

# Massachusetts All-Payer Claims Database: Technical Assistance Group (TAG)

August 13, 2024

# Agenda

- MA APCD
- Enrollment Trends
- DOI Reporting
- Questions

# MA APCD Intake

- **All APCD files through June 2024 were due by July 31<sup>st</sup>.** This includes any re-submissions.
- Please work with your liaison in submitting any overdue files as CHIA is preparing for our next data release using data through June 2024 and it's critical that all data is in and passed this week.
- Please be mindful when selecting the Submission Month and Year in FileSecure. If the wrong month and/or year is selected, it will deactivate previously submitted, valid files.
- CHIA continues to revisit Medical and Pharmacy Claim versioning methods with select payers. We'll reach out when we have examples to share with each company.
- Please alert CHIA if you change PBMs as that could impact pharmacy claims versioning methods.

# 2024 MA APCD Submission Guide Updates

- Added lookup value 'X' (not listed here or intersex) to Member Gender field based on the MassHealth Health Equity enrollment system updates. Impacts Eligibility and all 3 Claims files (medical, pharmacy, dental).
- Updated PV050 'filler' field to remove reference to eVisit in Description column.
- July 2024 production data due by 8/31/24 will accept the new Member Gender value.
- Coming in the Fall: potential 2025 MA APCD submission guide changes.

# 2024 MA APCD Submission Guide Updates

|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         |                    |   |     |          |    |
|--------|--------|---------------|------------------|--------|-------------------------------|------------|---------|--------------------|---|-----|----------|----|
| M<br>E | 1<br>3 | M<br>E0<br>13 | Member<br>Gender | 2/2024 | Look<br>up<br>Table<br>- Text | tlkpGender | char[1] | Member's<br>Gender | Report member gender as reported on enrollment form in alpha format. Used to create Unique Member ID. <b>EXAMPLE:</b><br>F = Female | All | 100<br>% | A0 |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | <b>Code</b>        | <b>Description</b>  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | F                  | Female  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | M                  | Male  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | A                  | Transgender Male/Trans Man  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | B                  | Transgender Female/Trans Woman  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | G                  | Genderqueer/gender nonconforming: neither exclusively male nor female   |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | N                  | Non-binary  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | X                  | Not listed here, or intersex  |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | O                  | Other   |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | U                  | Unknown   |     |          |    |
|        |        |               |                  |        |                               |            |         | C                  | Choose not to answer  |     |          |    |



# Enrollment Trends Update

- The next Enrollment Trends reporting cycle will be based on data through March 2024 and is scheduled to be published in September 2024.
- CHIA shared APCD-sourced enrollment counts for payer review in early June. These enrollment counts are based on payers' March 2024 ME submissions and do not reflect any supplemental data.
- **For questions on Enrollment Trends:** Contact your CHIA liaison.

# DOI Reporting

- Q2 2024 HMO Membership reports will be sent in August.
- Sep-2023 Claims/Utilization reports were sent to select payers in May. Signoff was due 7/22.
- Claims/Utilization reports using data through March 2024 are in final review and will be sent to payers later this month.
- We continue to meet with a few payers to reconcile differences in certain utilization report categories.

# Next Meetings

- September 10, 2024 @ 2:00 pm
- October 8, 2024 @ 2:00 pm



# Questions?

