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QUARTERLY PROVIDER MEETING MH FFS UPDATE

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Mental Health Programs transitioning to FFS



January 2017	July 2017	Programs under consideration
PACT	CSS	Training and TA
ICMS		Specialized Services (i.e. EISS, Justice Involved Services)
OP		IOC
MH Residential-Level A+, A, B & FamilyCare		IFSS
Supported Employment/Education		Legal Services
Partial Care		CSS
Partial Hospitalization		

Key Assumptions: State Funds & Medicaid Billing



- Medicaid **precedes** State funding for Medicaid eligible consumers and covered services.
- Providers (including SE providers) are **required** to enroll as a Medicaid provider if receiving state funds. (Application information at: <http://njmmis.com>)
- Providers transitioning to FFS are **strongly encouraged** to become Presumptive Eligibility (PE) certified.
- For most Medicaid-eligible services, State rates are set at 90% of the Medicaid rate.
- Where there are compatible Medicaid business rules, the same business rules will be applied to State FFS payments.
- Full compliance with DMHAS regulations and contract requirements is mandatory including QCMRs & USTFs



Third Party Insured



- State funds cannot be used to wraparound or subsidize Third Party Liability (TPL) or Charity Care (CC) reimbursements.
- Providers may not seek reimbursement via NJMHAPP for services covered by TPL or CC applicable services.



Phase 1 Transition to FFS April 2016–January 2017



- 16 Providers transitioned to FFS January 2017
- All program elements represented except for PACT
- January 10th 2017 launch of NJMHAPP (NJ Mental Health Payment Processing Application)

Phase 1 Provider Feedback



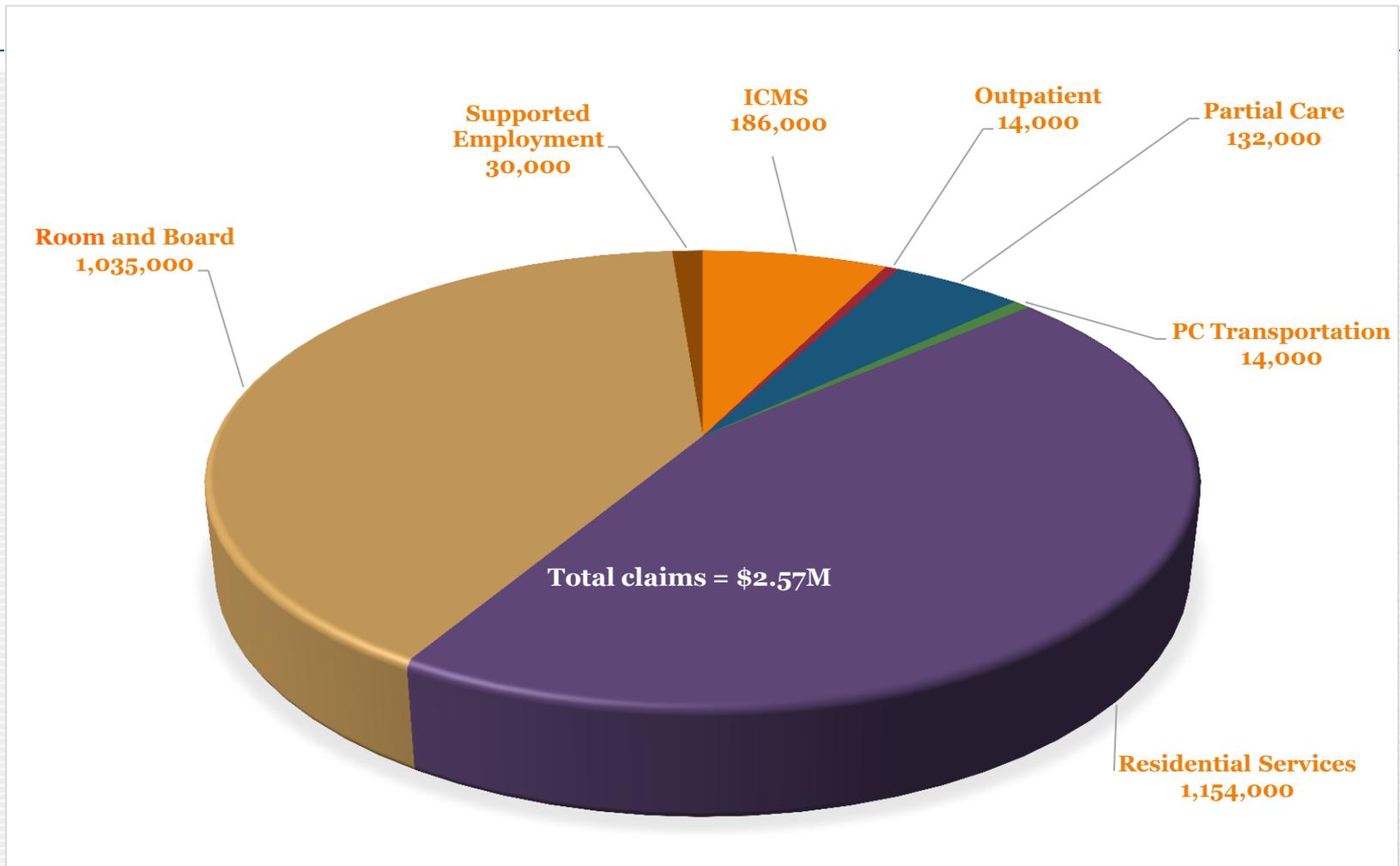
- Billing in NJMHAPP works well
- DMHAS staff responsive, IT staff
- Engaged in training and webinars
- Providers are paid timely

