



October 21, 2019

# Medicaid Expansion Listening Session

# Agenda

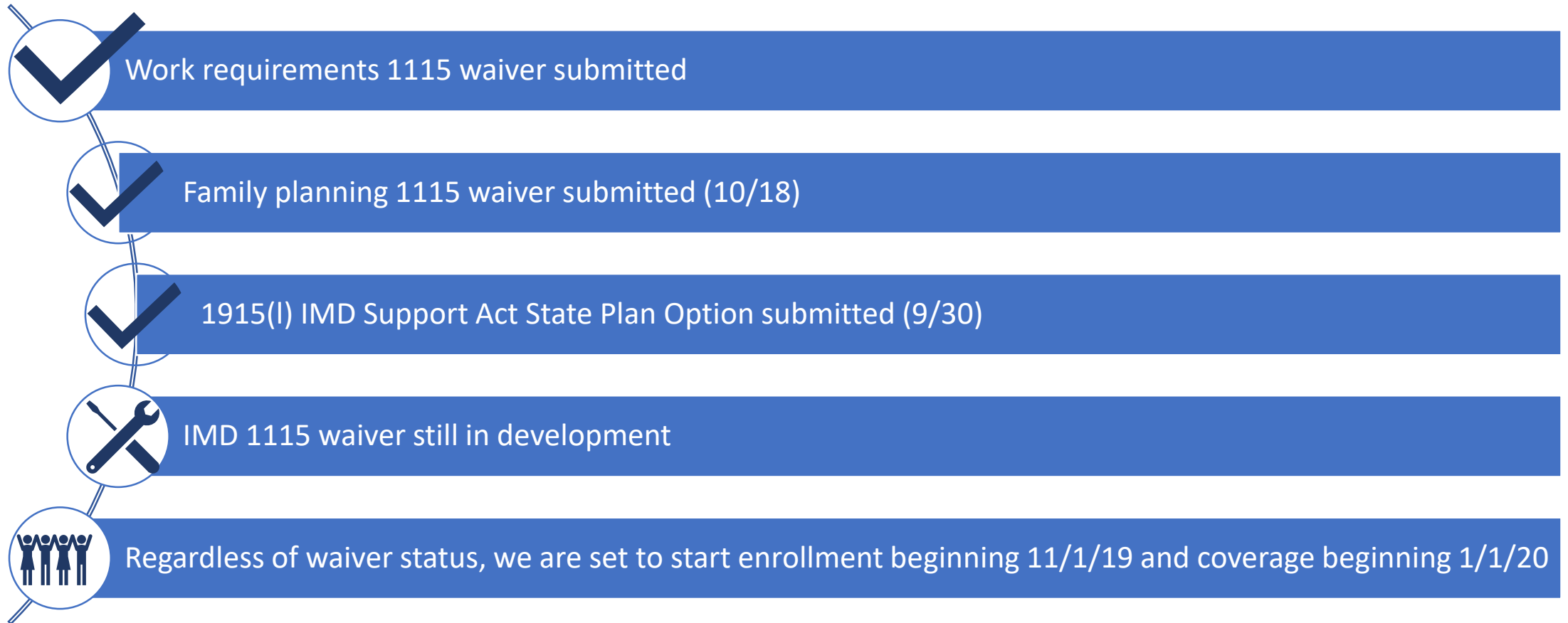


Update on progress



Question and answer session

# Waiver/Implementation Timeline



# Timely Access to Care

## **HC provider capacity analysis results**

- Based on the analysis of the data received to date, it has been determined by the Healthy Connections team based on provider response, that adequate and timely access to care exists for the potential Medicaid Expansion population
- Based on input from providers, professional organizations and participants, a percentage of the expansion population is currently established with an HC network provider, thus new access points will not be required

## **Optum behavioral health capacity analysis in progress**

- Initial findings are indicating no issues in capacity outside of known and existing constraints in medically underserved and frontier areas
- Working on addressing coverage constraints with telehealth, provider recruitment, travel reimbursement



# Continuity of Care

## Pharmacy

- Working to ensure there is continuity of care and no gaps in drug supply for critical populations (behavioral health, HIV, those leaving corrections)
- Focus on ensuring current providers are billing and/or prescribing Medicaid providers

## Behavioral Health

- Medicaid, DBH, IDOC, ISC and Optum are working together to cross-walk services and codes and identify gaps and provide transition guidance
- Many of the state-funded behavioral health program services will be reimbursed through Medicaid and future detailed service guidance will be provided by Optum



# Enrollment Information

## Strategy to Streamline Enrollment

- Many individuals currently known by IDHW have gone through a Medicaid screening process as part of a re-evaluation for another program such as SNAP
- Approx. 31,000 of these individuals have been identified as eligible to receive Medicaid services starting 1/1/20 if there are no changes that impact their eligibility status

## Healthy Connections

- The HC team intends to provide HC clinics with a listing, starting in mid-November, of potentially eligible Medicaid Expansion applicants that have “pre-selected” their clinic as their PCP

## Open Enrollment Beginning Nov 1: How to Enroll

- Applicants can choose among several methods for submitting their applications:
  1. Apply online through [idalink](#)
  2. Download and complete the Application for Assistance, [English](#) | [Spanish](#)
  3. Apply over the phone by calling 1 (877) 456-1233



# Questions and Answers

