

Provider Newsletter

Monthly Updates for October 2021

Recent Provider Bulletins and Notices

KMAP Bulletins:

- [10.01.2021—Prior Authorization Updates](#)
- [10.01.2021—Coverage of Revenue Code 0220](#)
- [10.01.2021—Extension for Re-Designation of Tribal Healthcare Facilities as Tribal Federally Qualified Health Centers](#)
- [10.04.2021—UPDATED – Enteral Product and Physician Administered Drug Billing Guidance](#)
- [10.11.2021—October 2021 HCPCS Update](#)
- [10.12.2021—HCPCS Changes – October 2021](#)
- [10.18.2021—ACTIVATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF WEDI SNIP LEVEL 1 & 2 COMPLIANCE EDITS](#)
- [10.21.2021— KMAP Provider Enrollment System Upgrade](#)
- [10.25.2021— Revisions to NCCI Editing October 2021](#)
- [10.25.2021— New Forms Available Through Provider Enrollment \(PE\) Wizard](#)
- [10.27.2021—Designation of Indian Health Centers as Tribal Facilities as Federally Qualified Health Centers \(TFQHCs\)](#)
- [10.28.2021— KMAP Claims Resolution Log Post Implementation](#)

Aetna Better Health Provider Notices:

- [10.6.2021—Availity Update](#)
- [10.7.2021—Provider Town Hall Event](#)
- [10.8.2021—Training Opportunity on Social Determinants of Health](#)
- [10.19.2021—Type of Bill 141](#)

Upcoming Provider Training Opportunities

- New Provider Orientation Webinars—Register [here](#)
October 28, 2021—2 PM
- Executive Update Webinars—Register [here](#)
October 12, 2021—9 AM
- Cultural Competency Provider Training—Register [here](#)
No dates for October
- Remittance Advice Training Webinars—Register [here](#)
October 19, 2021—9 AM
- Provider Town Halls—Register [here](#)
October 19, 2021—11 AM

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
 - \$130 toward GED test for members >16 years of age
 - Smoking cessation program
 - Healthy Rewards Incentives program
 - Transportation services
 - 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.