

## **July Meeting Preparatory Materials: Quality and Information Technology**

### **Quality**

- **2005 National Healthcare Quality Report, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, December 2005,** <http://www.ahrq.gov/qual/nhqr05/nhqr05.pdf>
- **A Case Study of Quality Improvement in Medicaid: New York's Monroe Plan for Medical Care, April 2005,** [http://www.cmwf.org/tools/tools\\_show.htm?doc\\_id=275520](http://www.cmwf.org/tools/tools_show.htm?doc_id=275520)
- **2005 National Healthcare Disparities Report, AHRQ Staff HHS Interagency Work Groups NHQR/NHDR,** <http://www.ahrq.gov/qual/nhdr05/nhdr05.pdf>
- **CHCS Health Care Strategies, Inc. Using Data on Race and Ethnicity to Improve Health Care Quality for Medicaid Beneficiaries, Issue Brief June 2006,** by Karen LLanos and Lindsay Palmer, [http://www.chcs.org/usr\\_doc/Using\\_Data\\_to\\_Reduce\\_Health\\_Disparities.pdf](http://www.chcs.org/usr_doc/Using_Data_to_Reduce_Health_Disparities.pdf)
- **Approved CMSO Quality Strategy\***  
\*attached to email

### **Quality and Information Technology**

- **The Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Evolution of State Health Information Exchange: A Study of Vision, Strategy and Progress, January 2006,** [http://www.avalerehealth.net/research/docs/State\\_based\\_Health\\_Information\\_Exchange\\_Final\\_Report.pdf](http://www.avalerehealth.net/research/docs/State_based_Health_Information_Exchange_Final_Report.pdf)
- **National Health Policy Forum, Redesigning Practice to Improve Care Delivery, March 2006,** [http://www.nhpf.org/pdfs\\_sv/SV\\_Boston05.pdf](http://www.nhpf.org/pdfs_sv/SV_Boston05.pdf)
- **Gold Standard NACDS 1-30-05 Power Point Presentation\***  
\*attached to email

### **Information Technology**

- **Growing Availability of Clinical Information Technology in Physician Practices** by Marie C. Reed, Joy M. Grossman; Data Bulletin No. 31, June 2006, <http://www.hschange.org/CONTENT/848/>
- **GAO, Health Information Technology: HHS is Continuing Efforts to Define a National Strategy, March 2006,** <http://www.gao.gov/new.items/d06346t.pdf>
- **A Road Map for Health IT in Long Term Care, December 2005.** American Health Information Management Association and LTC provider associations.\*  
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