

# PROVIDER NEWSLETTER

A newsletter for Molina Healthcare Provider Networks



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## Submitting Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) Claims

### Look at all the benefits to using EDI:

- Ensures HIPAA compliance
- Helps to reduce operational costs associated with paper claims (printing, postage, etc.)
- Increases accuracy of data and efficient information delivery
- Reduces claims delays since errors can be corrected and resubmitted electronically
- Eliminates mailing time and claims reach Molina Healthcare faster

### EDI Claims Submission:

The easiest way to submit EDI claims to Molina is through a Clearinghouse. You may submit the EDI through your own Clearinghouse or use Molina’s contracted Clearinghouse. If you do not have a Clearinghouse, Molina offers additional electronic claims submissions options. Log onto Molina’s Provider Portal at <https://provider.molinahealthcare.com> for additional information about the claim submission options available to you.

### FAQs:

- Can I submit Coordination of Benefits (COB) claims electronically?
  - Yes, Molina and our connected Clearinghouses fully support electronic COB.
- Do I need to submit a certain volume of claims to send EDI?
  - No, any number of claims submitted via EDI saves you both time and money.
- Which Clearinghouses are currently available to submit EDI claims to Molina?
  - Molina uses Change Healthcare as our channel partner for EDI claims. You may use the Clearinghouse of your choice. Change Healthcare partners with hundreds of other Clearinghouses.
- What claims transactions are currently accepted for EDI transmission?
  - 837P (Professional claims), 837I (Institutional claims).
- What if I still have questions?

- More information is available at [www.molinahealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.molinahealthcare.com/OhioProviders) under the “EDI ERA/EFT” tab. You may also call or email Molina using the contact information below.

**Submitting Electronic Claims**

Phone (866) 409-2935

Email: [EDI.Claims@MolinaHealthcare.com](mailto:EDI.Claims@MolinaHealthcare.com)

Molina Healthcare of Ohio Payer ID: 20149

**Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)**

Molina has partnered with our payment vendor, ProviderNet, for Electronic Funds Transfer and Electronic Remittance Advice (ERA). Access to the ProviderNet portal is FREE to our participating providers and we encourage you to register after receiving your first check from Molina.

<p><b>New ProviderNet User Registration:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Go to <a href="https://providernet.adminisource.com">https://providernet.adminisource.com</a></li> <li>2. Click “Register”</li> <li>3. Accept the Terms</li> <li>4. Verify your information             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Select Molina Healthcare from Payers list</li> <li>b. Enter your primary NPI</li> <li>c. Enter your primary Tax ID</li> <li>d. Enter recent claim and/or check number associated with this Tax ID and Molina Healthcare</li> </ol> </li> <li>5. Enter your User Account Information             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Use your email address as user name</li> <li>b. Strong passwords are enforced (8 or more characters consisting of letters/numbers)</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. Verify: contact information; bank account information; payment address             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Note: Any changes to payment address may interrupt the EFT process.</li> <li>b. Add any additional payment addresses, accounts, and Tax IDs once you have logged in.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	<p><b>If you are associated with a Clearinghouse:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Go to “Connectivity” and click the “Clearinghouses” tab</li> <li>2. Select the Tax ID for which this clearinghouse applies</li> <li>3. Select a Clearinghouse (if applicable, enter your Trading Partner ID)</li> <li>4. Select the File Types you would like to send to this clearinghouse and click “Save”</li> </ol> <p><b>If you are a registered ProviderNet user:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Log in to ProviderNet and click “Provider Info”</li> <li>2. Click “Add Payer” and select Molina Healthcare from the Payers list</li> <li>3. Enter recent check number associated with your primary Tax ID and Molina Healthcare</li> </ol> <p><b>BENEFITS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Administrative rights to sign-up/manage your own EFT Account</li> <li>▪ Ability to associate new providers within your organization to receive EFT/835s</li> <li>▪ View/print/save PDF versions of your Explanation of Payment (EOP)</li> <li>▪ Historical EOP search by various methods (i.e. Claim Number, Member Name)</li> <li>▪ Ability to route files to your ftp and/or associated Clearinghouse</li> </ul>
<p>If a provider has questions regarding the actual registration process, they can contact ProviderNet at: (877) 389-1160 or email: <a href="mailto:wco.provider.registration@changehealthcare.com">wco.provider.registration@changehealthcare.com</a>.</p>	

