



PROVIDER ALERT

New Fee Schedules for Behavioral Health and Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Providers – Effective July 1, 2024

June 7, 2024

Target Audience: All Behavioral Health Providers

Effective July 1, 2024, Maryland Medicaid will increase certain Behavioral Health provider rates. Community-based behavioral health providers will receive a 3% rate increase.

Optum Maryland is implementing the 3% rate updates for Behavioral Health and Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) providers for dates of service July 1, 2024, and forward.

Please note:

- E&M codes and labs are separately managed under Medicare rules and are updated based on the CMS rate changes.
- Specific buprenorphine products' rates are adjusted to align with current National Average Drug Acquisition Cost (NADAC) rates.

The new fee schedules are posted to the [Optum Maryland website](#), and listed below. Click each item to view the full document:

[ABA Fee Schedule](#)

[1915i Fee Schedule](#)

[PRP Billing Cascade](#)

[SUD Fee Schedule](#)

[Individual Practitioner and OMHC Rates](#)

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[PRP and Specialty Programs Rates](#)

[Behavioral Health Crisis \(Effective 7/1/24\)](#)

[Behavioral Health Crisis \(Effective 6/1/24\)](#)

Thank you,

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