



**PUBLIC NOTICE OF
OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC INPUT
CREDENTIALING VERIFICATION ORGANIZATION**

The Georgia Department of Community Health (DCH) is providing public notice of its intent to gather input from community stakeholders, including healthcare providers, regarding the credentialing and verification of healthcare providers electing to participate in Medicaid. More information about the credentialing and verification process may be found at <http://dch.georgia.gov/centralized-cvo>.

Credentialing and verification activities are performed by DCH in partnership with DCH's fiscal agent and a credentialing verification organization (CVO) certified by the National Committee for Quality Assurance. DCH is currently preparing to conduct a future procurement to establish a new contract for credentialing and verification services. DCH is seeking input from community stakeholders and partners all across Georgia for ideas to consider in program improvement and innovation. Specifically, DCH is seeking input on the following:

- What program design changes or modifications to the credentialing and verification processes should DCH consider to drive healthier outcomes for the Medicaid population?

NOTICE OF PUBLIC FORUMS

DCH will host open, public forums for comments from community stakeholders at the following dates and locations. Please note that oral comments may be limited to three (3) minutes per person. To request accommodations for speech or hearing impaired, please contact DCH at least three (3) business days in advance via email at mcruggs@dch.ga.gov.

Monday, June 20, 2016 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
Georgia Department of Community Health
5th Floor Board Room
2 Peachtree Street, N.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Wednesday, June 22, 2016 10:00 am – 12:00 pm
State Office of Rural Health
502 Seventh Street South
Cordele, GA 31015-1443

WRITTEN COMMENTS

Community stakeholders wishing to comment in writing may do so on or before close of business at **5:00 pm on Thursday, June 30, 2016**. Comments may be emailed to cvo.feedback@dch.ga.gov or mailed to the following address:

Attention: CVO
Division of Medical Assistance Plans
Georgia Department of Community Health
2 Peachtree Street, N.W., 36th Floor
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THIS ^{12th} DAY OF May, 2016



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