**Note:** Please ensure you are registered for EFT for all participating Molina Lines of Business.

**Are You Culturally Competent?**

Cultural and linguistic competency is the ability to provide respectful and responsive care to members with diverse values, beliefs and behaviors, including tailoring health care delivery to meet members’ social, cultural and linguistic needs. The National Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) Standards, developed by the Health and Human Services Office of Minority Health, aim to improve health care quality and advance health equity by establishing a collective set of mandates and guidelines that inform, guide and facilitate culturally and linguistically appropriate services.

**Communicating Across Cultures**

Clear communication is the foundation of culturally and linguistically competent care.



***Guiding the conversation***

- Initial greetings can set the tone for an interaction. If the patient's preference is not clear, ask how they would like to be addressed (i.e., Mr. Jones, Michael, Ms. Gonzalez).
- Ask open-ended questions whenever possible.
- Some individuals can tell you more about themselves through storytelling than by answering direct questions.
- Inquire about preferred language and preferred method of communication (i.e., written, spoken, graphics, sign language, assistive listening devices).
- Consider treatment plans with respect to the patient's culture-based beliefs about health.
- Ask about any complimentary or alternative medicine possibly used by the patient.

***Assisting patients whose first language is not English***

- Hold a brief introductory discussion.
- Speak slowly and try not to raise your voice.
- Use simple words and avoid jargon.
- Do not use acronyms, idioms and avoid technical language if possible (i.e. shot verses injection).
- Articulate words clearly.
- Give information in small chunks and short sentences.
- Repeat important information and have the patient repeat information back to you.
- Inform the interpreter of any specific patient needs.
- Reassure the patient about confidentiality.
- Allow enough time for the interpreted sessions.
- Avoid interrupting during interpretation.
- Speak in the first person.
- Talk to the patient directly, rather than addressing the interpreter.

Please remember that it is never permissible to ask a minor, family member or friend to interpret.

**Molina's Language Access Services**

Molina strives to ensure good communication with members by providing language access services. Providing language access services is a legal requirement for health care systems that are recipients of federal funds; a member cannot be refused services due to language barriers. Language access services ensure mutual understanding of illness and treatment, increase patient satisfaction and improve the quality of health care for Limited English Proficiency (LEP) patients.

Molina provides the following services to members at no cost, when needed:

- Written material in other formats (i.e., large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, Braille)
- Written material translated into languages other than English
- Oral and Sign Language Interpreter Services
- Relay Service (711)
- 24-Hour Nurse Advice Line
- Bilingual/Bicultural Staff

Molina's member materials are always written simply in plain language and at required reading levels. For additional information on Molina's language access services or cultural competency resources,

contact Provider Services or read the Provider Manual, on the “Manual” tab at [www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders).

### **Oral and Sign Language Interpreter and Translation Services:**

All eligible members who are Limited English Proficient (LEP) are entitled to receive interpreter services. Pursuant to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, services provided for Medicaid and MyCare Ohio Medicaid members with LEP, limited reading proficiency (LRP) or limited hearing or sight are the financial responsibility of the provider. Under no circumstances are Molina Medicaid and MyCare Ohio members responsible for the cost of such services. Written procedures are to be maintained by each office or facility regarding their process for obtaining such services. Molina is available to assist providers with locating these services if needed.

### **Training for Providers**

A series of short Cultural Competency Training videos are available on Molina’s website on the “Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Resources/ Disability Resources” page listed under the “Health Resources” tab. Topics covered include: How Culture Impacts Health Care, Health Disparities, Social Determinants of Health, Seniors and Persons with Disabilities, LGBTQ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender) Population, Immigrant and Refugee Populations, Perspective-taking and Molina’s Language Access Services.

