

## MHCP Provider Manual

### Latest Manual Revisions

Revised: March 7, 2023

Updates cited below do not include minor grammatical or formatting changes that otherwise do not have bearing on the meaning of the policy contained herein. Refer to [Provider Updates](#) that may contain additional MHCP coverage policies or billing procedures. MHCP incorporates information from these updates into the [Provider Manual](#) on an ongoing basis. Sign up to get [email notices](#) of section changes.

### March 7, 2023

#### Laboratory/Pathology, Radiology & Diagnostic Services

- [Laboratory/ Pathology Services](#) – Under **Genetic Testing**, [Rapid Whole Genome Sequencing](#), we updated Rapid Whole Genome Sequencing criteria to:
  - All of the following must be met:
    - Critically ill infant or child in the intensive care unit (ICU) with no unifying diagnosis.
    - Clinical circumstances present the need for rapid testing in time-sensitive cases as a last resort to guide clinical decision making in treatment or management of patient’s genetic condition.
    - Test must be ordered by the infant’s treating physician and prior to ordering testing, infant must be evaluated by a medical geneticist or other physician subspecialist with expertise in the conditions or genetic disorder for which the testing is being considered.
  - AND
  - One of the following is met:
    - Critically ill infant or child with a history of multiple hospitalizations or readmissions within 30 days of discharge for an unexplained condition which no diagnosis has been reached despite extensive workup and previous testing in the identification of rare genetic disease variant; or
    - Clinical presentation does not fit a well-defined gene analysis test that is available or previous extensive workup and testing has failed to receive a diagnosis

### March 6, 2023

#### Mental Health Services

- [Psychotherapy](#) – Under **Billing** in the [Mental health psychotherapy benefits for children and adults table](#), we added that you can now bill two units of 90837 for prolonged psychotherapy services face to face with the member for 91 minutes or more.

### March 3, 2023

#### Dental Services

- [Dental Benefits for Children and Pregnant Women](#) – We added the following new procedure codes under [Diagnostic Imaging](#) in the **Diagnostic** section.
  - D0372 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - comprehensive series of radiographic images
  - D0373 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - bitewing radiographic image
  - D0374 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - periapical radiographic image

### March 2, 2023

#### COVID-19

- [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#) – In the **Home Care and PCA Services** section, in [Family Members Providing Services for MHCP-Enrolled Members](#), we added the end date for this policy modification of May 11, 2023, which is the end of the federal public health emergency.

### **Dental Services**

- [Dental Benefits for Non-Pregnant Adults](#) – We added the following new procedure codes under [Diagnostic Imaging](#) in the **Diagnostic** section.
  - D0372 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - comprehensive series of radiographic images
  - D0373 - Intraoral tomosynthesis bitewing radiographic image
  - D0374 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - periapical radiographic image

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### **February 24, 2023**

### **Dental Services**

- [Authorization Requirement Tables for Non-Pregnant Adults](#)
  - Under [Prophylaxis](#), we updated the vendor link to the Kepro/MHCP website for submitting authorization requests. We also replaced Authorization Request: D1110 Multiple Prophylaxis (DHS-7979)(PDF) with the Authorization Request on the Kepro/MHCP website.
  - Under [Oral Surgery–Removal of Impacted Teeth](#), we updated the vendor link to the Kepro/MHCP website for submitting authorization requests. We also listed the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Medical Necessity Questionnaire and updated periodontal details.

### **Mental Health Services**

- [Mental Health Provider Travel Time](#) – Under [Billing](#), we added a hyperlink to MN-ITS 837P.

### **February 23, 2023**

### **Behavioral Health Home Services**

- [Behavioral Health Home Services](#)
  - Under [Billing](#), we clarified claims submitted by a mental health billing entity must include the rendering NPI of the MHCP-enrolled team member.
  - Under [Managed Care](#), we clarified Behavior Health Home (BHH) services providers need to contact the individual's MCO to determine what the MCO requires on the claim for BHH services.

### **February 22, 2023**

### **Dental Services**

- [Authorization Requirement Tables for Children and Pregnant Women](#)
  - Under [Endodontics](#), we clarified that endodontic endosseous implant treatment requires prior authorization.
  - Under [Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery](#), we updated the vendor link to the Kepro/MHCP website for submitting authorization requests. We also listed the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Medical Necessity Questionnaire.
  - Under [Orthodontics](#), we updated the vendor link to the Kepro/MHCP website for submitting authorization requests. We also added the Orthodontia Medical Necessity Questionnaire.

