

Provider Bulletin

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TO: All Medicaid Enrolled Comprehensive, Outpatient SUD Programs and Peer Recovery

FROM: **NH Medicaid** DATE: **July 5, 2022**

SUBJECT: UPDATE: Requirement for Rendering Providers to be Enrolled

Through a review of enrolled SUD providers, the Bureau of Program Integrity discovered that many Medicaid enrolled Groups do not have their Rendering Providers enrolled in NH Medicaid or credentialed with the individual Managed Care plans. The covered services section of He-W 513 indicates:

- (a) All SUD treatment and recovery support service providers shall be enrolled as a New Hampshire Medicaid provider.
- (b) SUD treatment and recovery support service practitioners shall meet the provider requirements in He-W 531.03 for the services they are enrolling to provide.

Federal regulations at 42 CFR 455.410 require all professionals providing Medicaid services to be enrolled as participating providers.

We encourage all comprehensive, outpatient SUD and PEER recovery programs to begin the process of ensuring that their individual, rendering providers pursue enrollment in NH Medicaid within 90 days of receipt of this notice. Federal compliance also requires providers to include the National Provider Identifier (NPI) for rendering providers on Medicaid claims (HCFA-1500, Block #24-J and UB-04, Block #76).

After enrollment in Medicaid, all rendering providers should also credential with any individual Managed Care plan for which they provide services. Beginning October 5, 2022, claims submitted without an enrolled rendering provider will be denied.

If you need assistance with the enrollment process, please contact NH Medicaid's Provider Relations Unit at 866-291-1674. If you have any questions or concerns about this requirement, please contact Sara Cleveland, Bureau of Drug and Alcohol Services, at 603-271-6109.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request and for the services you provide to our NH Medicaid population.