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Updated Guidance for NC Medicaid Payments to Planned Parenthood – July 29, 2025

Tuesday, July 29, 2025

NC Medicaid is providing updated information to providers about new federal prohibitions on certain providers.

Registration Open for Recovery Audit Program Webinar

Tuesday, July 29, 2025

NC Medicaid is announcing the Recovery Audit Contractors program kick-off and upcoming Provider Outreach webinar.

Announcing Coverage-67516 Suprachoroidal Space Injection of Pharmacologic Agent (separate procedure)

Tuesday, July 29, 2025

Current Procedural Terminology code 67516 has replaced category III code 0465T.

Updates to NC Medicaid Payments to Prohibited Entities

Friday, July 25, 2025

NC Medicaid is providing additional information to providers about new federal prohibitions on certain providers.

Important Updates to Prior Authorization and Claims Requirements for Optical Services

Thursday, July 24,2025

Based on prior authorization and claim changes, optical providers (ophthalmologists, optometrists and opticians) should review NCTracks enrollment status to ensure there is an individual optical provider enrolled at the practice location where the visual aids are being ordered.

Per Diem Increase for Community Based Intermediate Care Facilities for Intellectual Disabilities

Monday, July 21, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, NC Medicaid adjusted the provider per diem.

Chiropractic Diagnosis Code Update for Claim Processing

Friday, July 18, 2025

New diagnosis codes now accepted for chiropractic services effective Aug. 1, 2024.

Important Update when Processing Community Alternatives Program Claims

Thursday, July 17, 2025

Effective July 3, 2025, claims submitted without the ordering or referring physician National Provider Identifier will be adjudicated with a pay status for the Community Alternatives Program for Children and Disabled Adults.

2024 Survey Reports Released

Tuesday, July 15, 2025

In recent months, NC Medicaid has published three survey reports that detail the experiences of beneficiaries and providers in North Carolina during 2024.

<u>Update: Assessment Fee Adjustment for Intermediate Care Facilities for Intellectual Disabilities</u>

Friday, July 11, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, NC Medicaid adjusted the provider adjustment rates.



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Children and Families Specialty Plan – Primary Care Provider Beneficiary Choice Period Contracting Deadline

Tuesday, July 08, 2025

Primary Care Provider (PCP) contracting deadline for Beneficiary Choice Period is Sept. 1, 2025.

Adding Coverage of CPT Code 81515 – Xpert® Xpress Multiplex vaginal panel (MVP) that enables results within 60 minutes from a single specimen for Bacterial Vaginosis, Vulvovaginal Candidiasis and Trichomoniasis

Monday, July 07, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, NC Medicaid will provide coverage for CPT Code 81515 – Xpert® Xpress MVP

<u>Updated: NC Medicaid Behavioral Health Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities Tailored Plans Federally Qualified Health Center/Rural Health Clinics Prospective Payment System - Alternate Payment Methodology wrap payment methodology</u>

Thursday, July 03, 2025

Reimbursement methodology changes revised to begin with dates of service on or after Dec. 1, 2024.

<u>Updated: Federally Qualified Health Centers and Rural Health Clinics Reimbursement Methodology Changes Approved</u> **Thursday, July 03, 2025**

Standard Plans will reimburse the APM rate for claims with a date of service on or after Aug. 1, 2024.

Quarterly Provider Update - Summer 2025

Thursday, July 03, 2025

Information on Provider Ombudsman, Children and Families Specialty Plan and Upcoming Credentialing Changes.

Credentialing Committee Bylaws Public Review Period Now Open

Thursday, July 03, 2025

The North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (NCDHHS), through General Dynamics Information Technology, Inc.

Assessment Fee Adjustment for Intermediate Care Facilities for Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities

Thursday, July 03, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, NC Medicaid adjusted the provider assessment rates.

Tailored Care Management Temporary Rate Extension Ended

Wednesday, July 02, 2025

The Tailored Care Management payment rate is \$294.86 effective July 1, 2025.

Assessment Fee Adjustment for Skilled Nursing Facility Providers

Wednesday, July 02, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, NC Medicaid adjusted the provider assessment rates.

2025 NC Medicaid Managed Care Quality Strategy Approved

Tuesday, July 01, 2025

The strategy outlines visions and goals for NC Medicaid Managed Care for the next three years.