New Jersey Mental Health Application for Payment Processing (NJMHAPP)



- Ticket Management System
 - Responses within 1 business day
- Weekly Webinars
- Version 1.1 Provider Program Manual Released on February 21, 2017

First Quarter Claims by Service

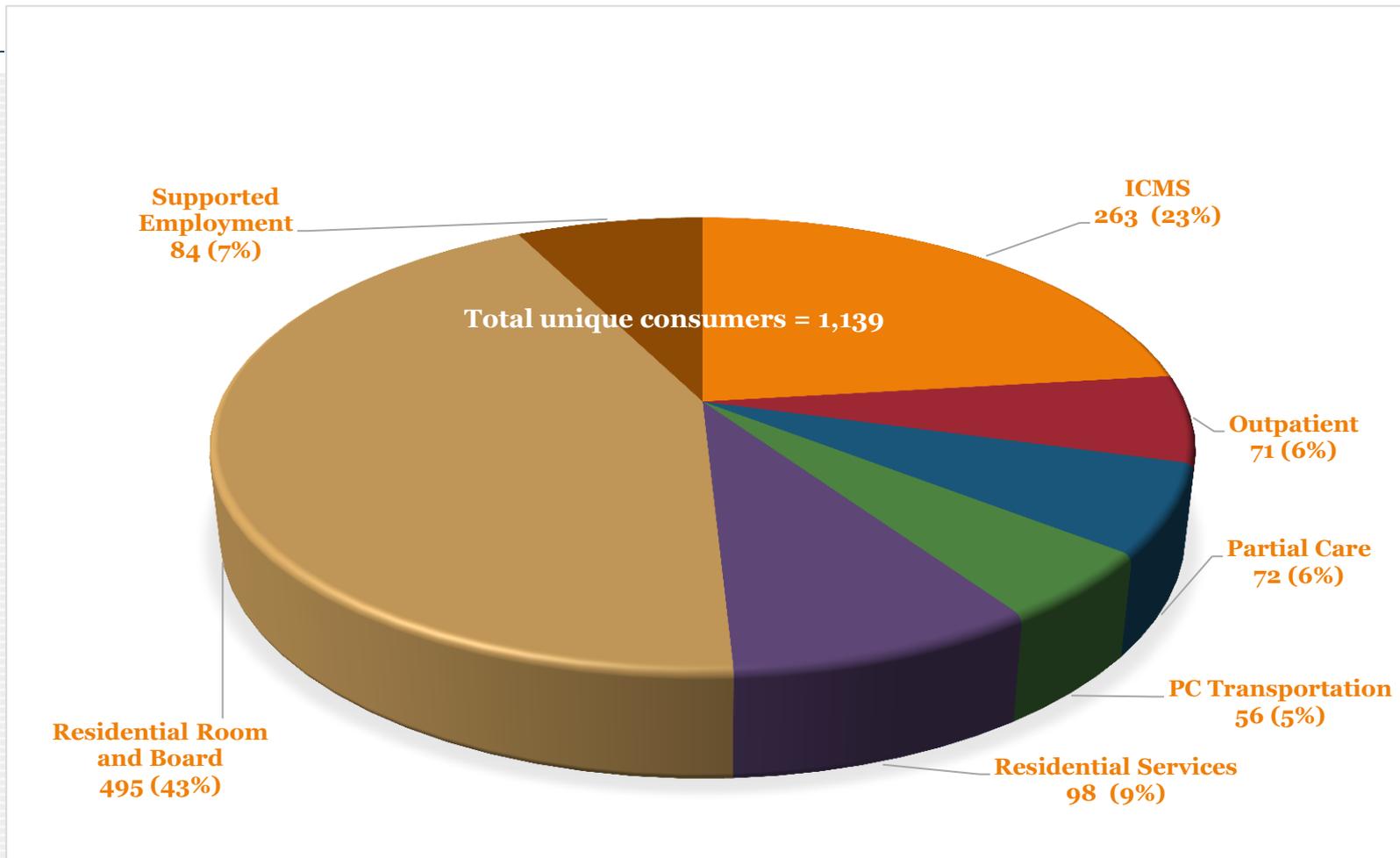


Data Source: NJMHAPP reports

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Unduplicated Consumers by Service



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PHASE 1 MH FFS LESSONS LEARNED



- Training and Webinar involvement
- Adjustment of monthly limits
- Rates adjustments
- 35 or 37.5 hour work week



PHASE II FFS Timeline



May 2017

- **Provider wide NJMHAPP training**
- **Provider wide NJMHAPP testing**
- Cash Advance Request and Determinations

June 2017

- Provider Wide Testing Ends
- FSS Contracts completed
- Helpdesk in place

July 2017

- NJMHAPP goes live
- 79 Providers Transition to FFS

Highlights of FFS - Phase 2



- FFS Transition Stakeholder Group continues to meet monthly to provide feedback and input
- Outstanding Policy issues continue to be addressed
- Enhancements to NJMHAPP based on current users feedback



PHASE II TO DATE



- DMHAS has identified and are currently training a Help Desk team to be available to providers transitioning to FFS.
- FFS contracts have been sent out for July 1, 2017 start date that include the monthly limit for provider agencies.
- The Cash Advance Policy and agreements have been sent out to providers.



Phase II for Cash Advance



- 2 Month Cash Advance option
- Approval is based on review of financial documents submitted and fiscal viability assessed
- Repayment starts in month 3 with 10 months to repay the cash advance by June 30, 2018
- Contract for Cash Advance is due to DMHAS by June 9, 2017.
