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Supplemental Bulletin List



The following is a list of Medicaid policy bulletins that supplement the online version of the Medicaid Provider Manual. The list is updated as policy bulletins are issued and as bulletins are incorporated into the Medicaid Provider Manual. Providers affected by a bulletin should retain it until it is incorporated into the manual unless instructed otherwise.

DATE ISSUED	BULLETIN NUMBER	TOPIC	AFFECTED PROVIDERS	COMMENTS
12/29/2021	MSA 21-54	Clarification to Dialysis Treatment for the Emergency Services Only (ESO) Program	Hospitals, Practitioners, Pharmacy Providers	
12/29/2021	MSA 21-52	MDHHS Medicaid Provider Manual Chapter for the Home Help Program	Home Help Providers	
12/29/2021	MSA 21-51	Change to Licensing Requirements for Indian Health Service (IHS) Facilities Operating Outpatient Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Programs	Tribal Health Centers, Tribal Federally Qualified Health Centers	
12/17/2021	MSA 21-53	Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Encounters and Provider Enrollment	All Providers	
12/2/2021	MSA 21-48	Revisions to the MI Choice Waiver Chapter of the Medicaid Provider Manual	MI Choice Waiver Agencies	
12/1/2021	MSA 21-49	Pharmacy Coverage of Anti-Obesity Drug Products	All Providers	
12/1/2021	MSA 21-47	Clinic Attendee Provider Update	Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs), Rural Health Clinics (RHCs), Tribal Health Centers (THCs), Tribal FQHCs, Medicaid Health Plans (MHPs), Integrated Care Organizations (ICOs)	



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12/1/2021	MSA 21-46	Addition of a Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) Infection Screening Recommendation per the 2021 American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Periodicity Schedule	Practitioners, Local Health Departments, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Rural Health Clinics, Medicaid Health Plans, Tribal Health Centers, and Integrated Care Organizations	
11/1/2021	MSA 21-44	Removal of Radiograph Requirement for Partial Dentures	Dentists, Dental Clinics, Dental Health Plans, Medicaid Health Plans, Integrated Care Organizations, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Tribal Health Centers, Local Health Departments	
11/1/2021	MSA 21-39	Establishment of Cost Reporting Requirements for Behavioral Health Service Providers Contracted/Affiliated with CMHSPs/PIHPs	Behavioral Health and Substance Use Disorder Service Providers, CMHSPs, PIHPs	
11/1/2021	MSA 21-38	Peer Support Specialist Certification	Prepaid Inpatient Health Plans (PIHPS), Community Mental Health Services Programs (CMHSPs)	
10/14/2021	MSA 21-41	Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Encounters and Provider Enrollment	All Providers	
8/17/2021	MSA 21-33	Coverage of Rapid Whole Genome Sequencing (rWGS) Testing	Hospitals, Laboratories, Medicaid Health Plans	
7/30/2021	MSA 21-27	Home Payment Policy for Client Facility Stays	Home Help Providers	
7/30/2021	MSA 21-25	Opioid Health Home (OHH) Expansion	All Providers in Michigan's Prepaid Inpatient Health Plan (PIHP) Regions 6, 7 and 10	



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7/2/2021	MSA 21-24	Asynchronous Telemedicine Services	Practitioners, Medicaid Health Plans (MHP), Local Health Departments (LHD), Prepaid Inpatient Health Plans (PIHP), Community Mental Health Services Programs (CMHSP), Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC), Hospitals, Rural Health Clinics (RHC), Tribal Health Centers (THC), Integrated Care Organizations (ICO), School Based Services Program	
7/2/2021	MSA 21-19	Fee-for-Service Coverage of Alcohol Use Disorder and Opioid Use Disorder Treatment Services	Practitioners, Medicaid Health Plans (MHP), Local Health Departments (LHD), Prepaid Inpatient Health Plans (PIHP), Community Mental Health Services Programs (CMHSP), Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC), Hospitals-Outpatient, Rural Health Clinics (RHC), Tribal Health Centers (THC), Pharmacy Providers, Integrated Care Organizations (ICO)	
4/30/2021	MSA 21-15	Rate Update for Specified Pediatric Psychiatric Services	Practitioners, Medicaid Health Plans, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Local Health Departments, Rural Health Clinics, Tribal Health Centers	
12/1/2020	MSA 20-70	Nursing Facility Minimum Data Set (MDS) Submission	Nursing Facilities, County Medical Care Facilities, Hospital Long-Term Care Units, State Veterans' Homes, Ventilator-Dependent Care Units	



