

Helping states develop integrated programs for individuals who are dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid

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WEBINAR REMINDER | March 22 and 25, 2021 Working with Medicare: Medicare 101 and 201

Join us for a two-part Integrated Care Resource Center (ICRC) Working with Medicare webinar on **Medicare 101 and 201** to be held on **March 22** and **25**, **2021**.

These webinars will provide an overview of Medicare benefits, how Medicare and Medicaid benefits overlap and interact for dually eligible individuals, and steps that states can take to improve care for vulnerable dually eligible populations. The webinars will be especially helpful to state staff who are new to or seek a refresher on Medicare.

Webinar 1: Medicare 101: An Introduction to Medicare Benefits and the Roles of Medicare and Medicaid in Serving Dually Eligible Individuals

March 22, 12:30-2:00 pm ET

Learning Objectives: By the end of this presentation, attendees should be able to describe:

- Who dually eligible individuals are and why coordination of Medicare and Medicaid benefits is important for this population;
- The benefits that Medicare covers and Medicare coverage options;
- Examples of how certain Medicare and Medicaid benefits overlap; and
- When Medicaid might be the primary payer for certain benefits that are covered by both Medicare and Medicaid.

Register for the webinar: <u>https://chcs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jrxxmLcqR92zX8jxIlwRUQ</u>

Webinar 2: Medicare 201: Actions States Can Take to Improve Quality and Coordination of Care for Dually Eligible Individuals

March 25, 12:30-2:00 pm ET

Learning Objectives: By the end of this presentation, attendees should be able to describe:

- The potential benefits of increasing frequency of Medicare Modernization Act (MMA) and buy-in file exchanges with CMS;
- Steps that states can take to simplify Medicare and Medicare Savings Program eligibility and enrollment for dually eligible individuals;
- Ways that states can streamline payment of Medicare cost sharing; and
- Integrated care models that states can use to coordinate Medicare and Medicaid benefits.

Register for the webinar: https://chcs.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_lJzoddRYTgi_erbh1BnsBg

Who Should Attend: State Medicaid staff working in areas including Medicare-Medicaid integration and Special Needs Plan contracting.

Please feel free to forward this invitation to interested state Medicaid staff colleagues. Attendees are welcome to register for both or just one of the webinars. The full agendas and slide decks will be shared prior to the webinars. Please contact Dani Perra at dperra@chcs.org with questions or to request accessibility accommodations.

ABOUT THE INTEGRATED CARE RESOURCE CENTER

The Integrated Care Resource Center is a national initiative of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to help states improve the quality and cost-effectiveness of care for individuals dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid. The state technical assistance activities are coordinated by Mathematica and the Center for Health Care Strategies. For more information, visit www.integratedcareresourcecenter.com.