

Office of Medical Assistance Programs Fee-For-Service Subcommittee November 12, 2025

Enrollment



- Enrollment continues to work clean applications under 30 days.
- We are expecting 5178 revalidation applications this month.
- Providers are encouraged to use the option to revalidate multiple locations with a single application
- Provider Enrollment information can be found @ PROMISe Provider Enrollment | Department of Human Services | Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Provider Enrollment Tips



- Treat the application seriously. It is a legal agreement and a signed attestation to comply with a vast array of federal and state Medicaid rules...it is far more than just getting a "billing number".
- Make sure your enrollers do good QC checks of your application content before submission. Minimize need to return apps for corrections and the associated delays. Your enrollers can and should check their app status in the portal.
- If you/your enrollers have questions about revalidation or enrollment status, **the best thing to do** is contact **MA enrollment staff** at: 800-537-8862 Option 2 Option 4.

MABs Issued Since August 2025 Meeting:



| Bulletin Number | Subject/Title | Issue Date | Effective Date |
|--------------------|--|------------|----------------|
| 05-25-03 | Electronic Visit Verification Manual Edits Noncompliance in the Fee-for- Service Delivery and Managed Care Delivery Systems | 8/29/25 | 8/29/25 |
| <u>27-25-41</u> | 2025 Medical Assistance Program Dental Fee Schedule Update | 9/11/25 | 9/11/25 |
| 01-25-39 | Prior Authorization Guidelines for Wearable Air Conduction Hearing Aids | 9/19/25 | 9/19/25 |
| 09-25-41 | Prior Authorization Guidelines for Enteral Nutrition | 9/19/25 | 9/19/25 |
| 27-25-42 | Adoption of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry's Dental Periodicity Schedule | 10/7/25 | 10/1/25 |

Medical Assistance Bulletins may also be found on the Department of Human Services' What's New at OMAP webpage or Bulletin Search webpage.

Policy Updates - Upcoming MABs to be Issued



After issuance the MA Bulletins in this section will be accessible at the following links respectively: What's New at OMAP and Bulletin Search.

"Medical Assistance (MA) Program Fee Schedule Revisions" (99-25-07)

This bulletin advises providers of the updates to the Medical Assistance (MA) Program Fee Schedule, which include the addition and end-dating of procedure codes, the addition of procedure codes with prior authorization requirements, unit and limitation updates, procedure code description and modifier updates, and adjustments to provider type (PT), provider specialty (Spec), and place of service (POS) combinations for billing.

"School-Based ACCESS Program (SBAP) Provider Handbook" (35-25-01)

This bulletin advises providers of the updates to the SBAP Handbook and is issued annually to provide updates to policy based on guidance from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), to provide greater detail/clarity in areas in which Local Education Agencies (LEAs) have struggled in the prior year, and to make any changes necessary as a result of vendor changes or system enhancements.

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"Updated Sterilization Consent Form (MA 31)" (01-25-30)

This bulletin advises MA enrolled providers that an updated version of the Sterilization Consent Form (MA 31) is available for use in both English and Spanish. The MA 31 ensures that individuals undergoing sterilization procedures are aware of the risks, benefits, and consequences, and assures voluntary, informed consent. The Pennsylvania Department of Human Services uses the federal Consent for Sterilization form (HHS-687) as its MA 31 form which was recently updated to extend the expiration date of the form to July 31, 2028.

<u>"Targeted Case Management Services for Eligible Juveniles Enrolled in Medical Assistance Prior to Release from a Carceral Setting" (09-25-43)</u>

This bulletin advises providers to clarify which physical health and behavioral health targeted case management services are able to be rendered to eligible juveniles enrolled in MA prior to their release from a carceral setting. This bulletin also lists the procedure codes for billing for these TCM services, discusses a new provider specialty for TCM, and outlines the PT/Spec/POS combinations able to be billed, effective October 12, 2025.