

Connector Entity Program Grants

Briefing to the MHBE Board

January 22, 2019

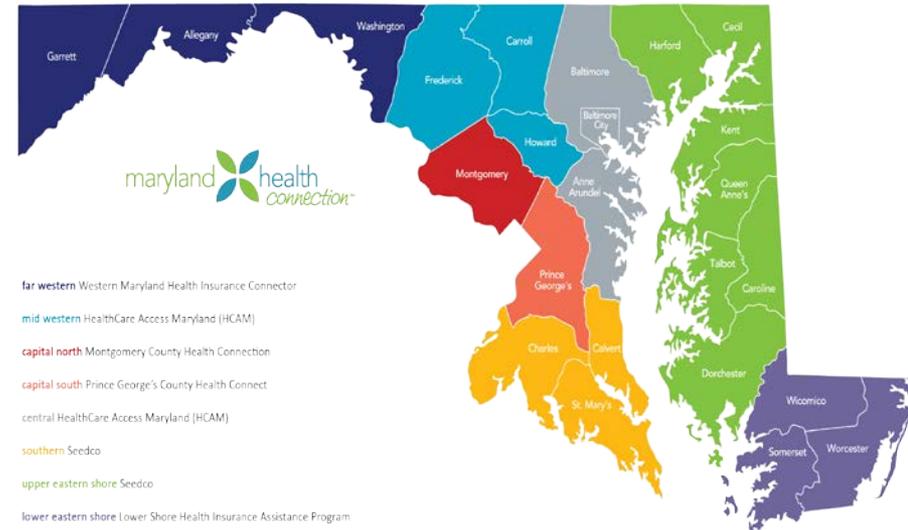
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MHBE Connector Entity Program Overview

8 Regions around the State
6 Organizations: 3 NGOs, 3 governmental units

In addition to OE assistance, Navigators conduct outreach activities, enrollment events, health literacy education, and assist with Medicaid, MCHP, and special enrollment period enrollments throughout the year.

Consumer Assistance Regions



Consumer Assistance Enrollments

Consumer Assistance Type	Number of Consumer Assistance Type	Number of QHP enrollments <u>during OE6</u>	Number of MA/MCHP Enrollments <u>during CY 2018</u>
Navigators	135	18,189	52,881
Call Center	200+	15,753	166,169
Brokers	489	9,274	2,536

28% of QHP Enrollees sought consumer assistance, and nearly half of these were assisted by a Navigator.

Grant Overview

- Offer as a grant solicitation for FY 2020, renewable for 2 additional years
- \$10 million per fiscal year, distributed regionally based on population and other factors
- Applicants required to have experience with the current program
- Priority is providing access to in-person application and enrollment assistance
- Secondary focus is guiding outreach efforts, reaching the persistently uninsured

Timeline

MHBE Board of Trustees briefed on Grant Solicitation	Tuesday, January 22, 2019
Release of Grant Solicitation	End of February 2019
Proposals Due to the MHBE	Friday, April 5, 2019
Notice of Intent to Award issued	End of April 2019
Agreement package distributed and agreement process commenced	End of April 2019
Final Approval of grant awards by the Board of Trustees	Monday, May 20, 2019
Agreement/ contract execution	May – June 2019