- Cash Advance payment will be made in July 2017.

PHASE II

NJMHAPP Training and Testing



- **Pilot** Provider Agencies' NJMHAPP Training were trained on April 24th and 26th for **User Acceptance Training**
- NJMHAPP was made available for **Pilot User Acceptance Testing** (from Provider Agencies' offices) from May 1st through May 23rd.
- **Provider Wide Trainings** were held for All Providers transitioning to FFS on May 15th through May 19th at Rutgers Academic Building Computer Lab
- NJMHAPP is available for **Provider-wide Testing** from May 24th Through June 30th.

PHASE II

NJMHAPP TRAINING AND TESTING



- Provider Wide Testing Webinars are being held twice a week for provider staff to attend to ask questions regarding the NJMHAPP application and FFS policies
- Provider staff that have been trained on the IT application are expected to participate in testing the system to gain a knowledge in using NJMHAPP in order to bill.
- It is expected that staff test NJMHAPP 5-10 hours per week to gain competence in NJMAHPP.

Payment Methods for Non-Medicaid Reimbursable Services

NJMHAPP Payments:

- Residential Room & Board
- 30 Day Residential Bed Holds
- Residential Bed Hold Extensions
- Overnight Absence Reimbursement
- PACT & ICMS In-Reach Services
- CSS Pre-Admission Services
- Partial Care Transportation
- Partial Hospital Transportation

FCAPS Payments:

- CSS, SE and SEd In-Reach Services
- PACT, ICMS, Residential SE and SEd Pre-Admission Services

Note: FCAPS (Fiscal Claim Adjustment and Payment System) has been developed to assist with the processing of claims that cannot be submitted through the NJMHAPP system at this time.

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QUESTIONS

Additional questions can be submitted to
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