

South Carolina Managed Care Program Features, as of 2013

Features	Medical Homes Networks	Non Emergency Medical Transportation	SC PACE	South Carolina Managed Care Organizations
Program type	PCCM	Non-Emergency Medical Transportation	PACE	Comprehensive MCO + any other type
Statewide or region-specific?	Statewide	Statewide	Richland, Orangeburg	Statewide
Federal operating authority	1915(a)	1902(a)(70) NEMT	PACE	1915(a)
Program start date	8/1/2007	5/1/2007	1/1/1990	9/1/1996
Waiver expiration date (if applicable)				
If the program ended in 2013, indicate the end date				
Populations enrolled				
Low-income Adults	Mandatory	Mandatory		Mandatory
Aged, Blind or Disabled Children or Adults	Mandatory	Mandatory	Voluntary	Mandatory
Non-Disabled Children (excluding children in foster care or receiving adoption assistance)	Mandatory	Mandatory		Mandatory
Individuals receiving Limited Benefits		Mandatory		
Low-income adults not otherwise eligible and covered prior to 2014 under a waiver or other authority	Voluntary	Mandatory		
Full Duals	Voluntary	Mandatory	Voluntary	
Partial Duals		Mandatory		
Children with Special Health Care Needs	Voluntary	Mandatory		Voluntary
Native American/Alaskan Natives	Voluntary	Mandatory	Voluntary	Voluntary
Foster Care and Adoption Assistance Children	Voluntary	Mandatory	Exempt	Voluntary
Enrollment choice period	90 days	Recipient chooses to use transportation services based on identifying the need for access to service providers.	N/A	90 days
Enrollment broker name (if applicable)	Maximus			Maximus
Notes on enrollment choice period				

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Benefits covered				
Inpatient hospital physical health			X	X
Inpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)			X	X
Outpatient hospital physical health			X	X
Outpatient hospital behavioral health (MH and/or SUD)			X	X
Partial hospitalization			X	X
Physician			X	X
Nurse practitioner			X	X
Rural health clinics and FQHCs			X	X
Clinic services			X	X
Lab and x-ray			X	X
Prescription drugs and prosthetic devices			X	X
EPSDT			X	X
Case management	X		X	
Health home			X	
Family planning				X
Dental services (medical/surgical)			X	
Dental (preventative or corrective)			X	
Home health agency services			X	X
Personal care (state plan option)				
HCBS waiver services			X	
Private duty nursing			X	
ICF-IDD				
Nursing facility services			X	X
Hospice care				
Non-Emergency Medical Transportation		X		X
Other (e.g., nurse midwife services, freestanding birth centers, podiatry, etc.)				Nurse Midwife, Birth Centers, Chiropractic Services, Therapy services (e.g. speech, hearing, language, etc.), vision services

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Quality assurance and improvement				
HEDIS data required?	Yes	No	No	Yes
CAHPS data required?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Accreditation required?	No	No	No	Yes
Accrediting organization				NCQA
EQRO contractor name (if applicable)				The Carolina Center for Medical Excellence
Performance incentives?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Payment bonuses/differentials to reward MCOs	X	X		X
Preferential auto-enrollment to reward MCOs	X			X
Public reports comparing MCO performance on key metrics	X	X		X
Withholds tied to performance metrics				X
Participating plans and regions served				
Plans in Program	South Carolina Solutions; Carolina Medical Homes; Palmetto Physician Connections	Logisticare	Palmetto Senior Care; The Oaks	Absolute Total Care; BlueChoice HealthPlan Medicaid; Select Health of South Carolina; United HealthCare of South Carolina
Notes				
Program notes	Most of the program ended at the end of December 2013. There is a small program still in existence for children with complex medical needs that still continues to operate. Otherwise all members transitioned to the fully capitated managed care program.			