DMHAS EQMI Bi-Monthly Data Quality Telephone Conference Call
Thursday – 10/23/2014
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FY15 First Quarter QUALITY REPORT UPDATE: The first quarter for FY 15 ended on 9/30. We continue to test the newly implemented state-operated data that we plan to incorporate into the first quarter quality reports. Please note that these first quarter quality reports will include the FY14 Consumer Satisfaction Survey Results and these data will follow through-out each FY15 quality reports. First quarter quality reports are expected to be sent to all providers by 11/15 and we'll have a one month review and feedback period before they are posted to the EQMI web page. Any feedback should be sent to mark.mcandrew@ct.gov

MONTHLY DATA QUALITY MONITORING NEWSLETTER:
October's Data Quality Newsletter included a reminder for providers to to ensure that each active client have a six month diagnosis set, including GAF scores updated.

DSM 5 update: State-operated facilities have begun using the DSM 5 with the implementation of the new EHR WITs data system. They have been asked to continue to provide GAF scores on Axis 5 as this functionality has been implemented. PNPs may begin testing with DMHAS if they are utilizing DSM 5 in their clinical processes. Extract will need to be tested before being sent to the DDaP production data base. Please contact Mark if you are ready for this process.

CONSUMER SATISFACTION SURVEY UPDATE: Provider excel level reports will be sent to providers the beginning of the week 10/25. Statewide reports will be posted to the DMHAS web by EOW 10/25. If you have any questions regarding CSS, please contact Karin Haberlin at (860) 418-6842.

CRITICAL INCIDENT DATA BASE: Data entry activities have begun starting October 1, 2014. State-operated facilities are responsible for entering their own critical incidents as well as their affiliate critical incidents. All others are to complete their own data entry activities. Please remember that each open critical incident is to be closed by your internal quality improvement committee review and evaluation, including any policy and procedural changes that were put into effect. Closures are alos to be data entered into the system.

Next Tele. Conf Call: Weds – December 24th