

8:45 A.M.: [Welcome and Opening Remarks](#)

Dominick Pallone, Executive Director
Michigan Association of Health Plans

9:00 A.M.: [Insights From Health Policy Chairs](#)

Moderator: Christine Shearer, Deputy Director of
Legislation & Advocacy,
Michigan Association of Health Plans

Presenters:

Former State Representative Hank Vaupel,
DVM, Chair

House Health Policy Committee, 2019-2020

Senator Curt VanderWall, Chair

Senate Health Policy Committee

These seasoned legislators share their accumulated knowledge about past and future top health policy topics and insights into working with leadership, the administration and the lobbying community on legislation.

9:45 A.M.: [Medicaid 101](#)

Dominick Pallone, Executive Director
Michigan Association of Health Plans

Tiffany Stone, Medicaid Policy Director
Michigan Association of Health Plans

Recorded presentation, followed by live Q&A.

This session will cover the basics of Medicaid. All the moving parts. Including the Federal Government, the State, and the Managed Care plans. Learn where to get information and find answers in the future.

10:30 A.M.: [Coffee Break](#)

10:40 A.M.: [Healthcare Transparency](#)

Moderator and Presenter: Christine Shearer

Presenters:

Karen Jonas, RPh, Pharmacy Consultant
Michigan Association of Health Plans

Jeff Romback, Deputy Director of Policy &
Planning, Michigan Association of Health Plans

Recorded presentation, followed by live Q&A.

Healthcare transparency has many meanings. This session will provide an overview of what is working and how Michigan can use transparency to improve our healthcare system.

11:20 A.M.: [Telemedicine and COVID 19](#)

Moderator: Christine Shearer

Presenters:

Dr. Peter Graham, MD, Chief Medical Officer
Physicians Health Plan

Dr. Charles Bloom, DO, Chief Medical Officer
Health Alliance Plan

Telehealth is here to stay after its explosion due to COVID-19. Now, we have a good opportunity to see what does and doesn't work, which should help determine what regulatory changes remain after the pandemic wanes. These top health plan CMOs will share their experiences with COVID-19 and telehealth during this past year.

11:50 A.M.: [Behavioral Health](#)

Moderator: Dominick Pallone

Presenters

Sean Kendall, President and CEO
Meridian

Christine Surdock, CEO
Molina Healthcare of Michigan

Behavioral Health in Michigan Medicaid as a piecemeal history. This session explores integration experiences and successes from other states, as well as the past and current outlook in Michigan's behavioral health services improvement journey.

12:30 P.M.: [Closing Remarks & Adjourn](#)

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