

Aetna Better Health of Kansas Provider Newsletter

Monthly Updates for January 2024

Recent KMAP Bulletins:

- HCPCS Changes – January 2024 (PDF)
- PACE Midland Care Connections County Expansion (PDF)
- PACE Bluestem Reduction of Counties (PDF)
- MediKan Claim Clarification - CCBHCs (PDF)
- Home Administration Code M0201 Reimbursement (PDF)
- TA Home Modification Limit Increase (PDF)
- Stay Enrolled as a KanCare Provider – Don't Forget to Revalidate (PDF)
- RESCINDED - High Dollar Rare Disease Drug List February 2024 (PDF)
- Extension for Re-designation of Indian Health Centers as Tribal Facilities as Federally Qualified Health Centers (TFQHCs) (PDF)
- Provider Specialty Updates for CCBHC (PDF)
- High Dollar Rare Disease Drug List February 2024 (PDF)
- Private Rooms in Nursing Facilities and Intermediate Care Facilities (PDF)
- Prior Authorization Updates (PDF)
- POA Indicators on Swing Bed Nursing Facility Claims (PDF)
- Cognitive Therapy Code Changes for the Brain Injury Waiver (PDF)
- Electronic Visit Verification for In Lieu of Services (PDF)
- EVV Town Hall: Update and Open Forum (PDF)
- Testing/Scoring Service Codes for CMHCs (PDF)
- Updates to the HCBS Provider Qualifications Audit Process (PDF)
- Clarification of Allergy Immunotherapy Billing (PDF)
- Drug Shortage Protocol (PDF)
- Adding New Provider Types and Specialties to PET Scans (PDF)

Recent Provider Notices

- [Notification of Pregnancy Provider Notification](#)
- [Code Removal Provider Notification](#)
- [Hep C and Prenatal Vaccines-Provider Bulletin](#)

January Provider Webinars

Registration is available on the Provider Website [HERE](#)

- New Provider Orientation Webinars
- Cultural Competency Webinars
- Remittance Advice Training Webinars

EPSDT Webinars

Member Value-Added Benefits*

- \$25 for over-the-counter drugs
- \$50 for non-covered adult vision services
- \$500/year adult dental services
- Extra respite and personal care services for waiver members
- Home delivered meals
- Asthma Air Purifier
- CampusEd GED & Career Services
- MyActive Health program
- Healthy Rewards program
- Podiatry visits for eligible members
- A complete set of dentures every 5 years for eligible members
- Additional transportation services
- After School Engagement
- Promise Pregnancy Program
- Ted E. Bear M.D.® Kids Club
- Android Smartphone
- Up to \$5,000 to help No Place Like Home Grant recipients move
- KU Weight Management Program
- Pest control services

*See details about eligibility and limits in the [Aetna Better Health of Kansas Provider Manual](#).

Statement on Provider Incentives

Utilization Management decision making is based only on appropriateness of care and service and existence of coverage. Aetna does not specifically reward practitioners or other employees/individuals for issuing denial of coverage. Financial incentives for utilization making decision makers do not encourage decisions that result in underutilization. Aetna's affirmative statement declares that our organization does not use incentives or disincentives to encourage barriers to care and service.