## McGuinness Full-Service Medicaid Kick-Off For Rockland County

September 17, 2021 @ 10:00am & 2:00pm

## **Questions & Answers**

| Topic/Category |                                                                                                                                                  |
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| PRESCRIPTIONS  |                                                                                                                                                  |
| Q              | Currently prescriptions are not required for Counseling & Parent Training. Will prescriptions for these services now be required?                |
| Α              | No, only prescriptions for OT, PT, ST & Psychological Counseling will require prescriptions.                                                     |
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| Q              | Will we need to re do our speech prescriptions that were done in September for October in the new system?                                        |
| Α              | No, you will not need to redo your speech prescriptions. As of 10/1/2021, you will need to start using Digital Orders for speech services for    |
|                | any new children or any speech services that have changed.                                                                                       |
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| Q              | What does ST stand for?                                                                                                                          |
| Α              | ST is the abbreviation used for Speech Therapy.                                                                                                  |
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|                | OPRA                                                                                                                                             |
| Q              | Is there a link to verify that our speech providers have valid OPRA numbers?                                                                     |
| Α              | There is not a link in the Portal to check OPRA status. You can; however, click on this link to search for each of your speech therapists by NPI |
|                | #: https://www.emedny.org/info/opra.aspx                                                                                                         |
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|                | Center-Based/Center-Based Related Service Vouchers                                                                                               |
| Q              | CBRS billing needs to be submitted with CB billing. What if there are Portal problems with CB or CBRS voucher?                                   |
| Α              | The CBRS voucher will need to be submitted with the CB voucher in order for the county to pay the tuition. If you have any issues                |
|                | submitting your billing, you can contact the CPSE Portal support team for assistance in resolving the issue. Once billing is ready to submit,    |
|                | you will be required to submit both the center-based and CBRS vouchers at the same time. For any CBRS children that do not accompany             |
|                | the CB Voucher, the tuition for those children will not be paid.                                                                                 |
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|                | NPI #                                                                                                                                            |
| Q              | If a provider provides services between 9/1-9/17, and they do not have an NPI #, can we bill retroactively once an NPI # is obtained?            |
| Α              | Yes, you will be able to submit a voucher for those attendance dates. The service provider may not be able to add the NPI # to the Portal        |
|                | account, but you can send the NPI # to McGuinness, and they can add it for you. The therapist, or agency, will need to verify the therapist's    |
|                | credentials after the NPI # has been added to the therapist's profile.                                                                           |