



# City of Bellevue

## MEMORANDUM

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**DATE:** January 28, 2020

**TO:** Human Services Commission Members

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Human Services Division  
Parks & Community Services Department

### **Agenda Item for Tuesday February 4, 2020**

#### **Integrated Managed Care Panel-Information for the Commission**

##### **Background**

In 2014 the Washington State Legislature passed Senate Bill 6312 that required integrated purchasing of mental health and Substance Use Disorder (SUD) services funded by Medicaid through managed care. This first step was accomplished in April 2016. The bill also requires full integration of mental health, SUD and physical health care through managed care contracts by January 1, 2020. King County opted to become a "mi-adopter" and began receiving incentive funds to accomplish this integration by January 1, 2019 with 2019 seen as a transition year moving toward full integration. The managed care model means that Medicaid funds flow from the State to Managed Care Organization; in King County there are five. King County Behavioral Health and Recovery Division still provides Crisis Services in King County and manages State and Federally funded programs such as detox services, Crisis Diversion and Children's Crisis Outreach Response System.

##### **Significance of Integrated Managed Care for Human Services Providers**

To provide the Commission with information about what Integrated Managed Care (IMC) means for local providers we have invited several people to this meeting who can describe what affect the systems change is having currently and how it may affect future service delivery and funding:

- Jim Vollendroff Harborview Medical Center, former Director of King County Behavioral Health and Recovery Division
- Victor Loo Practice Innovation Coordinator, Asian Counseling and Referral Service
- Randon Aea, Behavioral Health Manager, International Community Health Service