

Idaho Behavioral Health Plan (IBHP): Behavioral Health Provider Q&A

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GENERAL

Question	Answer
What is the Idaho Behavioral Health Plan	The State of Idaho is starting a new Behavioral Health Plan
(IBHP)?	(IBHP) to advance mental health and substance use disorder
	treatment services. They have chosen Magellan Healthcare to
	manage these services that have been, in the past, delivered by
	multiple commercial entities and state agencies. Magellan will
	manage medically necessary mental health, substance use
	disorder and crisis services on behalf of the Department of
	Health and Welfare's (IDHW) Division of Medicaid and Division
	of Behavioral Health (DBH). Magellan also will manage the
	provider network for the Idaho Department of Juvenile

Question	Answer
	Corrections. Magellan will oversee behavioral health services for Idahoans who don't have health insurance as well as those who have Medicaid or other types of insurance. You may visit www.Magellanofldaho.com or https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/newIBHP for more information.
Who is Magellan Healthcare?	Magellan Healthcare is a mental health services company that has been in the field of mental health and substance use disorder treatment for over 50 years. Magellan offers an array of clinically led, evidence-based solutions to state agencies, employers, health plans, and federal agencies.
When does the new IBHP take effect?	It begins on July 1, 2024.
Is Magellan replacing Optum?	Yes.
Is Magellan replacing BPA Health?	Yes, for substance use disorder services only.
Will Magellan have a dedicated and local Idaho team to handle provider and member questions/concerns?	Yes, we will have three offices (Pocatello, Boise, Coeur d' Alene) in Idaho.
Will you hold training sessions for providers?	Yes, Magellan will have trainings on a variety of subjects. Trainings, listening sessions, and forums have already begun. If you have supplied your email address, we will contact you via email with the details of these learning opportunities. General orientation sessions for outpatient providers will begin in April. For information on current training offerings, as well as provider forums, visit Magellanofldaho.com, then select For Providers, then Events & Training.
Do you have a provider manual that states requirements for each outpatient program (e.g., partial hospitalization program/intensive outpatient program)?	We intend to include this information in an Idaho supplement to our <u>national provider handbook</u> . We are in the process of drafting this document now; once complete, it will be available on <u>Magellanofldaho.com</u> .

PROVIDER PORTAL/WEBSITE

Question	Answer
Do you have an online portal for benefit	Yes, we will offer Idaho network providers access to this
verification so that we can easily verify	information via the Availity Essentials portal. Go to Availity.com
that a member has an active policy and	and click Log in to Essentials or Get Started.
will be covered?	



Question	Answer
Where can I find information online about	Visit Magellanofldaho.com and select For Providers from the top
serving the new IBHP, including training	menu. Check back periodically as we update this site with new
opportunities?	details.

*LETTER OF INTENT (LOI), CREDENTIALING, AND CONTRACTING

Question	Answer
*Are background checks required? How do I complete a new background check?	All providers must complete a background check, per IDAPA 16.05.06. However, providers who already participate in the Optum network or are enrolled in the Medicaid fee-for-service system have already been verified and will not need to resubmit a background check application or provide proof of clearance.
	Providers who are not in the Optum network or in the Medicaid fee-for-service system will need to apply for a background check and get fingerprinted.
	To initiate the process, go to https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/bcu . (If you scroll down to Background Check System Training , you'll find the relevant videos to walk you through the process.) Once completed, send Magellan proof of clearance by either taking a screenshot of the clearance in the Background Check System (BCS) or by submitting a copy of the clearance letter from the BCS to IdahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com .
Will providers be "grandfathered" into your network, or will we need new contracts?	Magellan will not grandfather providers from others' networks. You will need to be contracted with Magellan Healthcare.
Does each individual provider in a group need to submit an LOI, or can the group submit a single LOI under a single tax ID?	Submit only one <u>LOI</u> , for the group.
Will the contracting process start after I submit the LOI?	Yes. If you submitted an LOI, expect Magellan to reach out to you in the upcoming weeks to begin the contracting process.
Who should complete the LOI?	The administrator or owner should complete the LOI.
Will Magellan require a site audit for credentialing?	We do not perform site audits for traditional outpatient providers as a condition for the credentialing process. Some higher levels of care do require provider site visits; we will work with your group individually to determine which requirements apply.



