

**Board Advisory Group Meeting**  
**April 28, 2021**  
**3:00 PM – 4:30 PM**

**Advisory Group Members Joining via Phone:** Meagan Fearing, Krystin Godoy, Jo Hubchik, Mary Kirby, Amanda Massey, Bethany Pray, Silvia Santana, Liz Tansey, Cindy Watson, and Donna Wehe

**Advisory Group Members Absent:** John Barela, Jane Barnes, Devin Kepler, Nikki Meredith, Erin Miller, Kavita Nair, and Julia Wiswell

**I. Welcome & Introductions**

Jo Hubchik called the meeting to order at 3:01pm, welcoming everyone in attendance. The February meeting [minutes](#) were approved.

**II. Federal and State Updates**

Bailey Dvorak provided an update on the State and Federal Legislative updates. Two pieces of federal legislation that are currently being discussed are the American Jobs Plan (AJP), which would expand long-term care under Medicaid, and the American Families Plan (AFP), which would focus on “social infrastructure” by making ARP provisions permanent and expanding Medicare age.

**III. ARP Update**

An update on the American Rescue Plan (ARP) was provided. Since the ARP has been passed, it will affect C4HCO customers in the following ways:

- Financial help for more Coloradans in 2021 and 2022.
- Forgives repayment of excess financial help given in 2020.
- Provides \$0 and low-cost premium options to households in which someone is receiving or has received any weekly unemployment benefits in 2021.

**IV. OE Report**

Leslie Chadwick presented a report to the group on open enrollment.

**V. Policy Roadmap**

Nina Schwartz provided an update on the Policy Roadmap. Based on the group’s feedback at the last meeting, the roadmap has been updated to include auto-enrollments.

**VI. Public Comment**

None.

Meeting adjourned at 3:56 p.m.

**Next Meeting**

June 30, 2021