



MEMORANDUM

TO: Medicaid Providers

FROM: El Paso Health

DATE: August 1, 2022

RE: **Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women Carve In**

House Bill 133, 87th Legislature, Regular Session, 2021, requires the Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women (CPW) Program be carved-in to Medicaid managed care. CPW services are provided to help Medicaid eligible children and pregnant women to gain access to necessary medical, social, educational, and other services related to a member's condition, health risk or high-risk condition. CPW Case Managers assess a person's need for these services and then develop a service plan to address those needs.

For dates of service on or after September 1, 2022, El Paso Health will be responsible for managing the delivery of CPW services to EPH Medicaid members.

Member Eligibility Requirements

- Be eligible for Texas Medicaid
- Be a pregnant woman who has a high-risk condition or child (0-20 years) who has a health condition or health risk
- Need assistance in accessing necessary medical, social, education and other services related to their health condition, health risk or high-risk condition.
- Want to receive case management services

Provider Referrals for (CPW)

- CPW Provider types include registered nurses and licensed social workers who must be enrolled in Medicaid.
- To refer a Medicaid eligible person to Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women services, providers may utilize the [EPH Case Management form](#)



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Services, Benefits, and Limitations

- Services are limited to one contact per day per person
- Additional provider contacts on the same day are denied as part of another service when rendered on the same day
- Visits completed using synchronous audiovisual technology or synchronous telephone (audio-only) technology should be provided only if agreed to by the client or parent/guardian

Prior Authorization

- All services must be prior authorized using the [Texas Standard Prior Authorization Request Form](#)
- One comprehensive visit is approved for all Medicaid eligible persons
- Follow-up visits are authorized based on contributing factors

Procedure Codes and Modifiers

- Case management for children and pregnant women services must be submitted with procedure code G9012 and the following modifiers:

Service	Required Modifiers
Comprehensive visit (in-person)	U2 and U5
Comprehensive visit (synchronous audiovisual)	U2, U5 and 95
Follow-up visit (in-person)	U5 and TS
Follow-up visit (synchronous audiovisual)	U5, TS and 95
Follow-up visit telephone (audio-only)	Ts and 93

Retrospective Review: Case Management for Children and Pregnant Women services are subject to retrospective review and recoupment if documentation does not support the service billed.

If you have questions regarding this correspondence please contact us at 1-915-532-3778 or toll free at 1-877-532-3778.