Question	Answer
Does Magellan use CAQH for	Magellan uses <u>CAQH</u> for practitioner credentialing applications.
credentialing?	CAQH enables providers to enter information once and share it
	with all of the plans you authorize.
	We have included credentialing instructions with the contract
	materials in our provider mailings. Please be sure you have
	submitted an LOI so that you are on our mailing list.
Will each of our independently licensed	Each individual practitioner within your group with an
clinicians have to re-credential with	independent license must be credentialed/re-credentialed.
Magellan, or just the group?	
When will a Magellan provider agreement	We have finalized and mailed contracts. If you have any
be available to us?	questions about the contract documents or did not receive
	them, contact us at IdahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com .
If I am already a Magellan provider, do I	If you are a provider who is already contracted with Magellan for
need to do anything?	other plans, we will have to amend your contract to add the
	Idaho IBHP Addendum, confirm your services/locations, and add
	IBHP reimbursement rates. We will send information to you in
	the upcoming weeks.
Must I have a Medicare number to	No. A Medicare number is not required.
contract with Magellan?	
Will the youth and adult crisis centers be	Yes.
part of the new Magellan network?	

MEDICAID DISCLOSURE FORM

Question	Answer
Is the Medicaid Disclosure Form required?	Yes, every Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) owner in Idaho who participates in the IBHP must have a Medicaid Disclosure Form on file. Medicaid disclosure is intended to prevent fraud, promote transparency, identify individuals or entities precluded from participation, and enhance oversight of federal and state spending on Medicaid.
	spending on Medicaid.



Why is the Medicaid Disclosure Form	To comply with 42 CFR 457.935, 42 CFR 1001.1001, 42 USCS §
required?	1395cc(j)(5), 42 CFR §455.104, §455.105, and §455.106,
'	providers are required to disclose including, but not limited to,
	information regarding (1) the identity of all persons with an
	ownership or control interest in the provider, or in any
	subcontractor in which the disclosing entity has a direct or
	indirect ownership of 5 percent or more including the identity of managing employees, agents, and other disclosing entities; (2) certain business transactions between the provider and subcontractors/wholly owned suppliers; and (3) the identity of any person with an ownership or control interest in the provider or disclosing entity, or who is an agent or managing employee of the provider or disclosing entity that has ever been convicted of any crime related to that person's involvement in any program under the Medicaid, Medicare, or Title XX program (Social Services Block Grants), or XXI (State Children's Health Insurance Program) of the Social Security Act since the inception of those
	programs.
Where can I find instructions on how to complete the Medicaid Disclosure Form?	You will find instructions for <i>accessing</i> the form in the mailing you received from us. Additional instructions for <i>completing</i> the form are within the Medicaid Disclosure Form itself.
	View a brief demo on accessing and completing the Medicaid Disclosure From.
How long does a provider/group/facility have to complete the Medicaid Disclosure Form?	Complete and submit the Medicaid Disclosure Form to Magellan no longer than 35 calendar days from the date on the cover letter enclosed with the form.
If I don't complete the Medicaid	If you do not complete the Medicaid Disclosure Form, you will
Disclosure Form, will I be out of compliance? What are the consequences?	be considered noncompliant with Idaho state requirements. Your provider contract with Magellan will not be executed and you will not be a participating provider in the IBHP.
Do I need to complete Section 3 of the	Yes, any person with ownership or control interest needs to be
Medicaid Disclosure Form since I already	listed in Section 3, even though the same individual may be
completed Section 1?	listed in Section 1.
Can the Medicaid Disclosure Form be	No, the Medicaid Disclosure Form is an online form that you
	must complete in Magellan's portal.
emailed or faxed?	
emailed or faxed? Whom can I contact if I have questions or	Contact our Network team at



