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Update on Medicaid Transformation

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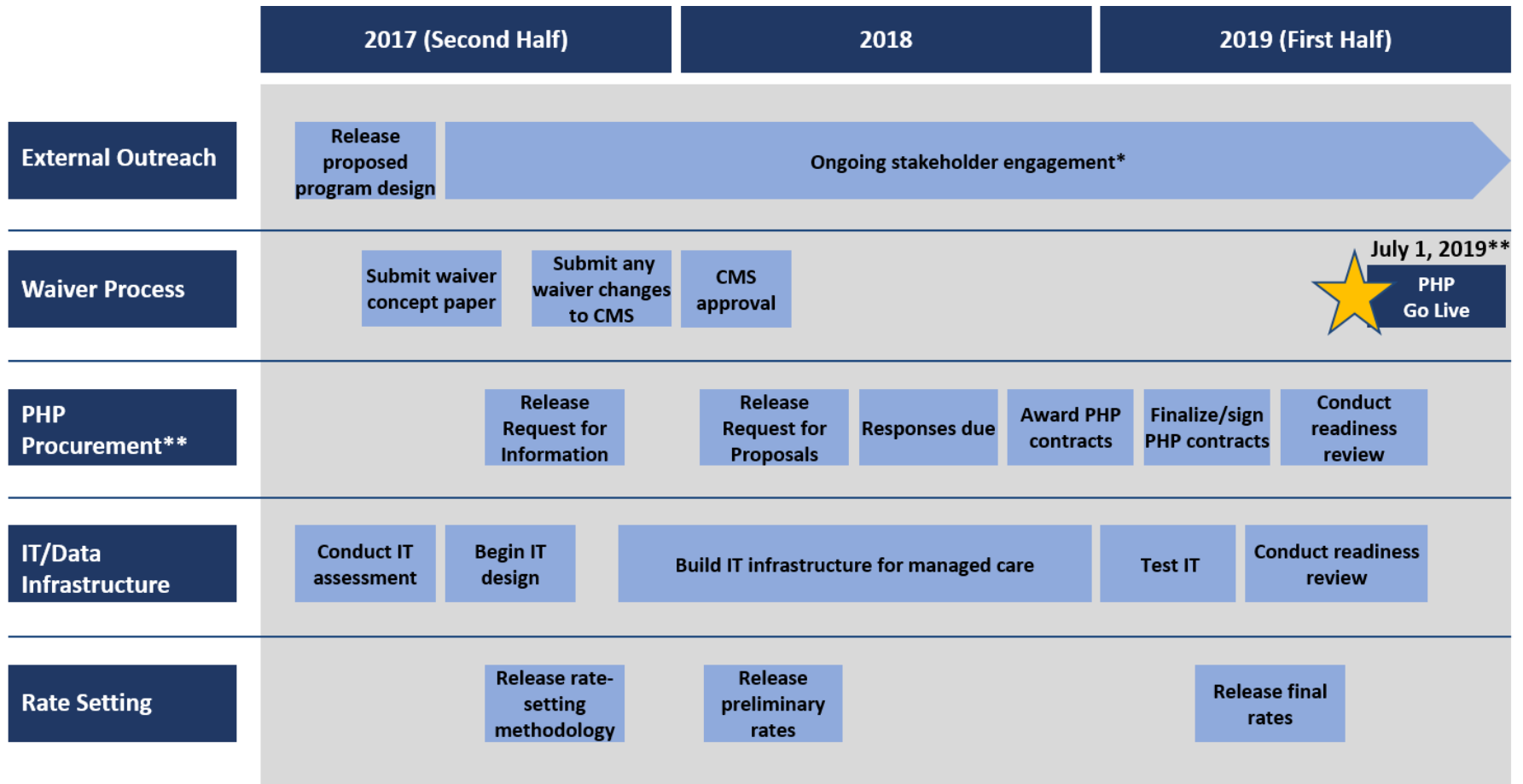
Agenda

- High level overview of comments received
- Sequencing of Key Activities
- Procurement Timeline
- MCAC subcommittees

High Level Overview of Comments

- “North Carolina’s Proposed Program Design for Medicaid Managed Care”
 - Released Aug. 8, 2017; Comments received through 9-14-17
- Responses received - 210
 - Most responses received from health plans and associations/organizations
- General themes
 - Positive Support for
 - Physical/behavioral health integration.
 - Considering social determinants of health.
 - Improving credentialing process.
 - Confirmation on go live, dental exclusion
 - Maintaining viable, profitable practices
 - Administrative burden
- Next steps
 - Consolidate feedback by early Oct 2017
 - Publish summary mid-Oct 2017

Sequencing of Key Activities to Launch Managed Care



*Stakeholder engagement will continue past 2019.

**Represents the earliest go-live date for some segment of the Medicaid population. Approximate dates are contingent on factors outside of DHHS control, including CMS waiver approval.

***Additional procurement will be needed prior to managed care launch, including for enrollment broker, ombudsman program, and regional provider support centers, among others.

PHP Procurement

RFI

- Solicits information from potential PHPs to assess interest in participation and market readiness.
- Targeted questions
- Plan, Provider and Stakeholder responses anticipated
- Release Fall 2017

RFP

- Formal Solicitation which will outline contract expectations
- Released Spring 2018
- Responses requested early Summer 2018
- Award Fall 2018

Enrollment Broker

- Participants have 60 days to enroll
- Enrollment ends selected number of days before go live
- Draft RFP winter 2017
- Release Spring 2018
- Award Summer 2018

Potential Role for MCAC Subcommittees

- Consult on beneficiary communications (health plan marketing, enrollment broker materials)
 - Fed regulations require *State agency* consult with the Medical Care Advisory Committee or an advisory committee with similar composition
 - Pre launch timeline
- Targeted discussions on
 - Credentialing
 - Value based purchasing
 - Care Management
 - Consumer Noticing
- Receive routine updates on areas where Medicaid Managed Care Rules require stakeholder engagement (2018 forward)
 - Quality Strategy
 - Tribal

Discussion