### **Sources:**

*U.S. Department of Health & Human Services: Office of Minority Health. Health Research & Educational Trust, 2013.*  
*Industry Collaboration Effort, Better Communication, Better Care: Provider Tools to Care for Diverse Populations.*  
*Industry Collaboration Effort, Cultural and Linguistic Services, 2017.*

## **Molina’s New Site of Care Program**



In an effort to provide high-quality treatment services while controlling costs, Molina is promoting a new way of thinking: Site of Care (SOC) Optimization. The SOC Optimization program seeks to offer certain infused or injected drugs, including expensive specialty drugs and biologics, at clinically appropriate, convenient and lower-cost care settings.

The SOC Optimization program is designed to encourage the consideration of treatment services through community offices, ambulatory infusion suites (AIS), or home-based settings such as home infusion services.

Home infusion services offer the convenience of care in the home, working to remove the hassle of traveling to a care center and remaining there throughout treatment. This may be particularly useful during the current COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic. At Molina we are monitoring COVID-19 developments and remain focused on making sure our members have uninterrupted and appropriate access to necessary medications. The SOC Optimization program is an opportunity to help keep our members safe and at home.

The medication list below, when covered under the medical benefit, may require a SOC clinical review and/or a clinical prior authorization (PA). This list is not a guarantee of benefits, may not be all inclusive and should be used for reference purposes only.



Actemra <sup>®</sup> (tocilizumab)	Givlaari <sup>®</sup> (givosiran)	Radicava <sup>®</sup> (edaravone)
Adakveo <sup>®</sup> (crizanlizumab)	Ilaris <sup>®</sup> (canakinumab)	Reblozyl <sup>®</sup> (luspaterecept-aamt)
Aldurazyme <sup>®</sup> (laronidase)	Ilumya <sup>™</sup> (tildrakizumab-asmn)	Remicade <sup>®</sup> (infliximab)
Aralast <sup>®</sup> NP (A1-PI)	Inflectra <sup>®</sup> (infliximab-dyyb)	Renflexis <sup>®</sup> (infliximab-abda)
Benlysta <sup>®</sup> (belimumab)	Kanuma <sup>®</sup> (sebelipase alfa)	Revcovi <sup>®</sup> (elapegademase-lvlr)
Cerezyme <sup>®</sup> (imiglucerase)	Lemtrada <sup>®</sup> (alemtuzumab)	Simponi Aria <sup>®</sup> (golimumab)
Cinqair <sup>®</sup> (reslizumab)	Lumizyme <sup>®</sup> (alglucosidase alfa)	Soliris <sup>®</sup> (eculizumab)
Cinryze <sup>®</sup> (C1 esterase inhibitor)	Mepsevii <sup>™</sup> (vestronidase alfa-vjbjk)	Trogarzo <sup>®</sup> (ibalizumab)
Crysvita <sup>®</sup> (burosumab-twza)	Naglazyme <sup>®</sup> (galsulfase)	Tysabri <sup>®</sup> (natalizumab)
Elaprase <sup>®</sup> (idursulfase)	Nucala <sup>®</sup> (mepolizumab)	Ultomiris <sup>®</sup> (ravulizumab-cwvz)
Elelyso <sup>®</sup> (taliglucerase alfa)	Ocrevus <sup>®</sup> (ocrelizumab)	Vimizim <sup>®</sup> (elosulfase alfa)
Entyvio <sup>®</sup> (vedolizumab)	Onpattro <sup>®</sup> (patisiran)	VPRIV <sup>®</sup> (velaglucerase alfa)
Exondys 51 <sup>®</sup> (eteplirsen)	Orencia <sup>®</sup> (abatacept)	Vyondys 53 <sup>®</sup> (golodirsen)
Fabrazyme <sup>®</sup> (agalsidase beta)	Prolastin <sup>®</sup> - C <sup>™</sup> (A1-PI)	Zemaira <sup>®</sup> (A1-PI)
Fasenra <sup>®</sup> (benralizumab)		
Glassia <sup>®</sup> (A1-PI)		

## 2020 Molina Model of Care Provider Training

In alignment with requirements from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), Molina requires Primary Care Providers (PCPs) and key high-volume/high-impact specialists to receive basic training about the Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNPs) and MyCare Ohio Medicare-Medicaid Plan Model of Care (MOC). The MOC is the plan for delivering coordinated care and care management to special needs members. Per CMS requirements, Managed Care Plans (MCPs) are responsible for conducting their own MOC training each year, which means you may be asked to complete multiple trainings by different health plans.



