

# ARKANSAS HEALTHCARE TRANSPARENCY INITIATIVE

## DATA RELEASE REQUEST

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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Date: July 3, 2018  
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### PROJECT INFORMATION

#### Project Description (Use Additional Pages as Needed)

The Department of Human Services is reviewing the claims data related to premiums paid for individuals participating in the Arkansas Works program. The program is subject to a budget neutrality limit and DHS wants to determine actual medical service cost and potential cost sharing paid by the carriers who participate in the program as the carriers begin development of rates for calendar year 2019. DHS is needing data to determine rates that meet the objectives of the Department.

#### Evaluation Criteria (Use Additional Pages as Needed)

Answer the following questions that will be asked during the data request review process. The APCD will work with you to answer any question if necessary.

1. Is the request consistent with the Transparency Initiative's goals and purpose?
2. Are there real or potential conflicts of interest or anti-competitive concerns?
3. If IRB approval is required, has the approval been granted?
4. Does the data request contain the minimum information required?
5. Does the request minimize the risk of re-identification of individuals?

Proposed Project Start Date: July 5, 2018

Proposed Project End Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Is funding for the project dependent on approval of this request? ☐ Yes ☒ No



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#### Data Files

☒ Enrollment Data   ☒ Medical Claims   ☒ Pharmacy Claims   ☒ Dental Claims   ☒ Provider Data

#### Parameters

	Date Range	Date Type	Other Parameters
Enrollment*	1/1/14-12/31/17	Date of Enrollment	
Medical Claims	1/1/14-12/31/17	Claim Pymt Date	
Pharmacy Claims	1/1/14-12/31/17	Claim Pymt Date	
Dental Claims	1/1/14-12/31/17	Claim Pymt Date	

#### Notes

**Date Range** is the month and year. Historical data dates back from 2013.

**Date Type** is how the date range should be defined for the project (e.g., date of service, date of claim submission, date of claim payment, or date of enrollment).

\*If requested member data should include all active members as of a specific date, e.g. 1/1/2013, the requested member date range should 'predate' that date to ensure that all active members are selected. For example, if all active members are required for 2013, the data request should indicate that member data should include records with date of first enrollment < 2013-01-01 and the date of disenrollment > 2013-01-01.

**Payer-Level Detail** (e.g., Medicaid or private payer)

Qualified Health Plans

#### Preferred Data File Type

☒ Text File   ☐ SAS File   ☐ MS Excel Spreadsheet   ☐ SQL Server 2016 Table   ☐ Other

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Preferred Data Delimiter

☐ Pipe   ☐ Tab   ☒ Comma   ☐ Other

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Preferred Text Qualifiers

☐ Single Quote   ☒ Double Quotes   ☐ None   ☐ Other

Other: \_\_\_\_\_



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### DATA USAGE

*Note: Ark. Code Ann. § 23-61-907 prohibits the use of data to reidentify or attempt to reidentify an individual without obtaining the individual's consent.*

Do you plan to merge or combine the Initiative data with other data files? Note, this does not include comparing Initiative data with other data files (e.g., Census data).

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, what is the purpose?

Which data elements will be used to merge or combine the Initiative data with other data files?

### PUBLICATION AND DISSEMINATION

Describe your plans to publish or disseminate the derived or extracted information:

Data will be used for internal calculations.

Do you anticipate that the Initiative Data requested, or information published or disseminated based on Initiative Data, could be used for anticompetitive purposes, including but not limited to price-fixing, market or customer allocation, service or output restriction, price stabilization, or in any way that restricts or limits competition?

☐ Yes ☒ No

### QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Attach a separate document that identifies all key personnel who would be assigned to the project and describe their qualifications.

For all key personnel, describe the experience, if any, with prior or current projects of comparable scope and complexity to this project.

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### OTHER PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

Provide the name, role, and organization of all the receiving organization's employees, contractors, and clients that will have access to the Initiative Data. Use a separate page if needed.

Name	Role	Organization
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Please see separate page

Will a third-party or other organization have access to the Initiative Data? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Provide the following third-party information for all individuals or organizations who will have access to Initiative Data or who will be named as being affiliated with this project. Use a separate page if needed.

Company Name: Milliman, Inc

Contact Person: Michael Cook

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: michael.cook@milliman.com

Phone Number: 262 796 3417

Mailing Address: 15800 W. Bluemound Road

City: Brookfield State: WI ZIP Code: 53005

Will the third party have access to the data at an off-site location? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, submit their data management policies and procedures in your Data Management Plan.

What is their role in the project?

Milliman is the DHS contracted actuary that will assist in compiling data and providing various scenarios for rate structures to DHS Executive Staff based on criteria established by DHS.

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Name	Role	Organization
Dawn Stehle	Medicaid State Director Oversees the policy implementation of the Arkansas Works 1115 Demonstration Waiver.	Arkansas DHS
David McMahon	Chief Financial Officer for Medicaid Oversees the financial impact of any changes in policies related to the Arkansas Works 1115 Demonstration Waiver.	Arkansas DHS
William Lewis	Data Analytics Consultant Oversees data ran through the DHS Decision Support System and would lead any data runs done within DHS on the data being requested.	Arkansas DHS