



NYS Office For People With Developmental Disabilities

Putting People First



The Future of New York's Developmental Disabilities Services: Navigating the Transition to Managed Care

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Change at OPWDD: Influencing Factors

- Olmstead
- Affordable Care Act
- Medicaid Redesign Team
- Budgets/service demands
- Quality oversight



Agency Actions

- Quality improvement
- Health and safety
- Reorganization
- Culture change
- People First Waiver



Agency Actions: People First Waiver Goals

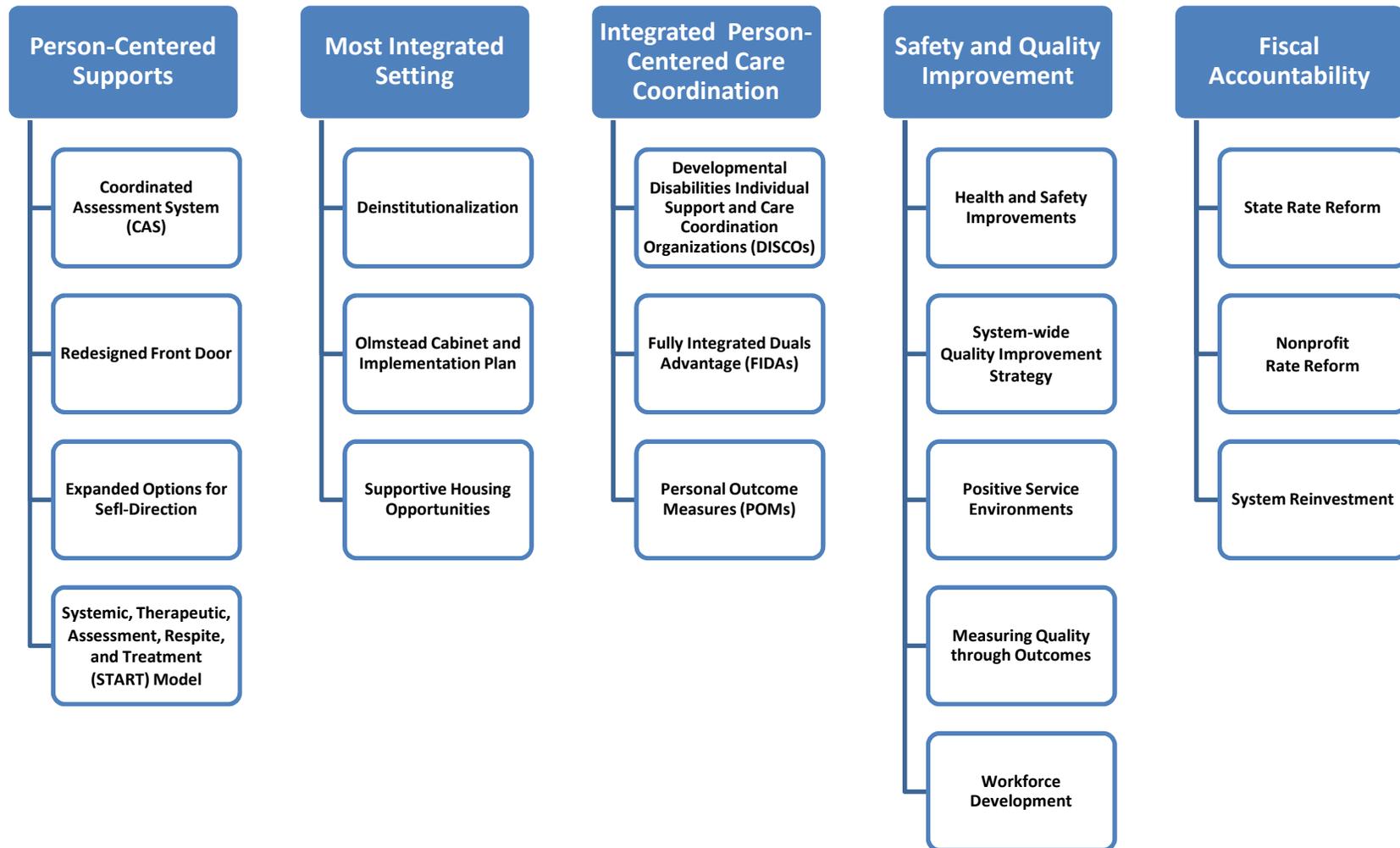
- Person-centered services
- Managed care
- Transparent, sustainable funding
- Community integration
- Quality connected to individual outcome measures



Desired Outcomes

- Person-centered, self-directed services
- Integrated, coordinated care
- Fiscal accountability, sustainability
- Community integration
- Person-centered outcome measures

Looking Ahead





Major Managed Care Events

Action	Date
Balancing Incentive Program (BIP) — submission approved by CMS	March 15, 2013
Submitted People First Waiver — 1915(c) amendment and 1915(b) application — submitted to CMS	April 1, 2013
Draft transformation agreement — submitted to CMS	April 1, 2013
Money Follow the Person (MFP) provision — amended submission to CMS	April 16, 2013
Fully Integrated Duals Advantage (FIDA) demonstration application — addendum submitted to CMS	April 18, 2013



Major Managed Care Events

Action	Date
Solicit letters of intent to form DISCOs	Mid April 2013
Hold statewide videoconference on Medicaid data	Late April 2013
Post final request for applications for DISCOs	Spring 2013
Anticipated approval of waiver applications by CMS	October 1, 2013
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DISCOs begin enrolling volunteer members • Department of Health duals demonstration begins enrolling members into the first developmental disabilities FIDAs 	July 2014