

In 2018, the Community Behavioral Health Association of Maryland partnered with its member organizations to launch Maryland Behavioral Health Solutions, a provider network operating as an independent entity.

## FOR PAYERS

- ✓ **ACCESS A STATEWIDE CONTINUUM OF MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION CARE WITH A SINGLE SIGNATURE**

Maryland Behavioral Health Solutions convenes 29 mental health and addiction treatment providers into a single network accessible through single signature authority. Participating providers offer geographic coverage of every Maryland county and every service in the continuum of care for mental health and addiction treatment services.

- Over 1,500 frontline professionals:
  - 130 prescribers (psychiatrists & NPs)
  - 382 licensed social workers & counselors
  - 1,000 community health workers
- 271 program sites, including:
  - 60 outpatient mental health clinics
  - 34 outpatient SUD programs
  - 18 mobile treatment/ACT programs
  - 115 psychiatric rehabilitation programs
  - 44 health homes
  - **Over 1,800 beds in crisis, residential and supported housing settings.**

- ✓ **ACCESS A HIGH-PERFORMING NETWORK CAPABLE OF DELIVERING RESULTS AND REDUCING HOSPITAL COST.**

	Business as Usual	MBHS
Follow-up within 7 days of ED discharge	<p><b>40%</b> for Medicaid MCO Source: NCQA, <a href="#">Follow-Up After ED Visit for Mental Illness</a></p>	<b>56%</b>
Follow-up within 7 days of psychiatric inpatient discharge	<p><b>49%</b> for PBHS Source: DBM, <a href="#">MFR: BHA</a>, Obj. 2.6</p>	<b>66%</b>
Psychiatric inpatient readmission	<p><b>14%</b> for PBHS Source: DBM, <a href="#">MFR: BHA</a>, Obj. 1.1</p>	<b>2%</b>
No follow-up after hospital discharge	<p><b>40 - 60%</b> depending on diagnosis Source: [cite studies]</p>	<b>28%</b>

## FOR PARTICIPATING PROVIDERS

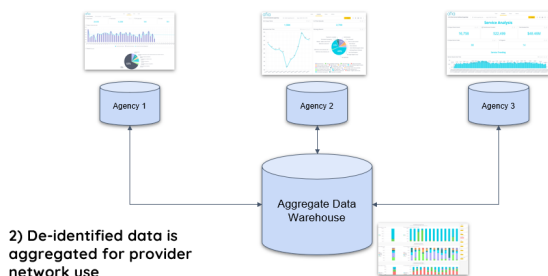
Maryland Behavioral Health Solutions offers participating providers **access to analytics and interoperability solutions** that will improve your ability to deliver performance results in a value-based contracting environment.

A survey in 2018 indicated that interoperability and analytics were the two barriers to value-based purchasing (VBP) identified by providers as barriers to robust participation.

### ✓ ACCESS ANALYTICS AND BENCHMARKING DATA TO IMPROVE PERFORMANCE

The MBHS provider network partnered with Afia Health to launch a data warehouse in 2019. The warehouse mines data from participating providers' EMRs, delivering analytics dashboards for each provider. At the same time, the warehouse delivers de-identified, aggregate performance data to the network as a whole, allowing the network to benchmark providers' performance and support improved population health management strategies.

1) Negotiated Full-scale, enterprise-grade Business Intelligence (BI) for each member



### ✓ ACCESS COST-EFFECTIVE DATA INTERMEDIARY TO IMPROVE POPULATION HEALTH MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES

The network's warehouse also functions as a data intermediary, supporting automated, large-scale data exchanges in ways that are either not supported or costly to negotiate between individual providers and their EMR vendors.

The network has automated the data exchange between its connected providers and CRISP, for example. An automated patient panel is uploaded to CRISP and hospital utilization data is downloaded daily. Data is distributed to providers in actionable, real-time format.

### PARTICIPATING PROVIDERS & STOCKHOLDERS

Archway Station\*  
Arundel Lodge  
Behavioral Health Partners of Frederick\*  
Carroll County Youth Services Bureau  
Catholic Charities\*  
Center for Children  
Channel Marker  
Children's Guild  
Community Residences\*  
Cornerstone Montgomery  
Corsica River Mental Health Services  
Crossroads Community  
Family Services  
Go-Getters  
Humanim  
IBR-REACH\*  
KeyPoint Health Services\*  
Leading by Example  
Life Renewal Services  
Lower Shore Clinic  
M.A.T.Clinic\*  
Mosaic Community Services  
Partnership Development Group  
Pathways  
Prologue  
People Encouraging People  
Southern Maryland Community Network  
Way Station  
Upper Bay Counseling & Support Services

*\*participating provider only*