## **MMAC Participant Lock-In Unit Report**

## **July 2018**

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Cost-Avoidance:		\$361,411.53
Lock-In S	ummary	
•	Biennial cases reviewed:	46
•	Six-month case follow-up reviews:	84
•	New Lock-In cases were opened:	55
•	Watch cases opened:	37
	No Ahuse cases:	31

**Approximate number of active cases:** 1635

PENDS cases open:

## **Definitions/Descriptions of Lock-In Terms:**

<u>Biennial Reviews -</u> Participants are locked in for two years of eligibility. Each month, reviews are conducted for those reaching their two-year mark (two years from the initial lock-in date to a provider).

<u>Six Month Case Follow-up Reviews -</u> Monitors participant progress with regard to compliance.

<u>New Lock-In Cases –</u> An initial review of 12 months of data indicates a pattern consistent with abuse of services or drugs. As a result, the participant is locked into a physician, pharmacy or both.

<u>Watch cases -</u> An initial review of 12 months of data indicates a potential for abuse of services or drugs. An education letter is sent. A six month follow-up review may be done.

**No Abuse -** An initial review of 12 months of data has determined there was no abuse. No further action is taken.

**PENDS -** Participant cases are tracked to ensure lock-in occurs when and if necessary. "PENDS" are cases which are reviewed daily for activity.

<u>Cost Avoidance -</u> Dollar amounts denied due to participants being locked in to providers.