

PROVIDER ALERT

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FEE SCHEDULE UPDATE

JUNE 28, 2018

The Governor's fiscal year 2019 budget included a 3.5% rate increase for community based behavioral health providers. Through the budget process, the rates for E&M codes for physician, nurse practitioner, and physician assistant services were also increased.

Rate changes will be effective for dates of service beginning July 1, 2018. There are no changes in rates for adult residential SUD providers which was recently enacted under the 1115 waiver. There are no changes in rates for services related to testing.

The updated fee schedules are attached here and will also be posted on Beacon's provider information page here: http://maryland.beaconhealthoptions.com/provider/prv_info.html.

If you have claims with date of service July 1 or after that are not processing correctly, please email <u>marylandproviderrelations@beaconhealthoptions.com</u>.

Please click links below to view updated fee schedules: <u>PMHS Fee Schedule with FY 2019 Rates updated T1017</u> <u>SUD Fee Schedule with FY 2019 Rates - 80305 update</u> <u>1915(i) Fee Schedule effective July 1, 2018</u>

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