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12/1/2020	MSA 20-69	Enrolling Agency Caregivers in the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS) in their Absence	Home Help Agency Providers	
7/31/2020	MSA 20-48	Behavioral Health Home (BHH)	All Providers in Michigan's Prepaid Inpatient Health Plan (PIHP) Regions 1, 2, and 8	
4/1/2020	MSA 20-08	Rate Update for Psychiatric Diagnostic Evaluation Services	Practitioners, Medicaid Health Plans, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Local Health Departments, Rural Health Clinics, Tribal Health Centers	
4/1/2020	MSA 20-07	Rate Update for Neonatal and Pediatric Critical Care and Intensive Care Services	Practitioners, Medicaid Health Plans, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Local Health Departments, Rural Health Clinics, Tribal Health Centers	
3/12/2020	MSA 20-09	General Telemedicine Policy Changes; Updates to Existing Policy; Federally Qualified Health Center and Rural Health Clinic Policy Changes	Practitioners, Hospitals, Nursing Facilities, Federally Qualified Health Centers, Local Health Departments, Rural Health Clinics, Community Mental Health Services Programs Prepaid Inpatient Health Plans, Medicaid Health Plans, Tribal Health Centers	
2/28/2020	MSA 20-05	Government Provider Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) Pool Increase	Hospitals	
9/30/2019	MSA 19-32	Rural Access Pool Rescission	Hospitals	
9/30/2019	MSA 19-26	Caring 4 Students (C4S) Program	School Based Services Providers	



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7/15/2019	MSA 19-18	Home Help services Agreement and Agency Invoice	Home Help Agency Providers	
5/31/2019	MSA 19-13	Beneficiary Co-Payment Increase for Outpatient Hospital Visits	Hospitals, Practitioners, MHPs	
5/31/2019	MSA 19-11	Enforcement of Home Help Agency Enrollment Policies	Home Help Agency Providers	
8/31/2018	MSA 18-27	Opioid Health Home Pilot Program	All Providers in Michigan's PIHP Region 2	
6/29/2018	MSA 18-20	Medical Verification for Transportation – Physician Signature and Travel Reimbursement Clarifications	BEM and BAM Holders, MHPs, Medicaid NEMT Contractor, Hospitals	
6/29/2018	MSA 18-14	Hospital 340B Final Settlement Adjustment Process	Hospitals	
6/1/2018	MSA 18-18	Expanded Access to Dental Benefits for Pregnant Women	Dentists and Dental Clinics, Practitioners, MIHP Providers, MHPs, Tribal Health Centers (THCs), Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs), Local Health Departments (LHDs), Rural Health Clinics (RHCs)	
6/1/2018	MSA 18-15	Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Deeming Process	PACE Providers	
6/1/2018	MSA 18-11	Medicaid Laboratory Reimbursement Rates	MHPs, Practitioners, Clinical Laboratories, Hospitals, THCs, FQHCs, LHDs, and RHCs	
6/1/2018	MSA 18-10	Pediatric Outpatient Intensive Feeding Program Services	All Providers	



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5/25/2018	MSA 18-17	Implementation of Affordable Care Act (ACA) Home Health Rule Requiring Face-to-Face Visits for Durable Medical Equipment	Durable Medical Equipment Providers, Home Health Agencies, Practitioners, MHPs, Hospitals, MI Choice Waiver Agents, ICOs, CMHSPs and PIHPs	
5/1/2018	MSA 18-09	Home Help Agency Provider Standards	Home Help Agency Providers	
5/1/2018	MSA 18-08	Michigan State Veterans' Homes Medicaid Reimbursement	Nursing Facilities, State Veterans' Homes, County Medical Care Facilities, Hospital Long-Term Care Units, Ventilator-Dependent Care Units	
3/5/2018	MSA 18-07	Managed Care Network Provider Enrollment in the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS)	All Providers	
1/30/2018	MSA 17-39	Home Help Travel Time Payment for Shopping and Laundry Services	Home Help Agency and Individual Providers	
12/1/2017	MSA 17-40	Modernizing Continuum of Care (MCC) – Changes to Eligibility Inquiry/Response Transactions and CHAMPS Unique Health Plan ID	All Providers	
12/1/2017	MSA 17-37	Rate Update for Neonatal and Pediatric Critical Care and Intensive Care Services	Practitioners, MHPs, FQHCs, LHDs, RHCs, THCs	
11/27/2017	MSA 17-47	Inpatient and Outpatient Short Hospital Stay Rate of Reimbursement	Hospitals, MHPs	



