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Subject: Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Encounters and Provider Enrollment

Effective: As Indicated

Programs Affected: PACE

Effective October 1, 2021, PACE providers are required to begin submitting encounter data to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS). On a monthly basis, PACE providers will submit encounters for all services provided/paid for in the month prior beginning with dates of services (DOS) on or after October 1, 2021.

PACE organizations may begin testing 837 Professional, Dental, and Institutional encounter files and National Council for Prescription Drug Programs (NCPDP) Post-Adjudicated v4.2 pharmacy encounter files after January 1, 2021. Encounter testing for PACE organizations must be completed by October 1, 2021.

Provider Enrollment

As part of the encounter process, PACE providers are required to enroll as a provider through the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System (CHAMPS). PACE providers will still maintain their Managed Care Organization (MCO) enrollment.

To enroll as a Medicaid provider, the PACE provider must complete an online application in CHAMPS. PACE providers should enroll as a Facility/Agency/Organization (FAO) with an organization (Type 2) National Provider Identifier (NPI). To access CHAMPS, providers must register for a MILogin User ID and password at <https://milogintp.michigan.gov>.

National Provider Identifier

A Type 2 (Organization) NPI is required for organizations such as centers, group practices and incorporated individuals who provide health care services and receive payment. Effective for DOS on or after October 1, 2021, PACE providers and typical, servicing providers must be enrolled in CHAMPS and have a valid NPI.

PACE provider encounters must also include the appropriate Type 1 (Individual) NPI of the specific provider performing the services as "Rendering Provider". All Type 1 (Individual) providers must be associated to their affiliated PACE provider in CHAMPS.

Manual Maintenance

Retain this bulletin until the information is incorporated into the MDHHS Medicaid Provider Manual.

Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Health and Human Services, P.O. Box 30731, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8231, or e-mailed to ProviderSupport@michigan.gov. When you submit an e-mail, be sure to include your name, affiliation, NPI number, and phone number so you may be contacted if necessary. Providers may phone toll-free 1-800-292-2550.

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