



NETWORK *Notification*

Notice Date: May 31, 2022
To: Georgia Medicaid Providers
From: CareSource
Subject: Introducing Teladoc, CareSource's New Telehealth Partner
Effective Date: July 1, 2022

Summary

Effective July 1, 2022, CareSource will partner with Teladoc® to offer the convenience of telehealth to our Georgia Medicaid members. Teladoc replaces RelyMD® (formerly known as MYidealDoctor®) as CareSource's telehealth partner.

Effective July 1, 2022:

- General medical services for all Georgia Medicaid members
- Mental health services for members 18 years and older

Note: Mental health services for members ages 13-17 will become available at a later date.

Impact

CareSource will continue to encourage our members to engage with their primary care provider (PCP) or mental health provider first, but much like using retail clinics or urgent care as a way to meet medical needs, we are providing another access point through Teladoc.

How Members Access Services

1. Members will need to create an account and complete their medical history.
 - Download the Teladoc app to their smart phone.
 - Visit [Teladoc.com/CareSource](https://www.teladoc.com/CareSource).
 - Call 1-800-Teladoc (1-800-835-2362).

At this step, members may request that their visit information be shared with their primary care or mental health provider. Members should be prepared to provide their name, date of birth and member ID card number when they call.

2. Members can request on-demand appointments for general medicine or request a time for general medical or mental health, and the Teladoc doctor will contact them.
3. The doctor will diagnose and prescribe treatment as needed.

Importance

Telehealth technology makes health care more accessible and cost-effective, and it can increase patient engagement.

Teladoc Services

General Medical Services

Offered 24/7 for non-emergency health care needs such as:

- Cold and flu
- Sore throat
- Sinuses
- Allergies
- Pink eye
- Ear infections
- Urinary tract infections
- Rash
- Skin conditions
- And more

Mental Health Services

Members may talk to a therapist seven days a week, 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Eastern time

- Anxiety
- Depression
- Stress
- Substance use
- Trauma
- Relationship issues
- And more

Questions?

If you have questions regarding this partnership, please contact Provider Services at **1-855-202-1058**.

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