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ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT November 2011

Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs) Activities

Kauai Members met on October 19, 2011 to review Certificate of Need application #11-14 from Ohana Home Health, LLC for establishment of Medicare certified home health agency. Members are scheduled to meet on November 9, 2011, and hear from guest presenter Dr. J.B. Michael Sampsell, Psychiatrist of the Kauai Community Mental Health Center, Hawaii Department of Health. Dr. Sampsell will share his insights on "The State of Mental Health Services on Kauai".

Honolulu Members met on October 6, 2011 to review and rank the proposed list of activities that was discussed at the last HONSAC meeting in August. After the ranking exercise, the activities for the 2011-2012 year will include building on the Got Nutrients? message, providing more training for the certificate-of-need process, and inviting speakers to present information on the new healthcare law (e.g. accountable care organizations).

West Oahu & Windward Oahu

Members of the West Oahu SAC and Windward Oahu SAC will hold a joint meeting on November 16, 2011, and hear from guest presenter: Mr. Hilton Raethel, Senior Vice President of the Hawaii Medical Service Association. Mr. Raethel's presentation is entitled: Quality Payment Systems.

Tri-Isle Members met on October 7, 2011 and heard from guest presenter Dr. George Talbot of Kaiser Permanente. Dr. Talbot delivered a powerpoint presentation on *Health Care Reform*. He briefed members on the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act. He also spoke about the American Recovery and Reconciliation Act as it related to the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health.

Members unanimously voted in favor of Kathleen Suzuki as Chair and Joann Ahuna as Vice Chair for the Tri-Isle Subarea Health Planning Council.

Hawaii Members are scheduled to meet on December 14, 2011.

HSFP Update

<u>Long-term Care Services Subcommittee:</u>	No meeting in October.
<u>Behavioral Health Services Subcommittee:</u>	No meeting in October.
<u>Primary Care Services Subcommittee:</u>	No meeting in October.

Certificate of Need Applications

- #09-13 Rainbow Dialysis, LLC, for the establishment of Dialysis Services at 80 Mahalani Street, Wailuku and 305 Keawe Street, Lahaina, Hawaii. Approved February 17, 2011. On appeal in Circuit Court of the First Circuit.
- #10-14 Mastercare Inc., for the establishment of Home Health Agency Services, Honolulu, Oahu. Incomplete/waiting for revisions/information from applicant.
- #10-15 Mastercare Inc., for the establishment of Home Health Agency Services, Lihue, Kauai. Approved October 4, 2011.
- #11-04 B.C.P., Inc. dba Nursefinders of Kauai, for the establishment of Home Health Agency Services for Kauai County. Approved October 4, 2011.
- #11-11A Pacific Mobile Imaging, LLC for the Change of ownership of existing Portable Diagnostic Imaging Services at 1380 Lusitana Street, 2nd Floor, Honolulu, HI. Approved September 21, 2011.
- #11-12 Stay at Home HealthCare Services, LLC for the establishment of a Certified Home Health Agency – Kauai County. Approved October 4, 2011.
- #11-13A Liberty Dialysis-Hawaii, LLC for the establishment of Dialysis Services at 7192 Kalaniana'ole Hwy., Suite Q-101, Hon. HI. Public meeting was held on September 7, 2011. Approved October 11, 2011. Request for Reconsideration received.
- #11-14 Ohana Home Health, LLC for the establishment of Medicare Certified Home Health Agency Services on Kauai at 2-2488 Kaumualii Highway, Kalaheo, Kauai, HI. Decision pending.

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- #11-15 Hawaii Medical Response Inc. for the establishment of Surface Ambulance Service at 87-154 Farrington Highway. October/November reviews.
- #11-16 Orthopedic Associates Ambulatory Surgery Center, LLC for the establishment of Ambulatory Surgery Center Service Limited to Orthopedic Procedures at 550 South Beretania Street, Suite 701, Honolulu, Hawaii. Decision pending.
- #11-17A Asia Pacific Plastic Surgery, Inc. for the establishment of ASC Limited to Plastic Surgery Procedures at 1401 S. Beretania Street, Honolulu, Hawaii. Approved October 28, 2011.
- #11-18A St. Francis Hospitals, et al for the acquisition of HMC East, HMC West and joint ventures. Request received from applicant to postpone application. Waiting for further instructions from applicant.