

Mostly Medicaid Completes Important Study of Behavioral Health Registry Solutions for Maryland Department of Health

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Our team was pleased to address a need for MDH and the Maryland General Assembly along with meeting some very tight timelines with our behavioral health and technology expertise.”

Kris Vilamaa

The Mostly Medicaid government advisory team was pleased to partner with DMI (Digital Management, LLC) on a feasibility study for the Maryland Department of Health's Behavioral Health Administration. The Mostly Medicaid work was focused on preparation for a new mental health and substance use disorder bed registry and referral system.

The project was a key part of an initiative to improve behavioral health service delivery in Maryland. Under House Bill 1121, the legislature mandated a bed registry

and referral system. The system must provide a searchable inventory of providers and an electronic referral system for private and public mental health and substance use disorder services.

The results of the Mostly Medicaid study were presented in the HGO Committee session on September 15th. You can check out the committee meeting recording here- <https://bit.ly/3tSZ9ov>

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Goals of the study
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- Collect high-level requirements for the proposed system
- Analyze a set of potential vendors
- Information gathering from other states
- Provide recommendations on vendor selection and implementation to the State of Maryland Department of Health
- Develop a set of policy and programmatic implications for the new system

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Key lessons learned
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The technology is not the most complicated aspect of this work. The effort to engage the range of partners needed for a successful system implementation will be significant. Ensuring that the system is integrated into existing clinical workflows will also be a key aspect of a successful implementation.

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