## SKILLED HOME HEALTH NURSING WORKGROUP

# QUARTERLY REPORT

OCTOBER 10, 2023

## **QUARTER 3 ACTIVITIES**

- The Medicaid focused group finalized draft Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology recommendations including discussion of recommended next steps.
- The Community Partners focused group administered and reviewed results from Nurse Educator survey and discussed next steps. In addition, the group discussed how to develop a public service announcement (PSA) highlighting a PDN serving a CMC family. In August 2023, the executive director of the Delaware Nursing Association presented on the DAISY statewide nurse recognition award.

### **KEY ISSUES TO NOTE**

- Medicaid focused group submitted final recommendation to adopt Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology.
- Community Partners focused group administered nurse educator surveys to 17 PDN Home Care agencies. Responses were received from eight agencies. Many PDN agencies requested support in establishing relationships with nursing schools to help with recruitment and ongoing clinical training.
- Planning for PSA focusing on PDN for CMC families underway.

### **UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

- Draft Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology implementation plan.
- Finalize PSA development plan for promoting PDN jobs with CMC families.
- Upcoming meetings:
  - October 3, 2023- Community Partner
  - October 17, 2023- Medicaid
  - November 7, 2023- Community Partner
  - November 21, 2023- Medicaid

2023 Q1

- Proposed priorities related to PDN workforce capacity
- Reviewed options for using Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology through Medicaid

- 2023 Q2
- Finalize and implement work plans
- Presented initial draft of Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology
- Initiate Community Partner and Medicaid group structure
- Align Community Partner meetings with PDN workforce report

Implement work plan

2023 Q3

- Finalized Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology recommendation to CMCAC and DMMA
- Administered Nurse Educator survey and reviewed results
- Discussed development of PSA for promoting PDN for CMC

2023 Q4

- Implement work plan
- Summarize feedback received regarding Complex Care Needs and Supports methodology
- Finalize PSA development plan

