

## Oakland Community Health Network Financial Management Services (FMS) Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

### **Q. Why is OCHN assuming responsibility of FMS services?**

OCHN's contract with the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) requires us as the Community Mental Health Services Provider (CMHSP) to directly manage FMS contracts.

### **Q. How will information be communicated?**

OCHN will do the following to notify and inform persons served of this transition:

Informational letters mailed to residence, host webinar(s) for individuals and families to learn more about this change and provide information, and host in-person meetings with providers to address any questions.

### **Q. Will people still be connected to their Core Provider Agency (ex. ES/MORC, CLS, TTI, CNSH, OFS)?**

Yes, individuals will continue to choose support and services through these providers. The transition of FMS is more behind the scenes and does not have any impact on direct services.

### **Q. Will this change funding or pay?**

There are no changes to the allowable rates for the services identified in the person's plan of services. OCHN will pay standardized rates for FMS agencies; this rate is still being developed and will be released to FMS agencies soon.

### **Q. When will this change for OCHN assuming FMS services happen?**

The transition will occur on October 1, 2024.