

From: Petre, Lori
Sent: Tuesday, April 12, 2011 1:16 PM
To: 'Alice Johnson (MCP)'; 'Brian Horgeshimer (MCP)'; 'David Decker (APIPA)'; 'David Gardner (CMDP)'; 'Kathy Thurman (Care1st)'; 'Keith Lueking (Bridgeway)'; 'Linda Ross (HCA)'; 'Liz Liska (Phoenix Health Plan)'; 'Madan Gopal (BHS)'; 'Tim Stanley (BHS)'; 'Anita Reynolds (SCAN)'; 'Becky Ducharme (Yavapai)'; 'Donna Schneider (DDD)'; 'Kelly Morken (Evercare)'; 'Mary Gomez (Cochise)'; 'Michele Drew (Evercare)'; 'Roberto Imperio (Pima)'; 'Sean Stepp (Americhoice IT)'; 'Susan Murphy (Pinal)'; 'Tina Graham (SCAN)'; 'Vicki Wright (SCAN)'
Cc: 'APIPA Monica Husband'; 'Bridgeway Nicole Larson'; 'HCA Kathy Harris'; 'PHP Patty Dal Soglio'; 'Pima Virginia Rountree'; 'UFC Lee Coffman'; Stackfleth, Elizabeth; Snyder, Jami
Subject: FW: 5010: Partial Implementation

Attachments: 5010 Implementation plan updated 4-8-2011.doc
[Please see the information below as sent out by Shelli this morning.](#)

This will be a primary agenda topic for next Tuesday's Consortium meeting, and I will be contacting each Contractor individually to sent up a 1-1 call with you to discuss any specifics, concerns, questions, etc... following the Consortium.

In the mean time if you have questions please let me know. Thank you.

From: Silver, Shelli
Sent: Tuesday, April 12, 2011 8:34 AM
To: 'APIPA - Kent Monical'; 'BHS-DHS - Laura K. Nelson, M.D.'; 'Bridgeway - Rick Fredrickson'; 'Care 1st - Scott Cummings'; 'CMDP/DES - Karla Kreikamp'; 'Health Choice - Carolyn Rose'; 'Mercy Care Plan - Mark Fisher'; 'Phoenix Health Plan - Nancy Novick'; 'Pima Health System - Rick Fredrickson'; 'UFC/Maricopa - James Stover'; 'Bridgeway Health Solutions - Rick Fredrickson'; 'Cochise - Mary Gomez'; 'DES/DDD - Barbara Brent'; 'Evercare - Karen Brach'; 'Mercy Care - Mark Fisher'; 'Pima LTC - Rick Fredrickson'; 'susan.murphy@pinalcountyaz.gov'; 'SCAN - Elizabeth Russell'; 'Yavapai - Jesse Eller'
Cc: Elliott, Kim; Frounfelker, Kristin; Marks, Windy; Petre, Lori; Price, Kari; Rodham, Kathy; Schulik, JeanEllen; Silver, Shelli; Snyder, Jami; Stackfleth, Elizabeth; Vrael, Linda; Wang, Jim; Lippert, Daniel
Subject: 5010: Partial Implementation

As you know, this continues to be a challenging time for AHCCCS in relation to both state and federal mandates. Throughout the remainder of 2011 AHCCCS will be required to implement a significant number of changes to our core processing systems in response to the Governor's Medicaid Reform Plan as well as federal health care reform requirements.

Unfortunately our core IT infrastructure and resources cannot reasonably balance all of these changes along with some of the necessary HIPAA 5010 related changes in an efficient and effective manner. Therefore AHCCCS has made the decision that we will be unable to fully implement all of the 5010 project transactions by the 12/31/2011 deadline.

We have developed an interim plan which will ensure our partial compliance by 10/1/2011 and long term plan to be fully compliant and implemented for all HIPAA 5010 transactions and requirements by 7/1/2012. The attached document identifies the details by transaction, overall milestone dates, and an interim implementation steps where applicable.

Our goals are to:

- Implement as many of the 5010 transactions as feasible by the 12/31/2011 deadline
- Wherever possible try to minimize the impacts to our trading partners
- Complete full requirements and related document for all 5010 transactions, even those that will have a delayed implementation

Since we know that many of the state budgetary/legislative and federal health care reform requirements also impact our Contractors, we will afford our Contractors (should you choose) an opportunity to adjust your implementation timelines for HIPAA 5010 transactions similarly to our plan.

Lori Petre will be sharing this plan with your technical staff, in more detail, via her traditional methods including email and Consortium meetings. If you or staff have technical questions, please contact Lori. Your general questions, thoughts or comments may be directed to me.

Thanks,
Shelli