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1. DEFINITIONS

1.1 “Emergency Medical Group (“EMG”)

A category of Enrollees qualified for GHP under a temporary expansion of Medicaid coverage eligibility requirements during the COVID-19 pandemic.

1.2 Emergency Medical Group Enrollees

From November 15, 2020 to September 30, 2021, Potential Enrollees who qualify for the Emergency Medical Group (“EMG”) are eligible to participate under the Medicaid and CHIP programs under the GHP. During this time, EMG Enrollees shall receive the same benefits as the eligible populations as defined in Section 1.3.1.

2. ELIGIBILITY

2.1 EMG potential enrollees shall comply with eligibility requirements as set forth by the Medicaid Program for the establishment of the poverty level for eligibility certification. EMG enrollees may be considered Medicaid, CHIP or State Population according to Medicaid Program’s eligibility certification.

3. ENROLLMENT AND APPLICABLE RATES

3.1 Effective Date of Enrollment for EMG

The effective Date of Enrollment for all Emergency Medical Group Enrollees shall begin no earlier than November 15, 2020. All other Enrollment processes and procedures under Section 5.2 of this Contract shall apply, including those applicable provisions governing notification to Enrollees and Providers on Enrollment and changes in Enrollment status.

3.2 Disenrollment

EMG Enrollees shall have a Term of Enrollment that expires on September 30, 2021. Upon expiration of this term, EMG Enrollees shall undergo the same Disenrollment procedures set forth under Section 5.3 as applicable to Enrollees who are no longer eligible for the GHP.

3.3 Applicable rates

Payment for EMG shall be as specified in the amended Attachment 11

4. HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (HCIP) AND QUALITY ACTIVITIES

4.1 The EMG population will be excluded from the following quality activities:

- 4.1.1 HCIP – The Contractor shall not include the EMG population under the program.
- 4.1.2 CAHPS & ECHO – The Contractor shall not survey the EMG population.
- 4.1.3 Performance Improvement Projects- The Contractor shall exclude the EMG population from the projects implemented.
- 4.1.4 ER Quality Initiative- The MCO will not include the EMG population.



4.2 Health Risk Assessment

The Contractor shall perform the Health Risk Assessment during the first 120 days of the member's enrollment.

5. ATTACHMENT APPLICABILITY

This attachment supplements, and, where indicated, supersedes the requirements contained in Articles 1-61 of this Contract. The Contractor is required to follow all provisions pursuant to Articles 1-61 of this Contract unless otherwise stated in this attachment. Hence, all the terms and conditions of this Contract and its Attachments remain in full force and effect.

