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Board Election Results

Results from the recent election for two Primary Care Class seats and one Specialty Care Class B seat are in! The following managers were elected for the term 1/1/19-12/31/20: Drs. Jill Mortensen and Chris Ballas for initial terms as primary care class managers and Dr. Jack Kanoff for a second term as a specialty care class manager. Congratulations!

A special thank you to Drs. David Galetto and Lori Talbot for their service on the board since its inception.

HQEP Update

Quality and efficiency metrics by specialty have been approved by the board for 2019. Additionally, a custom maternity incentive model has been developed and approved, as deliveries are excluded from the standard program methodology. Please visit the website for details:

<http://inspirahealthpartners.com/hospital-quality-and-efficiency-program/>

Horizon Shared Savings Program Updates

Quality: I am pleased to announce that IHP has met the “bonus” level of quality performance, with 5 of 7 metrics at the 75th percentile. If shared savings is achieved, Horizon will contribute an additional 5% into the physician distribution pool. Great job!

Utilization: As of September 30, IHP is currently beating the target per-member-per-month spend by \$8. Data has been posted on the website outlining utilization metrics. Check it out!

2019: The board has approved quality and citizenship metrics for the 2019 performance year, which has been posted on the IHP website for your reference.

<http://inspirahealthpartners.com/horizon-alliance-program/>

Aetna Shared Savings Program Comes to IHP

The committees of IHP (Finance, Clinical, and Board) have vetted and approved participation in Aetna’s shared savings program in 2019. We are improving care coordination efforts in our practices and aim to benefit from as many payers as possible! We’ll begin circulating information as we receive it, and start working on quality files in the spring. The Clinical Consensus Committee agreed on proposed quality metrics for Aetna that align with our other programs with Horizon and Medicare. They will be shared as soon as they are finalized with Aetna.

2019 Survey—Please Complete

We value your partnership as a member of IHP and continuously seek feedback on how we can build additional benefits into your membership. Two themes have emerged in discussions with physicians members as areas for which we would like to gauge collective interest: medical malpractice coverage and health insurance benefits. A Survey Monkey will be circulated in January which is designed to help us determine whether pursuit of these offerings would be worth further exploration. Please take the time to respond!

Happy Holidays!