

Telehealth Advisory Committee

Physical Health Best Practices Subcommittee

January 20, 2022 at 4:00PM

Virtual

MEETING MINUTES

1. Call to Order Dr. Sara Salek

2. Welcome and Introductions Dr. Salek

Attendees: Betty McEntire, Charles Carpenter, Shannon Scott, Manny Romo, Ross Goldberg, William Thompson

3. Review of Audio-Only Coverage Crosswalk and Medicare Coverage Alignment Recommendation Dr. Salek

We are unsure if Medicare will continue to keep after the pandemic. We are recommending an addendum to the report to include the Medicare codes.

We are going to create a workgroup to finalize the AMA request. AHCCCS will begin the application and have the workgroup on addition supporting documentation.

4. Telehealth Best Practices Review All

- **Medical Literature Review**
- **National Guideline Review**
- **Other Guideline Review**

We need to adopt telehealth best practice guidelines

The group discussed options including adopting others' best practices, creating our own, or creating a hybrid.

The behavioral health subcommittee recommended a hybrid option.

The group was asked to send any additional guidelines or articles to Lauren.

The group will review all the references and guidelines.

5. Call to the Public

Dr. Salek

No public comments.

6. 2022 Meeting Dates

Dr. Salek

This group will take recommendations of the hybrid options to major committee meeting in February.

7. Adjourn

Dr. Salek

Please contact Lauren Prole at (602) 417-4528 or lauren.prole@azahcccs.gov with any questions.