MOC training materials and the attestation form are available on the Molina Provider Website at [www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders). The completion date for this year's training is Dec. 31, 2020.

If you have any additional questions, please contact your Molina Provider Services Representative at: (855) 322-4079.

## CMS Coverage of the Opioid Treatment Programs

In accordance with CMS rules, on Jan. 1, 2020, Molina began covering opioid treatment services (OTP) for members enrolled in our Medicare Advantage and MyCare Ohio plans. Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) services are covered under the Medicare Part B benefit (Medical Insurance). Covered services include:

- Food and Drug Administration (FDA) - approved opioid agonist and antagonist treatment medications, and the dispensing and administration of such medications, if applicable
- Substance use counseling
- Individual and group therapy
- Toxicology testing

OTPs wishing to render services to Molina members must be certified by CMS as an OTP. Molina encourages all potentially eligible providers to learn more about this program and consider their participation options by visiting the following CMS resource pages:

- CMS Opioid Treatment Programs (OTP) <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/Opioid-Treatment-Program/index>
- CMS OTP Enrollment Information <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/Opioid-Treatment-Program/Enrollment>

### Is Your Authorization Request Urgent?

CMS defines expedited/urgent authorization requests as requests in which “...applying the standard time for making a determination could seriously jeopardize the life or health of the enrollee or the enrollee’s ability to regain maximum function.”

When submitting urgent/expedited prior authorization requests, keep the following items in mind to ensure the request is processed without delay:

- Urgent/Expedited service request designation should only be used if the treatment is required to prevent serious deterioration in the member’s health or could jeopardize the enrollee’s ability to regain maximum function. Requests outside of this definition will be triaged and handled as routine/non-urgent.
- Please remember to include all the supporting clinical/documents.

### How to Manage Patient Stress During COVID-19 (Coronavirus)

As many individuals experience the psychological and emotional impacts of stressors related to COVID-19, Molina has developed supplemental tools to support PCPs in identifying and providing appropriate intervention to members at risk.

The “Molina Behavioral Health C.O.V.I.D. Screener for Primary Care” tool is a 5-question screener that allows PCPs to assess for potential psychological and social determinants of health impacts as a result of COVID-19 stressors. It is recommended providers consider one or more positive responses to the questionnaire as a positive screen and to reach out to the local Molina Care Management Team for assistance with care coordination.

In addition to the screening tool, Molina has developed supplemental one-page documents to provide additional information on the following topics:

- The Psychological Impact of COVID-19
- Dealing with the Emotional Aspects of Medical Conditions
- Trauma Informed Care – Taking the Road to Better Health

All these resources can be found by selecting “Behavioral Health” on the “COVID-19 (Coronavirus)” webpage, under the “Communications” tab at [www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders). For additional behavioral health resources and tools, please visit the Molina Behavioral Health Toolkit for providers under the “Health Resources” tab at [www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders).

**COVID-19 Provider Communications**

Even as a crisis drives us  
apart, we heal by coming  
together.



Molina wants to extend our heart-felt thanks to our provider community for caring for our members throughout the ongoing COVID-19 emergency. We are monitoring COVID-19 developments daily and have created a COVID-19 provider communications page on our website to share resources and updates with you, our provider partners. Please access COVID-19 news and updates at: [www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders](http://www.MolinaHealthcare.com/OhioProviders), under the “Communications” tab, by selecting “COVID-19 (Coronavirus).”