

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH



# Learn About the Upcoming Transition into Care Management

# Informational Town Halls for Transition to Care Management of Children in Foster Care, Children Receiving Adoption Assistance and Youth in the Juvenile Justice System

On January 1, 2014, the Georgia Department of Community Health (DCH) is transitioning 27,000 children, youth and young adults in foster care, children and youth receiving adoption assistance, plus certain youth in the juvenile justice system to the Medicaid managed care program, Georgia Families.<sup>®</sup>

Care for these members will be coordinated through Amerigroup, one of the three Care Management Organizations (CMOs) contracted by DCH to serve Medicaid and PeachCare for Kids<sup>®</sup> members as part of Georgia Families.

Now through the middle of December, Amerigroup is conducting informational town hall sessions for health care providers (including medical and behavioral health professionals), foster and adoptive parents, caregivers, as well as Medicaid members and advocates to be held across the state in Atlanta, Augusta, Columbus, Macon, Rome, Savannah and Valdosta. Representatives from Amerigroup will explain the new program and answer questions.

Mark your calendar for these informational sessions for health care providers (11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.) and parents, caregivers, members and advocates (1 to 2:30 p.m., except as noted below).

We also welcome your comments and feedback at MyOpinion@dch.ga.gov.

# Who Should Attend Provider Sessions?

- Pediatricians
- Physicians
- Behavioral Health Providers
- Therapists
- Physician Assistants
- Nurse Practitioners
- Other providers rendering services to these members

# Who Should Attend Member/Advocate Sessions?

- Foster Parents
- Adoptive Parents
- Members
- Advocates
- Caregivers

Sessions are free but Amerigroup requests that you respond to confirm your attendance:

Providers – 678-587-4840, ext. 74807 Members/Advocates – 678-587-4898

# Here is your opportunity to learn more about this important transition.

# **November 2013 Sessions**

# Augusta -- Tuesday, November 12

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
   Augusta Public Library
   823 Telfair St.
   Augusta, GA 30901

# Savannah -- Wednesday, November 13

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.

University of Phoenix 8001 Chatham Center Dr. Ste 200 Savannah, GA 31405

# Atlanta -- Thursday, November 14

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

• Members/Advocates: 1:30 to 3 p.m. Loudermilk Center

40 Courtland Street NE Atlanta, GA 30303

# Columbus -- Friday, November 15

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
 Columbus Public Library
 3000 Macon Rd.
 Columbus, GA 31906

# Valdosta -- Tuesday, November 19

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
 Holiday Inn Conference Center
 1805 West Hill Ave.
 Valdosta, GA 31601

#### Rome -- Wednesday, November 20

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
   Goodwill Career Center
   154 Turner McCall Blvd. SE
   Rome, GA 30161

#### Macon -- Friday, November 22

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m. Buck Melton Center

150 Sessions Dr. Macon, GA 31204

# **December 2013 Sessions**

### Augusta -- Tuesday, December 3

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
   Augusta Public Library
   823 Telfair St.
   Augusta, GA 30901

# Columbus -- Wednesday, December 4

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.

**Columbus Public Library** 3000 Macon Rd. Columbus, GA 31906

#### Savannah -- Friday, December 6

Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
University of Phoenix
8001 Chatham Center Dr. Ste 200
Savannah, GA 31405

#### Macon -- Monday, December 9

- Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
   Buck Melton Center
   150 Sessions Dr.
   Macon, GA 31204

#### Rome -- Tuesday, December 10

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
 Goodwill Career Center
 154 Turner McCall Blvd. SE
 Rome, GA 30161

# Valdosta -- Wednesday, December 11

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Members/Advocates: 1 to 2:30 p.m.
 Holiday Inn Conference Center
 1805 West Hill Ave.
 Valdosta, GA 31601

#### Atlanta -- Friday, December 13

• Providers: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

• Members/Advocates: 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Loudermilk Center 40 Courtland Street NE Atlanta, GA 30303