

Consumer Advisory Group

Agenda

July 11, 2014, Board Room, MHDO, 151 Capitol Street, Augusta

Please note this is a different location than last time

About the Meeting

This is the second meeting of the MHDO Consumer Advisory Group. Our charge is to give input and guidance to the Maine Health Data Organization on its efforts to provide and integrate comprehensive and useful health care cost and quality data through its publically accessible venue for Maine people. Over the course of several months we are focusing primarily on providing input for an updated version of MHDO's HealthCost website.

To ensure an effective and efficient process that respects participants' time and offers opportunities for everyone's perspective to be heard, our meetings will be professionally facilitated by Craig Freshley and Kerri Sands of Good Group Decisions in Brunswick.

Please arrive early for light breakfast and then a prompt 9:00 am start.

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8:40 **Coffee, tea, bagels, muffins**

9:00 **Opening**

Welcome and About the Meeting – Craig Freshley, facilitator
Introductions

9:15 **Update on New Grant**

We will hear a brief update from Karynlee on a new grant prospect that MHDO is working on. There will be a chance for clarifying questions.

9:25 **Follow Up from Last Meeting**

We will take a moment to remember our recommendations from the last meeting, and Karynlee will explain how some of our ideas are being considered and acted on.

9:45

Resources Page and Prescription Drug Pricing

We will review the current Resources Page at the HealthCost website and discuss what types of resources should be offered here. Which are most important? What format is most useful? In particular we will discuss how HealthCost should best link to effective prescription pricing tools.

11:15

What Does Quality Mean?

When you think of health care quality, what comes to mind? What types of things do you want to know about? We are going to have this conversation in two rounds. The first round is for big thinking - no constraints. We'll discuss and perhaps come to some initial conclusions. Then we will come back to the question in a later meeting when we can tie ideas to what data is realistically available.

11:45

A Quick Look Back and Ahead

We will briefly evaluate this meeting and the advance preparation process. How did this work for you? What might work better for next time? We will also note the topics for the next meeting and give a "heads up" about potential advance reading.

12:00

Adjourn

Lunch provided for anyone who wants to stay