



Provider Alert

New Behavioral Health Services Are Now Available to UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Ohio Members

The Ohio Department of Medicaid's Behavioral Health Redesign initiative started on Jan. 1, 2018. The state initiative not only updates the billing, reimbursement and prior authorization requirements for behavioral health services, it also includes new services for eligible UnitedHealthcare Community Plan members.

What This Means for You

While you might not be billing for or directly providing these services, your patients who are UnitedHealthcare Community Plan members may benefit from the services that are now available, including:

New Services

- Assertive community treatment for adults
- Family counseling
- Intensive home-based treatment for youth

Existing Services

- Assessment
- Community psychiatric supportive treatment (CPST)
- Comprehensive addiction treatment services
- Counseling
- Crisis intervention
- Day treatment

Also as part of the Behavioral Health Redesign, behavioral health care providers can now provide primary and preventive medical care, such as office visits, vaccinations and blood tests.

More Information

Information on Ohio's initiative and the services available to members is at bh.medicaid.ohio.gov.

If you have questions, you can call our Behavioral Health Care Management department at **866-261-7692**, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, for help with referrals or coordinating member care. Thank you.