TRIBAL RELATIONS

Question	Answer
Will you have Tribal representatives who are familiar with Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) to assist, if needed?	Yes. Magellan's director of Tribal and community relations will work with Tribal communities and with the FQHCs to ensure they are familiar with the processes for serving members of Idaho's five federally recognized Tribes.
Will you schedule meetings and/or Q&A sessions with the Tribes of Idaho, or how are you planning to work with them?	Yes, Magellan's director of Tribal and community relations will initiate outreach to each of the five Tribes and their Tribal leadership to answer their questions and to develop a comprehensive Tribal collaboration and communication plan. Specifically, the director will meet regularly with the Indian Health Service, Tribal providers, or Urban Indian Health Centers (I/T/Us) during implementation and monthly after service start date. We will use these meetings to deliver focused training and share information with the Indian Health Care provider community.
Tribes of Idaho do not have to contract. How does that affect the Tribes of Idaho?	Members of Idaho's five federally recognized Tribes may continue to receive behavioral health services through the Indian Health Service, Tribal providers, or Urban Indian Health Centers (I/T/Us). I/T/Us will be reimbursed at the federally set encounter rate, whether they are contracted with Magellan or not. Members may also access services through non-I/T/U providers, whether those providers hold Medicaid contracts or not. Services provided by all these providers are reimbursable through the IBHP.

PROVIDER RELATIONS

Question	Answer
Will we be assigned to a specific provider	We will have three offices (Pocatello, Boise, Coeur d' Alene) and
advocate that can help us navigate the	several Provider Relations staff members in Idaho. You will have a
process of changing from Optum Idaho to	representative assigned to you, who can assist through the
Magellan Healthcare?	transition.

AUTHORIZATIONS

Question	Answer
What levels of care require pre-	Stay tuned for upcoming trainings and information that will
authorization and what does that	discuss authorizations in detail. Visit Magellanofldaho.com and
authorization process entail?	select For Providers from the top menu.



Question	Answer
Have you developed authorization processes/procedures yet?	We are working to develop processes and procedures that minimize administrative work for providers. We will share additional information in the upcoming weeks.
Will there be a prior authorization process for the services that we currently provide to members?	Some services will require prior authorization under the new IBHP contract. We will share additional information about authorization processes in the upcoming weeks.
If we have current prior authorization approved for services, will we have to resubmit prior to the transition in 2024?	Magellan will honor authorizations from BPA, Optum, and Telligen that have been approved and span past July 1, 2024. The end date of the authorization will be the same as what you were provided by the issuing organization/entity.

ASSESSMENTS

Question	Answer
What levels of care require pre-	Stay tuned for upcoming trainings and information that will
authorization and what does that	discuss authorizations in detail. Visit Magellanofldaho.com, then
authorization process entail?	select For Providers, then <u>Events & Training</u> .
Will you require a social determinants of health (SDOH) assessment for all members?	Yes, providers should continue to assess members for SDOH needs.
Will you keep the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS) tool for minors and Idaho Medicaid members?	Yes, we will require the CANS functional assessment tool for all IBHP members, including Medicaid and other eligible members.



