



# NETWORK *Notification*

**Notice Date:** April 14, 2021  
**To:** Ohio Medicaid and MyCare Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** National Provider Identifier for Ordering, Referring and Prescribing Providers

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## Summary

The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) requires that all Medicaid managed care claims list the name and the National Provider Identifier (NPI) of the health care professional that ordered, referred or prescribed (ORP) the items or services. This information is required due to changes in federal and state law.

## Impact

Providers who render services to Medicaid beneficiaries should ensure that such services are being ordered, referred or prescribed by an eligible provider who is enrolled in Medicaid.

## Importance

Effective May 15, 2021 (or 30 days from date of Network Notification), claims submitted must include the name and the NPI of the health care professional that ordered, referred or prescribed the items or services. Claims missing the ORP NPI will be subject to rejections or denials. ORP is required for the following provider types:

- Private duty nurses
- Hospice
- Clinics (durable medical equipment/DME, skilled therapy, clinical laboratory or radiology imaging services only)
- Mental health clinics (DME, skilled therapy, clinical laboratory or radiology imaging services only)
- Medicare certified home health agencies
- Other accredited home health agencies
- Skilled therapists
- Clinical nurse specialists
- Pharmacies
- DME suppliers
- Imaging/testing facilities
- Independent laboratories
- Portable X-Ray suppliers
- Nursing facilities (DME, skilled therapy, clinical laboratory or radiology imaging services only)
- Federally qualified health centers – skilled therapy

**Questions?**

CareSource will provide further details once ODM has finalized and officially released the new policy. The most recent guidance can be found on [ODM's website](https://www.medicaid.ohio.gov/Portals/0/Providers/ProviderTypes/Managed%20Care/PolicyGuidance/Provider-Rendering-Enrollment-ORP.pdf) (<https://www.medicaid.ohio.gov/Portals/0/Providers/ProviderTypes/Managed%20Care/PolicyGuidance/Provider-Rendering-Enrollment-ORP.pdf>).

**Please Note**

All providers in the CareSource network must be enrolled and have an active Medicaid ID with Ohio Medicaid. For questions regarding enrollment status with the Ohio Department of Medicaid, please visit [ODM's website](https://medicaid.ohio.gov/Portals/0/Providers/Enrollment%20and%20Support/NewProviderEnrollment-FAQs.pdf) (<https://medicaid.ohio.gov/Portals/0/Providers/Enrollment%20and%20Support/NewProviderEnrollment-FAQs.pdf>).

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