

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PARTNERSHIP OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING



Remote Meeting Information:

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Meeting ID: 867 5601 8831

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Wednesday, September 23, 2020

6:00 PM

Agenda

	<u>Guide</u>
I. Call to Order	1 min
II. Roll Call	2 min
III. Consideration to Adopt the Agenda as Presented	2 min
IV. Audience Participation (5 minutes per participant)	
V. New Business	15 min
a. Board Action Requisition Consideration to approve the pass through of \$1.1 million in funding from the CMHPSM to cover the regional extension of provider premium pay for the month of October 2020	
VI. Adjournment	



Regional Board Action Request – Provider Premium Pay Extension

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Action Requested: Approve the pass through of \$1.1 million in funding from the CMHPSM to cover the regional extension of provider premium pay for the month of October 2020.

Background: The CMHPSM region has assessed the current state of our network’s stability and reviewed the projected cost of continuing the \$2 provider premium pay and associated employer administrative costs for the month of October. We concluded that the abrupt discontinuation of these premium payments, even temporarily, to our provider network would lead to increased instability and negatively impact our providers ability to adequately staff our authorized service levels.

We are recommending that the \$2 provider premium pay that was State approved and funded from April 1, 2020 through September 30, 2020 be extended through the month of October 2020, utilizing regional funds currently available for FY2021. The projected additional cost pass through for the eligible services is \$1,100,000.00 for October 2020. The estimated cost to implement the provider premium pay increase for mental health and substance use disorders by County: Lenawee \$159,891, Livingston \$178,335, Monroe \$220,673 and Washtenaw \$541,100.

There has been recent information from MDHHS, that COVID-19 stimulus or Michigan legislatively approved funding may potentially be available to cover some level of provider premium pay for the first three to six months of FY2021. The CMHPSM would utilize federal or state funding, if it becomes available, to cover the \$2 provider premium pay extension in October 2020. The estimated cost to implement the provider premium pay increase for mental health and substance use disorders by County:

Connection to PIHP/MDHHS Contract, Regional Strategic Plan or Shared Governance Model:

The stability of the CMHPSM provider network is of highest importance to our region and fulfills PIHP/MDHHS contract requirements and COVID-19 provider stabilization plan requirements.

Recommend: Approval