Question	Answer
Will we continue to use the ICANS	On July 1, 2024, Magellan will replace the ICANS system with a
system?	more user- and system-friendly platform that you will access via a single sign-on from Availity Essentials. The Magellan technology will have the ID CANS 3.0, an updated and briefer version of the CANS created by the Idaho Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM) Center of Excellence and the Praed Foundation to best meet the needs of Idaho's YES Class youth and their families. The improved technology of the system will allow for: easily sharing the CANS across providers, updating the CANS without requiring completion of every item again, and sending the CANS to families and youth upon completion. The system is aligned with person-centered care principles to connect the CANS to the person-centered services plan. You will additionally have your own CANS management and outcomes dashboard to improve your ability to work with your staff on CANS completion and use in supervision. Magellan will offer training on the new system. Regularly visit Magellanofidaho.com, then select For Providers, then Events & Training.
Do you have plans to reduce the number of assessments we're required to do (e.g., CANS, WHODAS, wellness)?	We are currently discussing with IDHW. Our focus to is to lessen administrative work for providers.
The requirement that substance use disorder (SUD) providers complete a comprehensive diagnostic assessment (CDA) before rendering any services has been a barrier. Many SUD providers do not have to be credentialed to conduct CDAs. Can Magellan consider changing this and accepting ASAM evaluations for SUD services?	We are currently reviewing the assessment process for SUD services and will provide more information as soon as possible.

QUALITY/CLINICAL

Question	Answer
Will Magellan do yearly site audits for	The Quality Improvement audit plan is not finalized yet. Once
behavioral health?	finalized, we will provide training and notify you via the website.
	Visit Magellanofldaho.com, then select For Providers, then Events
	<u>& Training</u> .



Question	Answer
How do we contact the Clinical team?	You may send questions prior to July 1, 2024, to ldahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com . Also, we will offer multiple trainings in the upcoming months where the Clinical team will participate. Visit Magellanofldaho.com , then select For Providers, then Events & Training .
Do you have level-of-care guidelines and/or medical necessity criteria available?	We are in the process of developing and obtaining state approval of medical necessity criteria. We will share with providers when they are finalized.
What are your requirements regarding audits?	Our Quality Improvement team will share information about the audit process and audit tools once they are finalized.
What limitations will be placed on services (e.g., 53+ minute sessions per year, skills building units per year, case management units per year, peer support)?	We considered Optum's existing threshold when developing authorization guidelines and will share additional information in the upcoming weeks.
Can we find out the treatment record requirements and treatment guidelines?	Yes, the Quality Improvement team will share information once finalized.
Will Healthy Connection referrals be a requirement for outpatient providers?	No.

*HIGH-FIDELITY WRAPAROUND (HFW)

Question	Answer
*Is Targeted Care Coordination (TCC) being discontinued?	Magellan Healthcare of Idaho is supporting the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare's (IDHW) initiative to increase standardization and access to Idaho's Behavioral Health Care Coordination system.
	As outlined in the Idaho Behavioral Health Plan (IBHP) contract, IDHW's approach is to transform Targeted Care Coordination (TCC) offered today solely by community providers into a model with Intensive Care Coordination (ICC) as an administrative service provided by Magellan and Idaho Wraparound Intensive Services (Idaho WInS) and Case Management services offered through IBHP network providers.



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*How will TCC and ICC work in the IBHP?	Per the IDHW FAQ found at https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/newibhpproviders: "To increase capacity, our approach is to transform Targeted Care Coordination (TCC) offered today solely by community providers into a model with Intensive Care Coordination (ICC) as an administrative service provided by Magellan, and Idaho Wraparound Intensive Services (Idaho WInS) and Case Management services offered through IBHP network providers."
	Visit https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/newibhpproviders and read the "How will TCC and ICC work in the new IBHP?" FAQ for more information.
*What is the difference between High- Fidelity Wraparound and Targeted Care Coordination?	Magellan wraparound is considered High-Fidelity Wraparound (HFW) that follows a fidelity model and takes into consideration the 10 Wraparound principles, along with the required activities that are done in each phase at each team meeting throughout the Wraparound process.
	In HFW, fidelity to the model will be measured and aligned with the <u>Idaho Wraparound Intensive Services (IWInS) program</u> .
	 HFW and TCC both use the <u>YES Principles of Care</u>. HFW uses the plan of care, crisis and safety plan, and transition plan to help measure outcomes. In TCC, there is only one service plan, which is the person-centered service plan.
	 In HFW, there is a partnership between the Center of Excellence (CoE), agency, care coordinators and Magellan to support quality and fidelity of the model. The CoE supports fidelity monitoring with standardized tools as well as coaching and training for program improvement and skill development. TCC does not have the requirement for monitoring fidelity or outcomes.
	 In HFW, youth and families are engaged in the planning process for approximately 12-14 months. TCC does not have an anticipated time limit on the service. In HFW, the coordinator and family meet as often as needed during phase 1. In phase 2, the coordinator, family and team meet at a minimum of every 30 days. This is individualized to the family needs. TCC contacts the member and family at least every 30 days.



