

MIHP Biweekly Update

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Virtual Consultation Requests

MIHP will be offering opportunities for virtual consultation throughout the year. By completing this [survey link](#), you can request a consultation within the upcoming two months or four months, whichever is your preference. You may include a brief statement of need (for example: chart review, cycle 9 certification requirements, or other pertinent program information). You will be able to list consultation topics via the survey process. Providing a brief statement will not limit what you are able to discuss at your scheduled consultation, however it will provide some preliminary information to help the consultant determine the amount of time needed.

You will also have the option to forgo consultation within the next four months. As always, if you have an immediate need, please do not hesitate to send questions to the MIHP mailbox @ mihp@michigan.gov or give us a call at 1-833-MI4-MIHP (1-833-644-6447).

Thank you!

Mark Your Calendar! January COP

Don't forget to register for the Community of Practice webinar on Wednesday, January 18th from 1:00pm - 2:30pm if you haven't already done so. This month's topic is "Home Visiting in Michigan." To register, click here: [January 2023 Community of Practice Registration](#).

Doula Registry Applications Being Accepted

Effective January 1, 2023, Michigan Medicaid began reimbursing for doula services provided to individuals covered by or eligible for Medicaid Insurance. Doula providers seeking reimbursement for their professional services to Medicaid beneficiaries are required to be on the MDHHS Doula Registry and enroll as a Medicaid provider. [View the final policy: MMP 22-47](#).

Become a MDHHS Certified Doula

MDHHS will maintain a Doula Registry to support access to doula services statewide. To be part of the registry, individuals must have completed a MDHHS-approved qualified doula training program.

MDHHS-approved qualified doula training programs include:

- [BirthWorks International](#)
- [Childbirth International](#)
- [Childbirth and Postpartum Professional Association \(CAPPA\)](#)
- [Doulas of North America International \(DONA\)](#)
- [International Childbirth Education Association \(ICEA\)](#)
- [Commonsense Childbirth Institute](#)
- [HealthConnect One](#) (or a HealthConnect One replication site)
- [LifeSpan Doulas](#)
- [ProDoula](#)

Additional doula programs may be approved by MDHHS working collaboratively with the Doula Advisory Council. Requests for consideration may be sent to MDHHS-MIDoula@michigan.gov.

Steps to enroll as a Medicaid provider:

Step 1: [Complete and submit a MDHHS Doula Registry Application](#)

Step 2: [Apply for a Type 1 \(Individual\) National Provider Identifier \(NPI\)](#)

Step 3: [Register for SIGMA Vendor Self-Service \(VSS\)](#)

Step 4: [Complete an online application in the Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System \(CHAMPS\)](#)

Step 5: **Enroll/Credential with Medicaid Health Plan(s)**

Please visit the MDHHS Doula Initiative website at www.michigan.gov/Doula for more information.

Subscribe to [Michigan Doula Initiative Emails and Updates](#).



Freedom From Smoking - Virtual Program

Are you ready to quit tobacco? Join MyMichigan Health for a free, eight session, group workshop led by American Lung Association trained facilitators. This program helps you develop a plan of action than leads to your quit day. This program is for current smokers, vapers and tobacco users, 18 years old and older. Sessions are Mondays, January 16 - February 27, 2023 and Wednesday, February 8, 2023 from 5:30 to 7:00 PM. Registration closes Friday, January 6, 2023 and is limited to 15 participants.

To register, visit www.mymichigan.org/freedomfromsmoking. For questions, call the MyMichigan Health Line at 800-999-3199.

Good night. Sleep tight. Sleep safe.

Learn more about the safest way for babies to sleep at michigan.gov/safesleep



Upcoming State of Michigan (SOM) Holidays

January

January 16th - Martin Luther King

Look for the next issue of the MIHP Biweekly Update on Tuesday, January 17th.



Previously Released MIHP Updates

To review any previously released MIHP Weekly Updates, they can be found by [visiting the MIHP webpage Michigan.gov/MIHP](https://www.michigan.gov/MIHP).

Bi-Weekly Update Topic Submission

If you have suggestions for topics to be addressed in future additions of the MIHP Weekly Update, [please submit your ideas here](#).

MDHHS Publications

[Sign up here to receive program updates and communications.](#)

Coordinator Directory

[Please click here to access the most recent Coordinator Directory.](#)

Our communication for the Maternal Infant Health Program has been streamlined to a single email address and phone number. Please forward all emails to MIHP@michigan.gov. For further assistance, contact the state office @ **1-833-MI4-MIHP (1-833-644-6447)**. Thank you.