### **February 16, 2023**

### **Officer-Involved Community-Based Care Coordination Services**

- [Officer-Involved Community-Based Care Coordination Services](#) – Under [Eligible Providers](#), we deleted Counties are required to pay the nonfederal share (50% of the estimated total cost) of the service at initial enrollment as well as on an ongoing basis.

## February 15, 2023

### COVID-19

- [Coronavirus \(COVID-19\)](#)
  - In the **Eligible Providers** section, under [Providers Eligible to Administer COVID-19 Vaccines](#), we added that students in a healthcare profession but not enrolled in MHCP are approved to administer COVID-19 vaccines.
  - In the **Vaccines** section, under [COVID-19 Vaccine and Administration Codes](#), we updated ages to the following CPT vaccine codes.
    - 91301: Moderna vaccine, updated to 12 years and older
    - 91304: Novavax vaccine, updated to 12 years and older
  - In the **Vaccines** section, under [COVID-19 Vaccine and Administration Codes](#), we added the following CPT vaccine codes.
    - 91314: Moderna vaccine, 6 years - 11 years
    - 91315: Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine, 5 years - 11 years
    - 91316: Moderna vaccine, 6 months - 5 years
    - 91317: Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine, 6 months - 4 years
  - In the **Vaccines** section, under [COVID-19 Vaccine and Administration Codes](#), we updated the use with and effective date information for the following CPT administration code.
    - 0041A: Novavax, added Report 0044A for the booster dose with the effective date of Oct. 19, 2022.
  - In the **Vaccines** section, under [COVID-19 Vaccine and Administration Codes](#), we added the following CPT administration codes.
    - 0144A: Moderna, administration of single booster dose
    - 0154A: Pfizer-BioNTech, administration of single booster dose
    - 0164A: Pfizer-BioNTech, administration of single booster dose
    - 0173A: Pfizer-BioNTech, administration of third dose
  - Additionally, we updated language for clarity.

### Mental Health Services

- [Mental Health Services - Level of Care Assessment and Necessity of Care Recommendation or Referral](#)
  - Under [Eligible Providers](#), we removed Adult Mental Health Targeted Case Management information.
  - Under [Legal References](#), we deleted a link to Minnesota Statutes 256B.0625.

### Physician and Professional Services

- [Physician and Professional Services](#)
  - In the [Eligible Asthma Services Providers](#) section, we added a list of the providers who can bill for a home assessment.
  - In the [Billing for Asthma Services](#) section, we clarified the billing text.

## February 14, 2023

### Provider Basics Enroll with MHCP

- [Individual PCA or DSW Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#)
  - In the section, [How to Enroll](#), we clarified the two options to enroll as using the MPSE online portal or submitting required documents by fax.
  - We clarified the text in the [Background Study](#) section.
  - We clarified the text in the [Reinstating an inactive affiliation](#) section.
  - We added a section for [Revalidation](#).
  - We updated the section on [Reporting Changes](#).
- [Rehabilitation Agency Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal instructions.

**February 10, 2023**

### **Equipment and Supplies**

- [Mobility Devices](#) – Under **Covered Services**, we added the [Backup Manual Wheelchairs](#) section. Also also updated requirements for ultra-lightweight, lightweight and tilt-in-space wheelchairs in the [Manual Wheelchairs](#) section.

### **Nursing Facilities**

- [Nursing Facilities](#)
  - We have reorganized the content of this manual page for clarity.
  - We added an [Overview](#) section to explain Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) role in providing nursing facility services.
  - We organized content into [Covered Services](#) and [Noncovered Services](#) sections to clarify the services that MHCP covers and does not cover.
  - We added a section for [Medicare and Other Insurance](#).
  - We have moved the **Swing Bed Hospital Services** section to a separate [Swing Bed Hospital Services](#) manual page.
  - We moved the **Conditions of Participation** section to the [Nursing Facility Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) manual page.
  - In the **Billing** section, under [Resident Classification System](#), we included links to the Minnesota Case Mix Review Program and Case Mix Information published on the Minnesota Department of Health website.
  - We removed outdated legal references in the [Legal References](#) section.

### **Provider Basics**

#### **Enroll with MHCP**

- [Rehabilitation Billing Entity Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal instructions.

**February 9, 2023**

### **Provider Basics**

#### **Enroll with MHCP**

- [Licensed marriage and family therapist \(LMFT\) Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal instructions.
- [Physical Therapist Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal instructions.
- [Speech-Language Pathologist Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal instructions.