*Will Wraparound/WInS replace Targeted Care Coordination, or will they coexist? Could a family participate in both TCC and Wraparound?	To promote a smooth transition, providers will be able to continue to serve existing members receiving TCC services and bill for TCC services through Dec. 31, 2024. This will allow six months for transition of care with either Magellan's care coordinators or new providers that will be offering Idaho WInS services within the network. With this transition, Magellan will not be endorsing new providers to offer TCC services. Starting July 1, 2024, new members needing this level of care may begin services with Magellan or Idaho WInS rather than TCC.
*We currently offer TCC services; will we have Magellan's support in the transition to ICC and Idaho WInS?	Magellan will work closely with agencies and providers currently offering TCC services to discuss how their role will change in the new IBHP, as well as other opportunities for them to provide services to Medicaid and other eligible IBHP members. More information will be shared with all providers on how ICC will be integrated into the new IBHP.
*Who comprises the Wraparound care team?	In HFW, agency care coordinators are paired with a CoE certified Wraparound coach throughout their Wraparound practice to support skill development and facilitation experience. The CoE also provides technical assistance to agency supervisors. The role of the care coordinator, supervisor and coach are a trifecta that supports quality and fidelity to the model. The Wraparound Team as a whole is comprised of the Wraparound care coordinator, the youth and family, formal and informal supports, youth peer and family support partners.
*Will Wraparound coaches be affiliated with the CoE?	Yes, the CoE will provide support for coaching and training along with technical assistance to Wraparound care coordinators and agency supervisors. The CoE has a team of 13 Wraparound Human Services Program Specialists (HSPS) who have been trained as Wraparound coaches and will provide training and coaching support to approximately 10-15 Wraparound care coordinators each.
*How many care coordinators will be needed for the Wraparound program?	The initial goal is to train 30 Wraparound coordinators in the first year. However, based on a population study, it's anticipated that 1,600 youth will need ICC, which could include Wraparound or any other ICC in the YES system of care. This would mean that across the state a need for up to 130-150 Wraparound coordinators.



*What are the Wraparound coordinators must: credentials/licensure/degree Have a minimum of a bachelor's degree in a human requirements for coordinators? services related field and at least two years' experience in another type of care coordination practice. Be certified in the Idaho CANS. Have attended the IWInS Foundational Training. Participate in the Wraparound coaching through the CoE. For more information, visit https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/coe. *What are the training and coaching Foundational training requirements for coordinators? Wraparound care coordinators must complete the Wraparound Foundational Training that consists of 20 total training hours. The training is set up in a virtual format broken down into 2-hour modules (total of 10 modules) that can be completed within 5-10 weeks depending on the training schedule. During the training (following the completion of modules 3 or 4), Wraparound care coordinators can begin the process of learning through practice and in-vivo observations of team meetings and working with their Wraparound coaches for individual and groupbased coaching. Ongoing coaching Following this training, the coordinator begins the process of learning through practice. The CoE coach accompanies the coordinator as they begin to put the training into practice. This is completed through observation of the coach or other more seasoned coordinators, in-vivo observation of the coordinator by the coach, individual 1:1 coaching between coordinator and coach and group-based coaching. The coach and coordinator relationship continues as the coordinator deepens their practice.