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11/1/2017	MSA 17-35	Program of All-Inclusive Care of the Elderly (PACE) Organization Evaluation Criteria, Alternative Care Settings (ACS) and For-Profit PACE Organizations	All Providers	
9/29/2017	MSA 17-32	Home Help Agency Provider Reimbursement Rates	Home Help Agency Providers	
9/1/2017	MSA 17-26	Documenting Health Plan Encounters for the Medicaid Reconciliation Report	FQHCs, RHCs, THCs, MHPs, PIHPs, ICOs	
8/31/2017	MSA 17-28	Nursing Facility Quality Measure Initiative	Nursing Facilities, County Medical Care Facilities, Hospital Long Term Care Units	
6/30/2017	MSA 17-21	Billing for Free or Reduced Price Care	All Providers	
3/31/2017	MSA 17-11	Graduate Medical Education Innovations Program	Hospitals	
11/30/2016	MSA 16-32	Postponement of <i>Healthy Kids Dental</i> Statewide Enrollment Change	Dentists and Dental Clinics	
3/1/2016	MSA 16-06	Transition to Managed Care Common Formulary	All Providers	
3/1/2016	MSA 16-03	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulatory Surgical Center Reduction Factor Update	Hospitals, Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs), Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs, County Health Plans	



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12/1/2015	MSA 15-58	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulatory Surgical Center Reduction Factor Update	Hospitals, Ambulatory Surgical Centers, Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs	
12/1/2015	MSA 15-53	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; Native American/Alaska Native Cost-Sharing Exemption Modification; Healthy Michigan Plan Beneficiary Cost Sharing	All Providers	
10/1/2015	MSA 15-39	Affordable Care Act (ACA) Fingerprint Requirements	All Providers	
9/1/2015	MSA 15-35	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Project Update; Discontinued Coverage of Laboratory Procedure Code	All Providers	
5/1/2015	MSA 15-13	Changes in Home Help Agency Provider Standards	Home Help Agency Providers, PIHPs, CMHSPs	
5/1/2015	MSA 15-06	Changes to Provider Enrollment and Service Verification	Home Help Agency and Individual Providers	
3/2/2015	MSA 15-05	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Project Update; EPSDT/Habilitative Services Update; and Changes to the Michigan Department of Community Health and the Michigan Department of Human Services	All Providers	
1/2/2015	MSA 15-01	Changes to Provider Enrollment and Service Verification	Home Help Agency and Individual Providers	



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12/29/2014	MSA 14-57	MI Health Link Program	All Providers	
12/1/2014	MSA 14-58	Provider Enrollment and Service Verification	Home Help Agency and Individual Providers	
12/1/2014	MSA 14-54	Medicaid Policy Updates	BEM and BAM Holders	Incorporated into the Bridges Administrative Manual and Bridges Eligibility Manual
12/1/2014	MSA 14-52	Non-emergency Medical Transportation (NEMT) for Beneficiaries with a Change of Enrollment Status	BEM and BAM Holders	Incorporated into the Bridges Administrative Manual and Bridges Eligibility Manual
12/1/2014	MSA 14-51	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulance Surgical Center Reduction Factor Updates	Hospitals, Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs), Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs, County Health Plans	
9/2/2014	MSA 14-40	Excludable Convictions for Medicaid Home Help Program Personal Care Service Providers	Home Help Provider Agencies, MI Choice Waiver Agencies, Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Programs, PIHPs, Integrated Care Organizations	
8/28/2014	MSA 14-37	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Project Update; New Coverage of Existing Code; Discontinuing Coverage of Existing Codes; Provider Portal; Nursery Related Revenue Codes; Pre-Admission Diagnostic Services; MICHild Eligibility Manual	All Providers	
8/28/2014	MSA 14-32	Rate Increase for Obstetrical Services	Practitioners, Outpatient Hospitals, MHPs, FQHCs, LHDs, RHCs, THCs	



