Planning AHEAD – The Maryland Experience

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Program Overview

The Maryland Healthcare Education Institute, in conjunction with the Maryland Hospital Association, will host an introduction to our Learning & Development series focused on sharing lessons learned from the Maryland Model.

Maryland has had a unique hospital finance model for over 50 years. As more states consider implementing the States Advancing All-Payer Health Equity Approaches and Development (AHEAD) Model, Maryland's experiences with all-payer rate-setting, hospital global budgets, and total cost of care models can help you and your teams understand how to help hospitals and health systems transition to these approaches.

This webinar is an introduction to our Planning AHEAD Learning & Development Series and is designed specifically for professionals like you in hospital associations and health care related fields, who are planning to engage with and learn more about the AHEAD Model.

The program will allow you and your team to gain insights into Maryland's extensive experience and will provide valuable lessons and practical knowledge from Maryland's journey, helping your organization make informed decisions about implementing the AHEAD Model.

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About the Speaker

Tequila Terry, Senior Vice President of Care Transformation & Finance, Maryland Hospital Association

Tequila Terry is the Maryland Hospital Association's senior vice president of care transformation and finance. In this role, she is responsible for leading the association's advocacy strategy for Maryland hospitals in quality improvement, health equity, health care payment, and population health.

Tequila previously served as the director of the CMS Innovation Center's State Innovation and Population Health portfolio where she led teams responsible for the design, implementation, and management of national health care payment reform and delivery models across Medicare and Medicaid.

Prior to her role at CMS, Tequila was with the state of Maryland where she was a principal deputy director and led the Center for Payment Reform & Provider Alignment within the Maryland Health Services Cost Review Commission (HSCRC). There, Tequila was part of Maryland's work with the CMS Innovation Center on the Total Cost of Care Model where she was responsible for collaborating with hospitals, physicians, and other stakeholders on care transformation and payment reform, and led legislative affairs, communications, and grant strategies.

Program Objectives

- 1. Recognize the evolution of the Maryland Model
- 2. Identify the "Lessons Learned" from Maryland's 50 year experience
- 3. Identify key tenets of Maryland's plan for the future



