Wellness Program Background Item 12 – Group Insurance Board

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Informational Item Only

No Board action is required

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2021 – WebMD acquired StayWell; GIB approved releasing RFP

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Regulatory Considerations

Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

Americans with Disabilities Act

Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act

Monitoring regulations pertaining to 30% incentive limits



Eligibility and Funding

Subscribers and spouses enrolled in GHIP

Medicare Advantage members can utilize resources

Funded via wellness fee embedded in total premium rate

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Program Impact

Reductions in aggregate health risks

Lower rate of increase in relative risk scores

Better healthcare utilization rates

Greater savings in actual healthcare spending compared to amount expected

.12 : 1 ROI in 2017 - 2019

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Future Board Considerations

RFP evaluation team recommendation for 2024

Excluding Medicare Advantage members from Well Wisconsin

Transitioning incentive to points-based program







Questions?

Thank you