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7/31/2014	MSA 14-31	Personal Care Provider Criminal History Screening	Home Help Providers, MI Choice Waiver Agencies	
7/31/2014	MSA 14-29	Establishment of a New Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) Pool	Hospitals	
5/30/2014	MSA 14-23	Introduction of Health Homes in Selected Counties of Grand Traverse, Manistee and Washtenaw	PIHPs, CMHSPs	
5/29/2014	MSA 14-15	Graduate Medical Education (GME) Innovations Grant	Hospitals	
2/27/2014	MSA 14-10	Institutional Status	BEM Holders	
2/27/2014	MSA 14-08	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation (NEMT) Policy Changes	BEM and BAM Holders	
2/27/2014	MSA 14-03	Healthy Michigan Plan Eligibility Criteria	Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI) Policy Holders	
12/2/2013	MSA 13-49	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulatory Surgical Center Reduction Factor	Hospitals, ASCs, Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs, County Health Plans	
11/26/2013	MSA 13-48	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Project Update	All Providers	
11/26/2013	MSA 13-45	Diagnosis Related Group (DRG) Grouper Update, DRG Rate Update, Rehabilitation Per Diem Rate Update	Hospitals, MHPs	



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8/29/2013	MSA 13-40	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; Beneficiary Monitoring Program; ICD-10 Project Update	All Providers	
7/1/2013	MSA 13-23	July 2013 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Code Updates	Practitioners, FQHCs, RHCs, THC's, Hospitals, ASCs, LHDs, MHPs, County Health Plans, and Mental Health and Substance Abuse	
6/1/2013	MSA 13-15	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; Supplemental Bulletin List; Injectable Carve-Out; Beneficiary Monitoring Program; ICD-10 Project Update	All Providers	
5/1/2013	MSA 13-14	Nursing Facility Plant Cost Certification Submission Requirements	Nursing Facilities, County Medical Care Facilities, Hospital Long-Term Care Units, and Ventilator Dependent Care Units	
1/25/2013	MSA 13-01	Correction to Effective Date for Bulletin MSA 12-64	Maternal Infant Health Providers, MHPs	
12/1/2012	MSA 12-67	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Update	All Providers	
12/1/2012	MSA 12-62	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulatory Surgical Center Reduction Factor	ASCs, Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs, County Health Plans	
10/1/2012	MSA 12-47	Optometrist Electronic Health Record (EHR) Incentive Program Participation	Optometrists, RHCs, FQHCs	



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8/31/12	MSA 12-43	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; Change in MIHP Mileage Reimbursement; HCPCS Code Update; ICD-10 Project Update	All Providers	
8/31/12	MSA 12-39	Primary Specialty Designation by Physicians	Practitioners, FQHCs, Outpatient Hospitals, LHDs, MHPs, RHCs, THC	
8/31/12	MSA 12-37	Rate Increase for Obstetrical Services	Practitioners, Outpatient Hospitals, MHPs, FQHCs, LHDs, RHCs, THC	
6/29/12	MSA 12-29	July 2012 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Code Updates	Practitioners, FQHCs, RHCs, THC, Hospitals, ASCs, LHDs, MHPs, County Health Plans, and Mental Health and Substance Abuse	
6/29/12	MSA 12-26	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation (NEMT) Reimbursement Rates	BEM and BAM Holders	Incorporated into the Bridges Eligibility Manual and the Bridges Administrative Manual
6/1/12	MSA 12-23	Inpatient Hospital Payment Reduction	Hospitals	
6/1/12	MSA 12-21	July Provider Manual Updates; ICD-10 Information	All Providers	
3/30/12	MSA 12-10	Estate Recovery for Supplemental Security Income Related Medicaid Programs	BEM Holders	Incorporated into the Bridges Eligibility Manual
3/30/12	MSA 12-09	Medicaid Eligibility and Divestment Penalties	BEM Holders	Incorporated into the Bridges Eligibility Manual
3/1/2012	MSA 12-06	Updates to the Medicaid Provider Manual; ICD-10 Coding Implementation	All Providers	



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12/22/2011	MSA 11-57	Outpatient Prospective Payment System and Ambulatory Surgical Center Reduction Factor	Hospitals, ASCs, Hospital-Owned Ambulance, Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facilities, Rehab Agencies, Freestanding Dialysis Centers, MHPs, County Health Plans	Time-sensitive information which does not require incorporation into the Medicaid Provider Manual.
12/22/2011	MSA 11-56	Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) and Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Code Updates	All Providers	Providers should refer to the MDCH website at www.michigan.gov/medicaidproviders >> Billing and Reimbursement >> Provider Specific Information for code information.
12/15/2011	MSA 11-51	Graduate Medical Education (GME)	Hospitals, MHPs	Pending approval from Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.