



CBC's Pathway Home wins the 2019 Case Management Society of America (CMSA) Foundation's Case Management Practice Improvement Award.

The Pathway Home™ Program was awarded the 2019 Case Management Practice Improvement Award, an award sponsored by the CMSA Foundation. The CMSA Foundation presented the award on June 13, 2019 during the 2019 CMSA Annual Conference in Las Vegas. CBC Senior Director Barry Granek accepted the award on behalf of the Pathway Home programs and gave the acceptance speech to approximately 2,000 conference attendees.

In 2014, CBC created a care transition program called Pathway Home™, with the support and funding from the New York State Office of Mental Health, whose aims was to improve the reintegration of individuals back into their community after an extended hospital stay as well as overall health outcomes and life satisfaction.

The CMSA Foundation created the Case Management Practice Improvement Award as an opportunity for case managers to be recognized by their peers, demonstrating innovation and the value case management brings to the populations we serve. The award recognizes a program that uses finding from a quality and performance improvement initiative that advances case management practice and improves outcomes. Only one Case Management Practice Improvement Award is given each year.

“The Case Management Society of America along with CMSA Foundation are excited to present this award to Coordinated Behavioral Care for the Pathway Home program. The work that they have done to improve the reintegration of individuals back into their community after an extended hospital stay is remarkable and their outcomes and community support show it,” said Deborah Gutteridge, CMSA Foundation Board Chair. “The Foundation congratulates your efforts and celebrates your success.”

“The Pathway Home™ program is an innovative model, built on the evidence-based Critical Time Intervention, with a mobile, flexible and person-centered approach to assist individuals transition back to their communities successfully.” said Jorge R. Petit, MD, President and CEO, “Pathway Home™ relies on the CBC network of comprehensive community-based service providers that deliver physical and mental health services, substance use disorder treatment and a myriad of social determinants of health services.”

About CBC:

CBC is a results-driven healthcare organization dedicated to improving the quality of care for Medicaid beneficiaries with serious mental illness, chronic health conditions and/or substance use disorders. CBC seeks to create a healthcare environment where New Yorkers—especially those most impacted by social determinants of health—receive coordinated, individualized and culturally competent care that is effective in preventing and managing chronic physical and behavioral health conditions. We help New Yorkers live long, healthy and fulfilling lives. CBC was launched in 2011 by innovative NYC not-for-profit behavioral health organizations in order to meaningfully participate in NYS’s Medicaid redesign and Value Based Purchasing initiatives. In the following years CBC developed a citywide Health Home, which is currently one of the largest of its type in NYC. CBC has launched effective gap-filling service programs for low-income New Yorkers that build on the expertise of its community-based service network. CBC “knits together” affiliated programs to holistically address individuals’ treatment and recovery needs, while assessing community deficiencies and connecting individuals to needed support.

About Case Management Society of America Foundation:

The Case Management Society of America Foundation (CMSA Foundation) is a charitable, not-for-profit organization created to support education, research, and professional development for case management professionals. The Case Management Society of America Foundation envisions a better future for the case management industry through a collaborative, inclusive community of healthcare professionals working together to build industry-wide solutions to case management issues.