# **Evaluation SIM Subcommittee Monthly Summary for Steering Committee**

Meeting date: 7/22/2015

Number of participants: 24

Organizations Represented: DHHS/OCQI, MaineCare, Maine Medical Association, Maine Osteopathic Association, MHMC, Maine CDC, ME Association of Health Plans, Health InfoNet, Anthem BCBS, Consumers, Lewin, Market Decisions, Crescendo Consulting

1. **Please state the subcommittees strategic focus for the month:**
* Review/discussion of MaineCare Targets for SIM Core Measures
* Review/ discussion of Consumer Interview results and potential opportunities to improve the patient experience of care
1. **Please state the subcommittees key findings/work/impact for the month:**
* Committee feedback and recommendations for provider communication strategy related to MaineCare Targets will be presented at August Steering Committee.
* Requested additional analysis of consumer interview results by demographics and duration of time in SIM interventions
1. **Please describe which SIM goals were the primary focus of the subcommittee, and how they may be impacted:**
* Maine SIM Core Measure Target setting serves to evaluate the impact of SIM interventions on cost and quality of care
* Consumer interview analysis provides insight as to how SIM interventions are impacting the patient experience of care and the patient’s engagement in their care
1. **Please state the subcommittees challenges for the month:**
* Development of an effective provider communication strategy related to MaineCare Targets for SIM Core Measures.
1. **Please state the subcommittees risks for the month:**

No risks were identified for July 2015; Several risks have been historically identified by the committee related to data availability for evaluation, and those risks have since been resolved so no need to raise to Steering Committee.

1. **Please summarize the goals for next month’s subcommittee meeting:**
* Demonstration of & feedback to the latest iteration of the SIM Dashboard (extra meeting August 13, 2015)
* Review / discussion of findings from provider/stakeholder and consumer interviews
* Initiate Rapid Cycle Improvement discussions of evaluation data available to date