**February 8, 2023**

### **Mental Health Services**

- [Psychotherapy](#)
  - Under [Authorization](#), we explained providers do not need to submit authorization requests for the following psychotherapy services that exceed unit or hour limits beginning Jan. 1, 2023, through Dec. 31, 2024:
    - 26 hours psychotherapy (with patient) (including biofeedback) per calendar year, cumulative
    - 26 units of family psychotherapy (with patient or family member or both), per calendar year, cumulative
    - 10 sessions of multiple family group psychotherapy per calendar year
    - 52 sessions of group psychotherapy per calendar year, cumulative
  - Under [Billing](#), we deleted CPT Code 99354 from the Mental health psychotherapy benefits for children and adults table as it has been discontinued.

### **Transportation Services**

- [Nonemergency Medical Transportation \(NEMT\) Services \(Overview\)](#) – In the **Noncovered Services** section, under [Excluded Costs Related to Transportation](#), we added information about not billing members for wait time.

**February 6, 2023**

### **Provider Basics**

#### **Enroll with MHCP**

- We have removed the **County-contracted Mental Health Rehabilitation Enrollment Criteria and Forms** page because we do not currently accept enrollment.

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**January 27, 2023**

### **Provider Basics**

#### **Enroll with MHCP**

- [Dental Therapist \(DT\), Advanced Dental Therapist \(ADT\), and Collaborative Practice Dental Hygienist \(CPDH\) Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Updated to clarify the enrollment process for these provider types.

**January 25, 2023**

### **Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC)**

- [Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic \(CCBHC\)](#) – We updated this manual section to reflect current Uniform Service Standards.

### **EW and AC**

- [Elderly Waiver \(EW\) and Alternative Care \(AC\) Program](#) – Under the [Elderly Waiver Customized Living Services Rate Adjustment](#) section, we added a table for the minimum rate amount.

### **Mental Health Services**

- [Partial Hospitalization Program](#)
  - Under [Eligible Providers](#), we updated to meet statutory requirements.
  - Under [Eligible Members](#), we removed SDQ as a screening tool for children and adolescents.
  - Under [Authorization Requirements](#), we removed SDQ.

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Nursing Facility Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#)
  - We added a section on [Conditions of Enrollment](#) and provided legal citations for the authority on the requirements of participation with Minnesota Health Care Programs.
  - We added a [reference](#) and link for [Swing Bed Hospital Services](#) for providers who want to enroll as swing bed services providers.

January 24, 2023

## HCBS Waiver Services

- [HCBS Waiver Services](#) – In the table in the [Covered and Noncovered Services](#) section, we updated **Integrated community supports** to be covered under BI, CAC, CADI and DD.

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Chiropractor Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Group enrollment criteria is being changed to: To enroll as a chiropractic group, the chiropractic group must be composed of at least one enrolled chiropractor.

January 23, 2023

## Reproductive Health/OB-GYN

- [Obstetric Services and HIV Counseling](#) – Under [Breast Pumps](#), we changed that **E0602**, manual breast pumps, and **E0603**, personal electric breast pumps, are covered one per pregnancy.

January 20, 2023

## Mental Health Services

- [Adult Mental Health Targeted Case Management \(AMH-TCM\) and Children's Mental Health Targeted Case Management \(CMH-TCM\)](#)
  - Under **Mental Health Targeted Case Management: Core Service Components and Process**, [Assessment](#), we removed the Completing [LOCUS](#) assessment to determine resources and resource intensity needs requirement.
  - Under **Documentation, Client file**, [Documenting clinical supervision](#), we removed the Complete or cosign all members' level of care assessments [LOCUS](#) (adult MH-TCM only) requirement.

January 18, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Billing Policy

- [Billing the Member \(Recipient\)](#) – Under [Noncovered Services](#), we clarified the definition of a noncovered service.
- [Payment Methodology - Non-Hospital](#) – Under [Legislative Changes Related to Rates](#), we updated dental information according to Minnesota Statutes 256B.76 and Minnesota Rules 9505.0445.

January 13, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Intensive Residential Treatment Services Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [How to Enroll](#), we added MPSE information and updated the list of required documents.
- [Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions.
- [Occupational Therapist Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we have updated enrollment instructions to include the Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal.

January 12, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Billing Entity for Mental Health Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we updated information to include Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions. We also explained children's therapeutic services and supports (CTSS) and adult rehabilitative mental health services (ARMHS) providers must submit proof of fee payment and a copy of the CTSS or ARMHS certification letter.

