Quarterly Bulletin:

Real solutions from policy to payment

Welcome to the fourth quarterly National Diabetes Prevention Program (National DPP) Coverage Toolkit Bulletin of 2022. This bulletin is released every three months (in February, May, August, and November), and includes a synopsis of the new content that has been published on the National DPP Coverage Toolkit (the Toolkit) and key highlights that demonstrate the impact on its readership. Toolkit updates are developed in alignment with our partners’ technical assistance needs, focusing on the information partners need to plan for, operationalize, and sustain payer coverage for the National DPP lifestyle change program.

We are happy to announce we recently reached 100,000 users. Thank you to everyone who has visited and used this resource!

Thank you for helping us reach 100,000 users in 2022!

Here is a summary of Toolkit content updates and analytics from the past quarter, August – October 2022.

Updated Content and New Features

Medicaid Case for Coverage

Two new resources were added to the Medicaid Case for Coverage page as part of Stage 3: Preparing and Presenting the Case for Coverage. The Presentation Template for Medicaid is a slide deck that can be used as a starting place when planning a presentation to state Medicaid on coverage of the National DPP. The accompanying Case for Coverage: Presentation Template Outline contains tips for presenting, statistics, and graphics that can supplement the content in the slide deck.

Main menu bar Medicaid → Case for Coverage

MDPP Implementation Resources

The MDPP Implementation Resources page was updated with new content on State Health Departments and the Medicare DPP (MDPP), including a video on MDPP basics. Additionally, an MDPP Enrollment Preparation Guide, a shared learning resource on working with MACs (found on the Additional Resources tab) and a shared learning resource that documents resources and solutions to barriers shared during Small Team TA meetings (found on the Additional Resources tab) were added.

Main menu bar Medicare → MDPP Implementation Resources
The Participating Payers page was updated to reflect current knowledge of payer and employer coverage of the National DPP lifestyle change program. State Medicaid coverage details have been added for South Dakota and Rhode Island. Iowa and South Dakota have been added to the list of states with public employee coverage. Additionally, the “Add or Update a Payer or Employer” form at the bottom of the page was updated to emphasize that any information on recommended additions, changes, or removals of payers on the Participating Payers page is appreciated.

Main menu bar Participating Payers

Various small edits were made to the Health Equity and the National DPP suite of pages based on further review of the materials. For example, on the Role of Medicaid in Addressing HRSN page, a link to the Medicaid Coverage Learning Collaborative: Health Equity: The Role of Partnerships and the National DPP webinar was added. Additionally, definitions were added for categories used on a graphic on the Connecting the National DPP Lifestyle Change Program to State and National Health Equity Initiatives page under the Addressing HRSN Through Cross-Sector Partnerships section.

Main menu bar Sustainability → Health Equity

New studies were added to the Evidence page under the Online, Statistics and Burden, and Evaluation sections.

- **Online** – Delivering the National Diabetes Prevention Program: Assessment of Enrollment in In-Person and Virtual Organizations
- **Statistics and Burden** – Assessing Type 2 Diabetes Risk
- **Evaluation** – Using a RE-AIM Framework to Identify Promising Practices in National DPP Implementation

Additionally, the link for USPSTF recommendations was updated to the most current information.

Main menu bar The National DPP → Evidence

On the Curriculum page, a Discovery Session Facilitator’s Guide resource was added, the Chuukese and Kosraean curriculum were updated to the 2021 PreventT2 curriculum, and a new Tongan translation of the 2021 PreventT2 curriculum was added.

Main menu bar The National DPP → Curriculum

The State Plan Amendment page (under examples in the Medicaid State Plans Examples), 1115 Waiver Demonstration page (under the examples in the Section 1115 Demonstration Waiver Examples), and MCO Coverage page (at the bottom of the Coverage Options Utilizing MCOs section) were updated to include a new section that details strategies for ensuring that covered services are included in Medicaid managed care.

Various Pages
**Coming Soon! Updates and New Resources in the Works**

- The [Data and Reporting](https://coveragetoolkit.org) page will be updated to the Data, Reporting, and Evaluation page, and will include new content regarding evaluation of coverage and utilization of the National DPP lifestyle change program.
- Information about Maryland's prediabetes flag and e-referral tool will be added to the Toolkit.
- New [State Stories](https://coveragetoolkit.org) of Medicaid coverage will be added to the existing nine stories on the Toolkit.

**Coverage Toolkit Website Analytics and Usage**

![National DPP Coverage Toolkit Users](chart)

**Context:**

- Baseline numbers are based on ~5 years of data and all other columns correspond with quarterly reporting in year five (8/1/22 – 7/31/23) of a five-year cooperative agreement between CDC and NACDD (i.e., ‘Y5 Q1’ is 8/1/22 – 10/31/22 and ‘Through Y5 Q1’ means through 10/31/22)
- Unique Users (used to be called ‘visits’) are calculated for all who have initiated at least one session and could include return visitors using different devices or those who have cleared their cookies
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