

## Preliminary - Subject to discussion

### Indiana Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Working Group Meeting #4: Public Summary

#### Meeting Logistics:

- **Date:** July 9, 2025
- **Time:** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM EST
- **Format:** Hybrid
- **Attendees:**
  - Eric Miller (EM), Tara Morse (TM), Molly Collins (MC), Christina Commons (CC), Katrina Etter (KE), Rebecca Roy (RR), Adam Burtner (AB), Susan Crowell (SC), Jim Dalton (JD), Rachel Deaton (RD), Kim Dodson (KD), Lori Goss-Reaves (LGR), Robb Greene (RG), Stephen Kitts (SK), Jill Lambert (JL), Jason McManus (JM), Cari Neal (CN), David Reed (DR), Chad Sims (CS), Camille Svendsen (CS)
- **Meeting objectives:**
  - Share State's proposed recommendation package, which considered WG input, fiscal and member impact, and operational feasibility
  - Gather input on proposed recommendation package

#### 1 Key takeaways from discussion

#### Annotated Agenda:

- **Overview and objectives**
  - Eric Miller opened the meeting, welcoming the Working Group members and sharing the meeting objectives
  - Tara Morse shared inputs to and objectives of proposed recommendations
- **Objectives of proposed recommendations**
  - Tara Morse discussed the key objectives of the proposed recommendations, highlighting:
    - Prioritizing member-centered care and outcomes
    - Preventing fraud, waste, and abuse
    - Ensuring sustainable access to ABA for those who need it most
    - Implementing policies driven by medical necessity and responsible utilization of services by both members and providers
- **Discussion on proposed recommendations**
  - Eric Miller presented proposed recommendations
  - Working Group members discussed proposed recommendations:
    - Emphasized importance of members and family ability to speak on quality and outcomes of their treatment
    - Underscored need to identify medical necessity criteria for exceptions to any limitations
    - Highlighted need to consider individualized treatment plans and members' functional needs
    - Discussed ways to incentivize the most medically appropriate provision of ABA
    - Shared importance of providers following standard clinical and operational practices
    - Raised necessity of effective transition plans for children (e.g., through treatment, to school)
- **Next steps**

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- Eric thanked the Working Group for their time and engagement, asked members to share their questions and perspectives ahead of future meetings, and encouraged attendance at July listening sessions