## Anesthesia Services

- [Anesthesia Services](#) – We added a table for the [2023 Anesthesia Rates](#) in the section **MHCP Anesthesia Payment Formulas**.

## Member Evidence of Coverage (EOC)

- [MHCP Member Evidence of Coverage](#) – Made small revision to the [Child and Teen Checkups](#) verbiage under the **Covered Services** heading.

January 11, 2023

## Reproductive Health/OB-GYN

- In the **Minnesota Family Planning Program (MFPP)** section of the MHCP Provider Manual, under **Covered Services** section, under [Contraceptive and Medication Supplies](#), we removed the **MFPP Contraceptive and Medication Supplies Table**. We replaced it with the DHS NDC Search tool with instructions for use.

January 10, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Rural Health Clinic Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions.

January 9, 2023

## Reproductive Health/OB-GYN

- [Minnesota Family Planning Program \(MFPP\)](#)
  - In the **Covered Services** section, under [Contraceptive and Medication Supplies](#), we removed the MFPP Contraceptive and Medication Supplies Table and replaced it with the DHS NDC Search tool with instructions for use.

- In the [Legal References](#) section, we removed the Section 1902(a)(32) of the Social Security Act reference and replaced it with the Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, section 435.214 reference.

## Authorization

- [MHCP Pharmacy Quick Reference](#)
  - We deleted the **IFMC Medical Review Agent** section because it is no longer valid.
  - In the **MHCP Provider Resource Center** section, we deleted the check status of a medical supply authorization text because they do not check authorization requests.
  - Additionally, updated the language for clarity.

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Early Intensive Developmental and Behavioral Intervention \(EIDBI\) Provider Enrollment](#) – Under **Ongoing Reporting Requirements**, we added a [Changes in Ownership](#) section, which includes a link to the Provider Entity Sale or Transfer Addendum (DHS-5550).

### Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Services

- [Substance Use Disorder \(SUD\) Services](#) – Under [Covered Services](#), we replaced smoking cessation with Tobacco Use Disorder cessation.

## January 6, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Regional Treatment Center Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions.

## January 5, 2023

## Provider Basics

### Enroll with MHCP

- [Public Health Clinic Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under [Enrollment Criteria](#), we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions.

## Mental Health Services

- [Dialectical Behavior Therapy Intensive Outpatient Program \(DBT IOP\)](#)
  - Under [Eligible Members](#), we updated adolescent eligibility criteria.
  - We updated assessment requirements and ITP requirements per legislation.
  - We also updated this section to reflect Uniform Service Standards.

## Transportation Services

- [Local County or Tribal Agency Nonemergency Medical Transportation \(NEMT\) Services Claim, Service, and Rate Information](#) – In the [Personal and Volunteer Driver Mileage](#) table, we updated 2023 IRS Mileage reimbursement rates. Rates have been increased to \$0.65 per mile for codes A0090 UC Modifier for Licensed Foster Parent and A0080 Volunteer Driver.

## January 4, 2023

## Equipment and Supplies

- [Electrical Stimulation Devices](#) – Under [Covered Services](#), we deleted Implanted Neurostimulator Devices L8680 and L8686 and moved it to the [Physician and Professional Services](#) section of the MHCP Provider Manual.

## **Physician and Professional Services**

- [Physician and Professional Services](#)
  - We added the section [Implantable Neurostimulators](#) to clarify that the surgery CPT code 64568 requires prior authorization for the insertion of a cranial nerve neurostimulator electrode and generator. Claims for the devices will not pay unless there is an approved prior authorization for the procedure.
    - Devices:
      - L8680: Implantable neurostimulator, electrode, each
      - L8686: Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, single array, nonrechargeable, includes extension

## **Provider Basics**

### **Enroll with MHCP**

- [Podiatrist Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under Enrollment Criteria, we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions. We also added that a copy of the podiatry license must be submitted when enrolling.
- [Optometrist Enrollment Criteria and Forms](#) – Under Enrollment Criteria, we added Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment instructions. We also added that a copy of the optometry license must be submitted when enrolling.

## **January 3, 2023**

## **Reproductive Health/OB-GYN**

- [Abortion Services](#)
  - Under [Eligible Members](#), we updated to include MinnesotaCare members.
  - Under [Legal References](#), we removed Minnesota Rules 9505.0235 (Abortion Services).
  - Additionally, we updated the language for clarity.

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## **Previous Revisions**

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