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Data Release Review Committee

Meeting Notes

March 6, 2024

Committee Member Attendees:		CIVHC Staff Attendees:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Ako Quammie</u> (Contexture)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kelsey Foland (facilitator)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maggie Mueller
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Andy Woster</u> (CCMCN)		<input type="checkbox"/> Amanda Kim	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Martha Meyer
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Beth Martin</u> (HCPF)		<input type="checkbox"/> Chris Dalton	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mason Thaxton
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Caleb Wright</u> (Elevance Health)		<input type="checkbox"/> Danielle Evergreen	<input type="checkbox"/> Paul McCormick
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Chris McDowell</u> (Valley Health Alliance)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Darcy Holladay Ford	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pete Sheehan
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Essey Yirdaw</u> (Colorado Hospital Association)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hannah Witting	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sauntice Washington
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Jesse Villines</u> (Craig Hospital)		<input type="checkbox"/> Jennifer Carpenter	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Twanisha Parnell
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Megan Denham</u> (Georgia Tech)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kristin Paulson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kimi Landry
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Nathan Wilkes</u> (Headstorms, Inc.)		<input type="checkbox"/> LaDios Muhammad	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rachel Jardim
<input type="checkbox"/> <u>Sheri Herner</u> (Kaiser Permanente)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Liz Mooney	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> John Francis		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lucía Sanders	<input type="checkbox"/>

Agenda

Time	Opportunity Number	Project Details
<u>10:30 AM</u>	24.26	University of Colorado School of Medicine, Division of Complex Family Planning <i>What is emergent enough? Quantifying life-threatening pregnancy complications for a post-Dobbs world</i>
<u>11:00 AM</u>	24.39	Michigan State University <i>Stabilizing the Individual Health Insurance Market</i>
<u>11:30 AM</u>	24.37	Denver Regional Council of Governments <i>Colorado Older Adult Fall Related Injury Claims Assessment</i>



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Presentation Time:	10:30 AM				
Opportunity Number:	24.26				
Requesting Organization:	University of Colorado School of Medicine, Division of Complex Family Planning				
Project Title:	What is emergent enough? Quantifying life-threatening pregnancy complications for a post-Dobbs world				
CIVHC Presenter:	Lucía Sanders, Key Account Manager				
Project Presenter(s):	Dr. Nancy Fang				
Extract Type:	Limited Extract				
Finder File Included:	No				
PHI Data Elements					
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Committee Discussion and Questions:

Beth: Your application is not requesting practitioner claims. Do you really not want the physician data?

Dr. Yang: In terms of specific practitioner claims we are not looking at identifying specific practices or people in terms of their outcomes. We are more interested in the population level because it's more about the policies that may be affecting access to reproductive health.

Beth: A lot of the data you are looking for will be captured within the practitioner claims, the diagnosis codes, and such, which may not be pushed up to the inpatient/outpatient claims. I'm not sure how you can conduct this analysis without having that detailed office visit data.

Dr. Yang: I will mark that down to discuss with Lucía afterward, because there may be an oversight.



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Nathan: I am curious if you are planning on integrating Social Determinants of Health data that are available at the census tract level or if are you just looking at health characteristic health issues.

Dr. Yang: Yes, we do plan on incorporating some of that into our care with the geographic census tract we requested.

Megan: How are you going to be looking at the impact of policy change by using data before the policy change?

Dr. Fang: We are working with collaborators at Duke University who are also looking at Virginia's APCD for 2018 – 2019. Our long-term goal is to expand beyond Roe v. Wade, but we do know that issues like maternal mobility and mortality existed even before the abortion bans.

Megan: What are your plans to compare or linkages with multiple states?

Dr. Fang: Part of the initial planning was to speak with people at CIVHC who have done with multistate comparisons because there are many factors to consider. Our comparison details haven't been completely ironed out, but we hope to identify patterns between Colorado and Virginia's data.

Megan: Have you already received approval from Virginia's APCD to receive data?

Dr. Fang: Yes, we have. Duke is leading the effort to receive Virginia's data, which received approval.

Megan: Is this committee concerned about how the data will be combined with Virginia about patient security in states where physicians can be prosecuted for providing access to abortions?

Martha: From a research standpoint, you would look at each population as a population in that state. They are not linking; they will keep them as two different distinct populations.

Objections to Project Production		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Committee Member	Basis for Objection		
Motions to Recommend for Production		<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
First:	Beth Martin		
Second:	Nathan Wilkes		
Final Decision: Recommended for Production pending Data Release Application corrections/modifications			
1. Select 'Professional' under Claim Types in the DRA.			
2. Add Social Determinants of Health linkages.			



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Presentation Time:	11:00 AM				
Opportunity Number:	24.39				
Requesting Organization:	Michigan State University				
Project Title:	Stabilizing the Individual Health Insurance Market				
CIVHC Presenter:	Mason Thaxton, Health Data Consultant				
Project Presenter(s):	Dr. Paul Kim, Assistant Professor at Michigan				
Extract Type:	Limited Extract				
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Committee Discussion and Questions:

Ako: In terms of who is accepting the publicly funded reinsurance data or assistance, do you have a list of those?

Dr. Kim: Yes, this is public program. So any insurers that are in the individual health insurance market they will automatically be enrolled.

Nathan: Would this study actually be producing an output, such as looking at the overall effectiveness of reinsurance payments?

Dr. Kim: Yes, exactly, and we want to do that specially for different geographical regions and different insurers.



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Nathan: Would some of that be accessible by looking at reported medical loss ratios by carriers, or could that data from this study be used to validate those reported rates?

Dr. Kim: So those are on a high-level average data which can be important to know to gauge on what the headline numbers are. We want to do a more detailed analysis on how that varies across regions and inform policies.

Nathan: To what extent are you including other financial barriers to care?

Dr. Kim: We will look at expected out of pocket costs. So yes, that will be within the calculations we will do.

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Committee Member	Basis for Objection		
Motions to Approve Project Production		<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
First:	Ako Quammie		
Second:	Jesse Villines		
Final Decision: Recommended for Production			
No documentation changes suggested.			



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Presentation Time:	11:30 AM				
Opportunity Number:	24.37				
Requesting Organization:	Denver Regional Council of Governments				
Project Title:	Colorado Older Adult Fall Related Injury Claims Assessment				
CIVHC Presenter:	Mason Thaxton, Health Data Consultant				
Project Presenter(s):	Dr. Nathan Estrada				
Extract Type:	Limited Extract				
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Committee Discussion and Questions:

Nathan Wilkes: There were comments in the application about the control group being pre/post, or separate. I would like some clarification on this direction.

Dr. Estrada: When I look at outcomes, I prefer a difference in difference assessment with the control group. We also understand that sometimes control groups can be difficult to source at the scale. We usually use a 2 to 1 control after risk adjustments. The desire is to do a control group. If not, we would do a pre and post. Also consider how precise the control group needs to be.

Megan: What's the user's understanding of how their information will be used and what accretions will Nymbl be making off this data?

Dr. Estrada: Our terms and conditions are clear that we utilize their information to further understand and measure the success of the program from their subjective and our partners' data. We even abbreviate them, so people don't have to read the whole thing.



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First:	Chris McDowell		
Second:	Megan Denham		
Final Decision: Recommended for Production			
No documentation changes suggested.			