

Outpatient Hospital Behavioral Health Update

Information for Behavioral Health Hospital Medicaid and MyCare Ohio providers

Effective Aug. 1, 2019, the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) made several changes to the Outpatient Hospital Behavioral Health (OPHBH) benefit package. These updates include:

- Payment rate changes
- Additional Behavioral Health (BH) policy updates

Molina Healthcare is holding the impacted claims. The Aug. 1, 2019 changes require updates by 3M and Optum. The approximate date for the updates to be completed is Sept. 19, 2019. Once the updates have been completed, Molina will begin processing the claims.

For additional details visit www.ohiohospitals.org, and select the search icon. Search for “[Ohio Medicaid Implements Policy, Payment Updates to Hospital Behavioral Health Services.](#)”

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