



***HealthCare Administrative Solutions
New Project Announcement***

Provider Technology Adoption Survey

HealthCare Administrative Solutions (HCAS) is working to assist its member health plans in collecting statewide provider technology use information and to meet All-Payer Claims Database (APCD) requirements established by the Massachusetts Division of Health Care Finance and Policy (Division).

On June 1st, HCAS will go live with an online survey in which Massachusetts providers will submit information on their use of health care technology. Data will be collected one time and made available to individual health plans participating in this project and to the Division.

The online survey will assess providers' use of the following technologies:

- Electronic Health Records
- Electronic Prescribing Systems
- Practice Management Systems
- Patient Portals

The survey will collect additional information including:

- Participation in information exchanges to transmit health data (such as transmission of immunization data, test results, patient allergy information)
- Provider use of eVisits

The survey will take providers a short time to complete and will be available on the HCAS website at www.hcasma.org/Survey.aspx beginning June 1st. Providers will be asked to complete the survey by July 15th to ensure that survey data is received in a timely manner.

For more information on this project, please contact HCAS at 617-246-5839.

HealthCare Administrative Solutions, Inc. (HCAS) is a non-profit entity founded by several Massachusetts health plans to collaborate on administrative simplification initiatives. Participating organizations include Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Boston Medical Center HealthNet Plan, Fallon Community Health Plan, Harvard Pilgrim Health Care, Health New England, Medical Network, Neighborhood Health Plan, Network Health and Tufts Health Plan.