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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: 23-0017

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
601 E. 12th St., Room 355
Kansas City, Missouri 64106



Medicaid and CHIP Operations Group

September 20, 2023

Mr. Todd Richardson
Director
MO HealthNet Division
Missouri Department of Social Services
P.O. Box 6500
Jefferson City, MO 65102-6500

Re: Missouri State Plan Amendment (SPA) 23-0017


Dear Mr. Richardson:

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) reviewed your Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) submitted under transmittal number (TN) 23-0017. This amendment allows Licensed Psychologists, Licensed Behavior Analysts, and Licensed Assistant Behavioral Analysts that work in states that border Missouri to provide Applied Behavioral Analysis services to Missouri Medicaid participants. It also updates the amount of professional liability insurance providers must obtain, and requires that providers must not have overpayments.

We conducted our review of your submittal according to statutory requirements in Title XIX of the Social Security Act and implementing regulations 42 CFR 441 Subpart B. This letter is to inform you that Missouri Medicaid SPA 23-0017 was approved on September 19, 2023, with an effective date of April 1, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact Michala Walker at 816-426-6503 or via email at Michala.Walker@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,



Ruth A Hughes, Acting Director
Division of Program Operations

Enclosures

cc: Glenda Kremer
Marissa Crump
Eric Martin
Nanci Nikodym


TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES	1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER <u>2 3 — 0 0 1 7</u>	2. STATE <u>MO</u>
	3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT <input checked="" type="radio"/> XIX <input type="radio"/> XXI	
TO: CENTER DIRECTOR CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE <u>April 1, 2023</u>	
5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION <u>42 CFR 441, Subpart B</u>	6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars) a FFY <u>23</u> \$ <u>118,920</u> b FFY <u>24</u> \$ <u>237,840</u>	
7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT 3.1-A page 10gj * 3.1-A page 10gk *	8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable) 3.1 A-page 10gj transmittal number 15-03 * 3.1 A-page 10gk transmittal number 12-03 15-03*	

9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT

The purpose of SPA 23-0017 is to allow Licensed Psychologists, Licensed Behavior Analysts, and Licensed Assistant Behavior Analysts that work in states that border Missouri to provide Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) services to Missouri Medicaid participants. MO HealthNet Division (MHD) has also updated the amount of professional liability insurance providers must obtain to provide these services to MHD participants and has added the requirement that providers must not have overpayments due to MHD as a provider qualification.

10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)

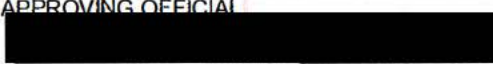
- GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT SLV OTHER, ASSPECIFIED:
 COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED
 NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

11. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL 	15. RETURN TO
12. TYPED NAME Robert J. Knodell	
13. TITLE Director	
14. DATE SUBMITTED <u>6-30-23</u>	

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16. DATE RECEIVED <u>June 30, 2023</u>	17. DATE APPROVED <u>September 19, 2023</u>
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PLAN APPROVED - ONE COPY ATTACHED

18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL <u>April 1, 2023</u>	19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL 
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL <u>Ruth A. Hughes</u>	21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL <u>Acting Director, Division of Program Operations</u>

22. REMARKS

On 9/20/23 State gave permission for Pen & Ink changes to Box #7 and 8.

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b. Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment Services (cont)Certified Diabetes Educator, Registered Dietician, Registered Pharmacist Diabetic Education Services

Two subsequent visits will be reimbursed each 12 months when prescribed by a physician or a health care professional with prescribing authority. Limits will be exceeded if determined that additional services are medically necessary. Documentation of medically appropriate diabetes self-management education services will include:

- Any significant change in the patient's symptoms, condition or treatment; or
- Need for re-education or refresher training.

The RD will provide medical nutrition therapy and diet education.

The RPH will provide comprehensive instruction in the pathophysiology of diabetes and the acute and long-term complications of diabetes. The RPH will also teach current approaches to the medical management of diabetes with special emphasis on nutritional interventions and pharmacologic therapies.

6.d Other Licensed Practitioners' (cont.)Licensed Behavior Analysts

Licensed Behavior Analysts are able to furnish services within the scope of their practice as defined by State Law.

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6.d Other Licensed Practitioners' (cont.)

Licensed Psychologists

Licensed Psychologists are able to furnish services within the scope of their practice as defined by State Law.

Licensed Assistant Behavior Analysts

Licensed Assistant Behavior Analysts, supervised by a Licensed Behavior Analyst, are able to furnish services within the scope of their practice as defined by State Law.

Registered Behavior Technicians (RBT™)

Registered Behavior Technicians (RBT), supervised by licensed practitioners, are able to furnish services within the scope of their practice as defined by State Law.