

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **REGIONAL HEALTHCARE PARTNERSHIP, REGION 4 LEARNING COLLABORATIVE**

In 2011, the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services approved a Medicaid demonstration waiver entitled “Texas Healthcare Transformation and Quality Improvement Program” (1115 Waiver). The goals of the 1115 Waiver are to increase access to health care, improve the quality of care, and enhance the health of patients and families they serve. The 1115 Waiver is approved through September 30, 2016; additional details about the Waiver are available at <http://www.hhsc.state.tx.us/1115-waiver.shtml>.

The 1115 Waiver was organized by the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) and based on Regional Healthcare Partnerships (RHP). RHP 4 includes the following coastal bend area counties: Aransas, Bee, Brooks, DeWitt, Duval, Goliad, Gonzales, Jackson, Jim Wells, Karnes, Kenedy, Kleberg, Lavaca, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio, and Victoria. Certain initiatives under the 1115 Waiver are designed to provide incentive payments to hospitals, local mental health authorities, public health departments, and certain academic physician group providers for investments in delivery system reform incentive payment (DSRIP) pool projects that achieve the goals above. Additional information about RHP 4 and the 1115 Waiver are available at <http://www.nchdcc.org/1115-waiver-information.cfm>.

The Nueces County Hospital District (NCHD) is the HHSC-designated Anchor Entity for RHP 4; NCHD is required to organize periodic Learning Collaboratives to promote group DSRIP project learning.

This notice is to inform the public, consumers, and stakeholders that NCHD will conduct a Learning Collaborative Webinar for RHP 4 and others via Zoom (a videoconferencing service that operates on the Internet and via telephone) on the date and time and at the Internet URL shown below. Zoom is being utilized for this Learning Collaborative to accommodate the current COVID-19 pandemic mandated precautions.

**Wednesday, September 23, 2020**

**10:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88982390050?pwd=Ym5KNDFQSVc3TEhXS1F1Yy9mTDk1UT09>

Instructions for accessing the Learning Collaborative on Zoom are attached on page 2.

PowerPoint slides presented during the Collaborative will be available following the Collaborative at <http://www.nchdcc.org/learning-collaborative.cfm>.

Questions or comments regarding this Public Notice or the Learning Collaborative should be directed to Ms. Melissa Quintanilla at (361) 808-3318 or [melissa.quintanilla@nchdcc.org](mailto:melissa.quintanilla@nchdcc.org).

**Join Zoom Meeting for RHP 4 Learning Collaborative Webinar**  
**Sponsored by: Nueces County Hospital District**  
**September 23, 2020 – 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

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