Telephonic Meeting

Wednesday, September 28, 2022

9:30 a.m.

Seventh Meeting – 2022

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**Members Present**

Mai Yang, Merced County  
Ashleigh Szkubiel, San Luis Obispo County  
Raquel Arciniega, SCAQMD  
Brendan Shannon, SDMTS  
Alana Little, SDRMA – Alternate  
Coral Ferrin, Tehama County  
Andrew Guzman, Turlock Irrigation District  
Vanessa Shearer, City of Visalia – Alternate

**Members Absent**

Naomi Whatley, GSRMA

**Program Performance Report (PPR)**

Staff presented the PPR, updated through July 31, 2022. Premium volume for all combined program segments is \$346M, with medical/pharmacy claims and fixed costs totaling \$357M, resulting in a program funding ratio of 103.2%.

**New Member Applications**

The Committee reviewed and approved the City of El Centro for membership in the PRISMHealth Program, large member segment, effective January 1, 2023.

**City of Irvine – 2023 Renewal Adjustment**

The Committee ratified the approval of a 2023 renewal reduction for the City of Irvine, from 8.9% to 3%, utilizing funds from the SISC managed program reserves. In addition, the Committee directed staff and Alliant to draft a policy/guideline outlining program requirements for renewal adjustment outside of the standard approval process.

**2023 Legislative and Regulatory Updates**

Alliant updated the Committee that for the 2023 plan year, there were no carrier regulatory updates or mandatory contract changes. Federal Legislative updates included implementation of the Health Plan Transparency and Consolidated Appropriations Act, which imposes new transparency requirements on all group health plans and health insurers, and an increase to Health Savings Account (HSA) contribution limits and deductibles.

### **Express Scripts (ESI) Additional Services Recommendations**

The Committee approved the addition of the ESI Weight Management Care Value Program (WMCV) and Omnipod Insulin Pump enhanced coverage to the PRISMHealth Program, at no additional fixed cost, effective November 1, 2022.

### **2023 Express Scripts (ESI) Formulary Update**

The January 1, 2023 ESI formulary update was presented, with 0.002% disruption to PRISMHealth plan participants.

### **Express Scripts (ESI) Market Check and Contract Renewal**

Alliant reported that a 2023 ESI market check resulted in improved pricing for the 2023 PRISMHealth plan year. The new contract provisions were focused on medication pricing, discount guarantees and rebates. These annual savings, estimated at \$3.9M, come at no additional fixed costs or potential disruption to the current contract.

The Committee approved Alliant Underwriting Services (AUS) to develop and release a full Pharmacy Benefit Management (PBM) RFP for the PRISMHealth Program, with results being presented to the Committee in March/April, 2023.

### **Other Matters**

- Staff announced that the 2023 Healthcare Symposium was a success, with good participation in the survey following the event, and that answers provided would assist in planning the 2023 event.
- Staff discussed the PRISM Member Engagement Strategic Initiative meetings and relayed that staff will be reaching out to program members soon.

### **Future Meetings**

The next ***PRISMHealth Committee*** meeting will be held on ***Wednesday, December 14, 2022***, at ***10:00 a.m.***, format ***to be determined***.