



# NETWORK *Notification*

**Notice Date:** January 22, 2024  
**To:** Ohio Medicaid Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) Rate Increases  
**Effective Date:** January 2, 2024

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## Summary

New rates now apply to Jan. 1, 2024, dates of service and beyond. ODM reimburses all services based on the date of service, not the date the provider bills the service.

## Impact

In July, ODM implemented nursing facility rate increases. In addition, other provider types benefiting from the rate increases going into effect in January include:

- Non-institutional providers.
  - Transportation
  - Dental
  - Ambulatory surgical centers/dialysis
  - Testing / lab / x-ray / durable medical equipment
  - Physicians / advanced practice registered nurses/physician assistants/clinics/skilled therapy
  - Vision and eye care
- Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) waiver providers
  - Community behavioral health
  - State plan private duty nursing/home health
  - PASSPORT waiver providers
  - Assisted living waiver providers
  - Ohio home care waiver providers
  - MyCare Ohio waiver providers
  - Individual Options waiver
  - Level 1 waiver providers
  - Self-Empowered Life Funding (SELF) waiver providers
- Hospitals

- Department of Developmental Disabilities providers

More information on this change is available in the ODM FAQ posted here:

<https://medicaid.ohio.gov/about-us/budget/budget>

### **Importance**

CareSource will be reprocessing claims affected and CareSource providers will not need to Appeal or Dispute the reimbursement amounts. These claims will be reprocessed once the rates are loaded into our claims payment system.

### **Questions?**

For additional questions, please contact Provider Services at **1-800-488-0134**, Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastern Time (ET).

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