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# Global Commitment Register

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CLARIFICATION

## **Open Meeting on Global Commitment 1115 Waiver Renewal**

Vermont's Global Commitment to Health 1115 Demonstration waiver expires at the end of 2021. A new application must be submitted to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) by June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

The Agency of Human Services (AHS) is working on the renewal request to continue driving towards the following goals:

1. Transformation of Vermont's Medicaid program to value-based payment arrangements across the full spectrum of Medicaid services that improve outcomes.
2. Driving the transformation of delivery care system to Medicaid beneficiaries, promoting the meaningful integration of mental health, substance use disorders, and physical health through coordinated care and case management and a strong focus on social determinants of health.
3. Promotion of public health infrastructure, primary prevention, and early intervention efforts that support all Vermonters in maintaining their health.
4. Increase access to quality health care for uninsured, underinsured, and Medicaid beneficiaries.

In advance of drafting the renewal request, AHS is holding an open meeting on February 25, 2021 from 2:00 to 3:30pm to hear from stakeholders.

### Open Meeting Topic:

What would improve Vermont's Medicaid program related to your/your constituency's goals?

Proposals should include:

1. What is the problem you are trying to address?
2. What is your proposed solution to the problem?
3. Which goal(s) does this promote (select from goals 1-4 above)

Written proposals are encouraged and should be sent to [ahs.medicaidpolicy@vermont.gov](mailto:ahs.medicaidpolicy@vermont.gov) by 3:30 on February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

Please also email [ahs.medicaidpolicy@vermont.gov](mailto:ahs.medicaidpolicy@vermont.gov) to indicate if you would like to present your proposals during the open meeting. Individuals who provide advance notice will receive priority if timing is limited.

In addition to the February open meeting, AHS will provide a formal 30-day public notice and comment period on the proposed waiver request prior to CMS submission. Two public forums will also be held during the 30-day public notice period to receive comment on the proposed request.

**Population Affected:**

All Vermont Medicaid

**Meeting information:**

Date: February 25, 2021

Time: 2:00-3:30pm

Location: This meeting will be held virtually ONLY

**Microsoft Teams meeting**

Join on your computer or mobile app

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Or call in (audio only)

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Phone Conference ID: 497 303 837#

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