*Our agency is interested in providing Wraparound services. How will Magellan help our agency attract staff, given the current labor shortage?	The agency supervisor completes the Wraparound Supervisor Training (a one-time, 2-hour web-based training) and receives ongoing coaching through the CoE. The agency supervisor (or clinical designee) role includes: • Providing clinical oversight for Wraparound care coordinators, including their employment, assigning cases and supporting their practice. • Collaborating with the Wraparound CoE to receive coaching regarding the intersection of coordinator practice and employment, quality service reviews and fidelity measurement, addressing any barriers that may emerge with the CoE or other system partners. Coordinators attending the Wraparound training will receive 20 CE hours at no cost to your agency. Wraparound as a bundled rate includes coaching and training for fidelity during the time the care coordinator is providing Wraparound. Magellan continues to solicit feedback and look at ways to create incentives for training and support workforce development. The educational and experience requirements for a Wraparound coordinator correspond with types of providers identified across
*How will Magellan select the 30 Wraparound coordinators?	the state. Magellan and the CoE will look for regional coverage of Wraparound. Community provider agencies that wish to provide Wraparound will get to select their potential Wraparound coordinators independently given the educational and experience requirements. Once the provider agencies are contracted with Magellan, then the CoE, the provider agency and Magellan will collaborate on the training schedule and connecting Wraparound coordinators with
*Are CEUs provided for the training? *Does the training cost anything?	Certified coaches. Yes, eligible staff members who attend and complete the entire training will earn 20 CEUs. The training is free and will be provided by the CoE trainers.



*Does Wraparound consist of team meetings only, or does it entail meeting with family at other times during the month?	Wraparound care coordinators will bring the team together every 30-45 days to engage in the team planning process. During Phase 1 of Engagement and Preparation, the coordinator may meet with the family more frequently to gather information and in Phase 2 Planning and Phase 3 Implementation hold team meetings on a consistent basis with the goal of meetings tapering off to monthly basis depending on the needs of the youth and family. The coordinator can also hold check-in meetings with the family before and after a team meeting, based on family preferences, to prepare or follow up on a meeting. In the event of a crisis, the team will typically come together within 48-72 hours of a crisis to provide safety and crisis support with the team and review a crisis plan.
*What if there are multiple agencies working with the family; how will a bundle rate be divided?	The bundled rate is specific for Wraparound care. Other services are not part of bundled rate.
*How does each provider bill for these meetings?	Refer to your Magellan IBHP reimbursement schedule for the appropriate code/modifier to use when billing Child and Family Team (CFT) Interdisciplinary Team Meetings. For more information about billing claims, see Section 5: Provider Reimbursement in the IBHP Provider Handbook Supplement at www.Magellanofldaho.com / For Providers.
*How will referral to private agencies work?	The referral process to IWInS (Idaho's Wraparound CoE) is still in development. In general, referrals to the IWInS can be from a behavioral health provider in the community, residential treatment centers, the independent assessor (Liberty), other child serving systems such as IDJC, education, child welfare, and developmental disabilities, and by family self-referral. An Idaho CANS and a comprehensive diagnostic assessment will be needed. For a direct referral to IWInS, for example a self-referral by a family, a process to obtain the CANS and assessment will be identified. The coach will provide technical assistance to the agency supervisor and coordinator regarding eligibility and staffing patterns. The CoE will defer to Magellan and IBHP as the process develops. The CoE can aid with the access map and decision support model, when it is used in referral process, and the decision process for eligibility.



