

New Medicaid Bulletin – Basics

The North Carolina Medicaid Bulletin is undergoing a renovation—the first major upgrade since it launched in 1997. It allows users timely access to the latest information. The new bulletin can be accessed at:

<https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/medicaid-bulletin>

Here is how the **new** bulletin format works:

Category allows the user to filter results of articles specific to certain provider types, such as personal care services providers, or all providers.

Search any words allows the user to search articles by keyword, such as “sterilization,” or even by CPT code, such as “81420.” That can be used in combination with a specific category, or just the default “any.”

Accessing articles

Below the “category” and “search any words” boxes, bulletin articles are shown in reverse chronological order, with the most recent bulletins appearing first. The full article can be accessed by clicking on the article title or link labeled “more” following the article summary. Bulletin articles are added weekly in a blog format, and any special bulletin articles will be added as approved. All bulletin articles published since January 2018 are in the blog format. All Medicaid Bulletins back to 1997 are available under the Archive tab.

Medicaid Bulletin Monthly Digest and Archive provide users with a monthly recap of articles in one file and location – similar to the way the bulletin is currently published, including PDFs of articles back to 1997.

Distribution

(To be determined based on internal ability to do emails/RSS feeds.) NCTracks will continue to post on their provider web portal and distribute through email blasts when new articles are available and when the monthly digest becomes available.

