



# STATE HEALTH PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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## ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT September 2021

### Subarea Health Planning Councils (SACs) Activities

- Kauai** The Kauai County Subarea Health Planning Council (KCSAC) did not meet in August 2021. The next meeting will be on September 16, 2021.
- Honolulu** The Honolulu Subarea Health Planning Council (HONSAC) did not meet in August 2021. The next meeting will be on October 7, 2021.
- West Oahu and Windward Oahu** The West Oahu Subarea Health Planning Council (WOSAC) and the Windward Oahu Subarea Health Planning Council (WISAC) did not meet in August 2021. The next joint meeting will be on September 15, 2021.
- Tri-Isle** The Tri-Isle Subarea Health Planning Council (TISAC) did not meet in August 2021. The next meeting will be on October 1, 2021.
- Hawaii** The Hawaii County Subarea Health Planning Council (HCSAC) met on August 17, 2021. It continued discussions with Liza Rantz, Executive Director of Hilo Medical Center, on a project on accessing health care services on the Big Island. The next meeting will be on September 21, 2021.

### Research and Statistics

As of August 31, 2021, the response rate for SHPDA's annual health care utilization survey for calendar year 2020 was at 94.3%. The research statistician is working to review and verify the information submitted by the health care providers, and to enter data for analysis. Health care providers who did not submit their 2020 utilization survey by the May 31 deadline were contacted by emails and/or phone calls regarding their submission.

### **The Hawaii Health Data Center (HHDC) Project Team**

*Current Data Submission Status (8/31/2021):* Of the five EUTF Health Plan Reporters, all five are in Production submission. EUTF is also in Production submission.

1. CVS Health: Q2 2021 data received and accepted.
2. EUTF: August 2021 data received and accepted.
3. Hawaii Dental Service: Q2 2021 data received and accepted.
4. Kaiser: Q2 2021 data received and accepted (ME, MC, PC, PV).
5. Hawaii Medical Service Association: Q2 2021 data received and accepted.
6. VSP Vision Care: Q2 2021 data received and accepted.
7. Medicare Fee-for-Service: Currently possess 2010-2014 data (old version), request for additional data 2010-2019 data (updated version) has been approved by CMS. Pending processing and receipt of data.

The HHDC/Med-QUEST Health Analytics Program awarded the Project Management contract. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) approved the Data Governance contract. The draft Implementation Advanced Planning Document-Update is under informal review with CMS.

### **Certificate of Need Applications**

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| #20-15A | USRC Kihei, LLC<br>Establishment of chronic renal dialysis services at 281 Piikea Avenue, Kihei, HI<br>Public meeting requested                    |
| #21-03A | Mastercare Homehealth Inc<br>Acquisition of home health agency services at 4370 Kukui Grove Street, Suite 106, Lihue, HI<br>Approved July 22, 2021 |
| #21-04A | Mastercare Homehealth Inc<br>Acquisition of home health agency services at 395 Kilauea Ave., Unit B3, Hilo, HI<br>Approved August 4, 2021          |
| #21-05A | Mastercare Homehealth Inc - Acquisition of home health agency services at 210 Imi Kala Street, Suite 208, Wailuku, HI<br>Approved August 24, 2021  |

**Certificate of Need Applications (con't)**

#21-08A      Lihue Dialysis Hawaii, LLC  
Establishment of chronic renal dialysis services at 4303 Nawiliwili Road, Unit  
J1A, Lihue, HI  
Public meeting scheduled for August 31, 2021

#21-13A      Kahua Home Health Services, Inc.  
Establishment of Home Health Agency services at 1150 S. King Street, Suite  
404, Honolulu, HI  
Disapproved August 5, 2021