Provider Notice

From: Magellan Healthcare **Subject:** Action required: Review New Idaho Medicaid provider enrollment requirements

Context for new requirements

Idaho Medicaid is implementing new provider enrollment requirements in compliance with <u>federal rule</u> <u>and the Social Security Act</u>¹. Under these requirements, all managed care providers must enroll with the State Medicaid Agency through the Medicaid Enterprise System (MES). This enrollment is necessary for providers to continue to render services to Medicaid members in contract with a Managed Care Organization (MCO) and Magellan is the MCO for the Idaho Behavioral Health Plan.

What you need to know

- Behavioral health provider enrollment begins May 5, 2025, with a deadline of July 31, 2025.
- Providers **must enroll** to remain eligible for contracting, network participation, and reimbursement. This means that you/your practice/organization must enroll to remain in network and to be eligible for reimbursement by Magellan for the Idaho Behavioral Health Plan.
- Providers must enroll with Idaho Medicaid MES vendor Gainwell Technologies (GWT) to continue providing services to Medicaid members through an MCO.

Resources are available to support you in either a New Enrollment or Ordering, Referring, Prescribing (ORP) Enrollment. Please visit the <u>Prospective Providers and Enrollment</u> resources page on <u>www.idmedicaid.com</u>.

Next steps

Review the Feb. 11, 2025 <u>Medicaid Provider Information Release</u> from the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare (IDHW) for enrollment phases and deadlines, as well as the necessary steps to take to complete your enrollment. Upon clicking on the hyperlink, you will also find answers to frequently asked questions about enrollment and the new requirements.

Thank you for your attention to this important update.

Questions?

Contact Magellan at IdahoProvider@MagellanHealth.com.

¹ (Section 1932(d) of the Act, 42 C.F.R. § 438.602 State responsibilities, 42 C.F.R. § 438.602(b) Screening and enrollment and revalidation of providers, Medicaid Provider Enrollment Compendium (MPEC) (March 22, 2021))