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DUR BOARD Quarterly Meeting December 8, 2021

AGENDA

I. Welcome and Introductory Remarks

II. MHDL Update

MHDL Overview including new additions, changes in Prior Authorization (PA) status, and related attachment updates to be implemented with a recent publication rollout.

III. DUR Operational Update

DUR Operational Overview including statistics associated with Prior Authorization (PA) review and PA response, and Call Center metrics

IV. Clinical Team Update

Overview of projects and accomplishments of the clinical pharmacist team of the MassHealth Drug Utilization Review Program and Office of Clinical Affairs.

V. MassHealth Update: The MassHealth Pharmacy Program in the 21st Century

MassHealth Update is a brief summary of recent developments in MassHealth in the context of pharmacy, managed care, or public health. This edition will include historical milestones from the past two decades.

VI. Open Forum

VII. DUR Board Year End Review

Overview of projects and accomplishments of the DUR board in the past year. *(time permitting)*

Zoom link: https://umassmed.zoom.us/j/97389541643?pwd=WEtOT3l6Tk93RTZtbitHeFhiWllHdz09

Time: 6:00pm – 8:00pm

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