



Date: August 29, 2024

To: Coordinated care organizations (CCOs)

From: David Inbody, CCO Operations director

Subject: Extension of CCO enrollment limits waiver through December 31, 2024

In its July 2023 [memo](#), the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) notified CCOs that the enrollment limits waiver in effect [since May 2020](#) would end on December 31, 2023. The rationale for the waiver was tied to the need for flexibility during the Public Health Emergency, which ended May 11, 2023, and the subsequent unwinding period, which is now substantially complete.

OHA hereby further extends this waiver through December 31, 2024. The waiver does not relieve the CCO of any other requirement relating enrollment limits and Service Area as described in the contract.

As indicated in the July 2023 memo, OHA intended not to extend this waiver and to work with CCOs in CY 2023 to develop a formal process for future enrollment limits changes. OHA was unable to perform this work in CY 2023 but expects to do so in the second half of CY 2024.

OHA will convene a Rules Advisory Committee this fall to develop a process for future enrollment limits changes. OHA will also discuss this work with CCOs in a future Operations Collaborative or Contracts & Compliance Workgroup meeting.

Questions?

If you have general questions about this communication, please contact Cheryl Henning, CCO Contracts Administrator, at Cheryl.L.Henning@oha.oregon.gov.

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