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## Revised: Responsibilities for Behavioral Health Treatment Coverage for Members Under 21 APL 23-010

This is an advisory notification to Molina Healthcare of California (MHC) network providers applicable to the Medi-Cal line of business.

This notification is based on All-Plan Letter (APL) 23-010, which can be found in full on the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) website at:

<https://www.dhcs.ca.gov/formsandpubs/Documents/MMCDAPLsandPolicyLetters/APL2023/APL23-010.pdf>.

### What you need to know:

In accordance with federal Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT) requirements, Medi-Cal provides coverage to eligible beneficiaries under 21 years of age for all Medically Necessary Behavioral Health Treatment (BHT) services when they are covered under Medicaid, regardless of whether California's Medicaid State Plan covers such services for adults.

The revised APL 23-010 affirms that MHC is responsible for providing Medically Necessary BHT services covered under Medicaid to Members. MHC is not responsible for specific services that are carved out of the Managed Care Plan (MCP) contract to separate entities.

MHC will coordinate with other entities and cover any gaps in Medically Necessary Medicaid-covered BHT services to ensure that EPSDT Members receive the appropriate care pursuant to APL 23-010.

## Provider Action

For more information on APL 23-010, please refer to the Provider Bulletin distributed on June 12, 2023, on the MHC Medi-Cal website at: <https://pwssc-cm.molinahealthcare.com/-/media/Molina/PublicWebsite/PDF/Providers/ca/Medicaid/JTF-06-12-2023-Responsibilities-For-Behavioral-Health-Treatment-Coverage-APL-23-010-IM-IE-LA-SAC-SD.pdf>.



## **What if you need assistance?**

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