*What is the turnaround from when our agency receives a referral to when we must begin working with a family?	Your agency must begin working with the family within three days of receiving the referral.
*Will each child or family need a comprehensive diagnostic assessment (CDA), treatment plan and CANS before getting Wraparound services?	The provider will develop an initial plan of care, administering the CANS assessment within 45-60 days. If a CANS has been completed during the last 90 days, then the Wraparound care coordinator will update the CANS based on the updated information.
	Ideally, a youth will connect with a mental health provider and have the CDA and CANS completed prior to entering Wraparound.
*What if the team is full? What happens to the referral then?	Magellan ICC will work with the Child and Family Team until Wraparound is available. The expectation is that Wraparound will expand to meet needs, and there will be no waiting lists.
*Does the CDA need to refer specifically to Wraparound?	The CDA will include clinical recommendations and using the specific term "Wraparound" is not necessary.
*I was unable to attend your provider forum that discussed High-Fidelity Wraparound. Is there a transcript of the meeting?	No, a transcript is not available; however, you may find answers to your questions in this section of the FAQ.
*Where can I find more information on the role of the CoE and how Wraparound care coordinators are trained?	Visit https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/coe .
*Is there any other website or information for more information on WInS or Wraparound?	For more information, visit: https://healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/coe https://yes.idaho.gov/youth-empowerment-services/tools/understanding-yes/wraparound-intensive-services/
	https://nwi.pdx.edu/



CLAIMS AND REIMBURSEMENT

Question	Answer
*What is the Payor ID and what clearinghouses may we use?	Magellan's Payor ID is 01260. We currently work with the following clearinghouses: • Availity • Office Ally • Payerpath • Trizetto Provider Solutions, LLC
What is needed for electronic funds transfer (EFT)?	You will get your first payment via virtual credit card (VCC) along with instructions for signing up for EFT with ECHO Health/Change Healthcare. If you are a <i>current</i> Magellan provider already receiving payments via EFT, no action is needed. You'll receive reimbursement for IBHP services via EFT as well.
Will reimbursement change and when will we see the rates?	We are working with the state and will communicate as soon as this is finalized.
On July 1, 2024, will Idaho Medicaid have an inpatient or residential reimbursement for SUD services or mental health?	We will have reimbursement for both.
Will telehealth pay less than in-person sessions?	No. We reimburse covered services rendered via telehealth at the same rate as in person.
How will Magellan ensure that providers are reimbursed for member services without delay?	We plan to do claims testing well before July 1, 2024, to ensure there are no issues. We prioritize and understand the importance of timely payment to providers. If you would like to be a testing partner, email ldahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com to let us know you are interested.
Should I bill claims with a medical diagnosis to Magellan?	No. You should bill claims with a <i>medical</i> diagnosis to Gainwell. Bill claims with a <i>behavioral health</i> diagnosis to Magellan.



Question	Answer
What is the timely filing requirement for claims?	1) Medicaid services: 180 days from date of service
	Other state-funded services (SUD, adult mental health, child mental health): 60 days from date of service
	 Exceptions: a) Tribal providers: 365 days from date of service b) Medicare services: 365 days from date of service. Submit secondary claims to Medicaid after the Medicare claim is completed.
	4) Corrected claims: 60 days from date on Magellan explanation of benefits/payment (applies to all services and providers)

FACILITY-SPECIFIC

Question	Answer
What are your residential treatment center (RTC) plans (e.g., how many beds, the demographic of your patient profile)?	Magellan will collaborate with the state to build out resources. We don't have the exact bed numbers currently but will share as available. Also, we'll have more to come regarding RTC development and psychiatric residential treatment facility (PRTF) development, including contracting and credentialing, as we progress to July 1, 2024.
When a patient is ready to discharge from an inpatient facility, who is responsible for finding them housing and scheduling their appointments for medication management and other outpatient services?	We have a team of transition support care coordinators that can assist to find specific services based on needs. Inpatient providers will have responsibility to secure services (housing and appointments), but Magellan staff will definitely partner with and assist you.
Will care coordinators be available to assist hospitals and support patient access to care?	Yes.
We are a rural hospital with no psychiatric services. We do have LCSWs who provide psychotherapy in our outpatient clinic. Will Magellan fund psychotherapy for patients admitted to our hospital to address mental health needs?	Magellan will contract with you for outpatient services.

If you have a question that isn't addressed here, you may submit it to ldahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com.

