

Provider Re-Enrollment Clarification

Background

Due to a federal mandate, all Texas Medicaid providers who are enrolled prior to January 1, 2013, are required to re-enroll by March 24, 2016.

Clarification

The Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) would like to clarify that the re-enrollment requirement applies to all providers who provide Medicaid services through a managed care organizations (MCOs), dental maintenance organizations (DMOs), or through traditional fee-for-service Medicaid.

MCOs can access a list of providers who have not yet re-enrolled at TexMedCentral in the MCODE folder with the file name ACA Non Compliant.xlsx. This list will be updated on a monthly basis. Please note that all providers listed on this spreadsheet are active providers. Please do not term the providers included on this file.

Recommendation and Suggested Language

For your convenience, Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is sharing some approved language for your provider-facing communications regarding the Affordable Care Act requirements for provider re-enrollment.

General Statement

Due to a federal mandate, all Texas Medicaid providers enrolled before January 1, 2013, must re-enroll in Texas Medicaid by March 24, 2016. This requirement applies to providers providing services through a Medicaid managed care organizations (MCOs), dental maintenance organizations (DMOs), or through traditional fee-for-service Medicaid.

Providers must be re-enrolled in Texas Medicaid to maintain credentialing with their contracting MCOs and DMOs. In order for a provider to maintain credentialing with their contracting MCOs or DMOs, the provider must be fully re-enrolled prior to the March 24, 2016, deadline. To be considered fully re-enrolled, providers must submit a completed re-enrollment application and receive notification from the Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) that their application has been approved. To allow sufficient time for re-enrollment application processing, providers are encouraged to begin this process immediately.

For additional guidance, please visit the provider page of the Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) website at www.tmhp.com. For help re-enrolling, contact a TMHP provider enrollment representative at 1-800-925-9126, Option 2, or attend one of the [town hall meetings](#).

Remittance and Status Reports

Due to a new federal mandate, all Texas Medicaid providers must periodically re-enroll in Texas Medicaid. Providers enrolled before January 1, 2013, must be fully re-enrolled by March 24, 2016. For more information, please visit the provider page of the Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) website at www.tmhp.com or call 1-800-925-9126.

Website/Claims Portal

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Call Center Hold Message

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Contact Information

Please send concerns or questions regarding provider re-enrollment via email to Laura Blanke at Laura.Blanke@hhsc.state.tx.us and copy your health plan management team.