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Topic: Developmental Disabilities

Transmitting (check the box that best applies):

- New policy
 Policy change
 Policy clarification
 Executive letter
 Administrative Rule
 Manual update
 Other:

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> All DHS employees | <input type="checkbox"/> County Mental Health Directors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aging and People with Disabilities | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Office of Developmental Disabilities Services(ODDS) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Self Sufficiency Programs | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Intensive In Home Services |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ODDS Children's Residential Services | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (<i>please specify</i>): Brokerage Directors; |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Welfare Programs | Service Coordinators Personal Agents |

Policy/rule title:	eXPRS Modifiers for Professional Behavior Services		
Policy/rule number(s):		Release no:	
Effective date:	March 1, 2018	Expiration:	
References:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OAR 411-304 Professional Behavior Services • http://apps.state.or.us/exprsDocs/ProviderClaimModifierCodes.pdf 		
Web address:			

Discussion/Interpretation:

For individuals receiving services in their own home or a foster care setting or enrolled in Service Elements (SE) 49; 149; 145; 150; 151; 158; 258.

Beginning March 1, 2018, ODDS will require modifiers to be used when authorizing OR570, to identify if the individual resides in a standard or underserved county. If Professional Behavior Services are included or added to any ISP on or after March 1, 2018, Professional Behavior Services must be entered into Plan of Care with the appropriate modifier.

The modifiers are:

- 'RU' to identify an "underserved" county
- 'ST' to identify a "standard" county

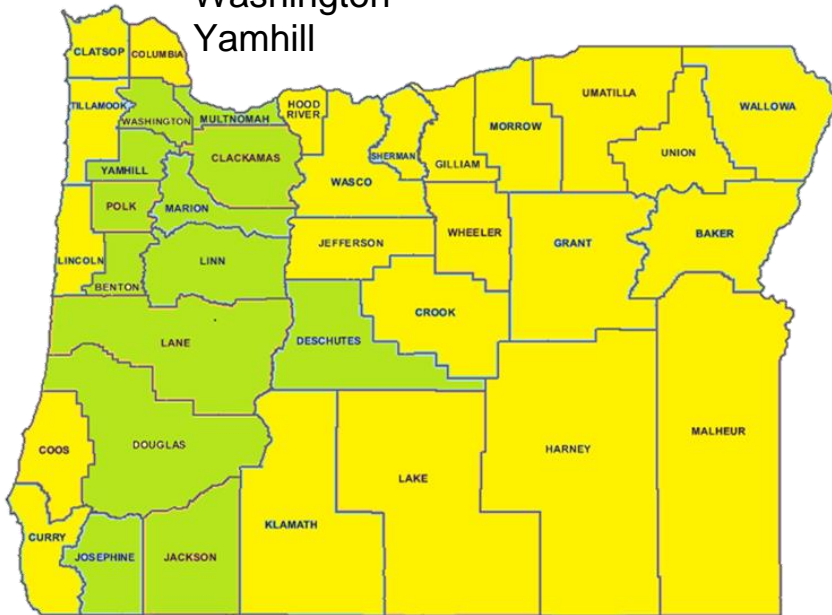
ODDS identified that some counties in Oregon do not have a Behavior Professional working within the county. Behavior Professionals must travel to provide the individuals residing in these counties with Professional Behavior Services often making it difficult for the individual to receive the service. These counties are considered "underserved".

OR570-ST and OR310-ST

Benton
Clackamas
Deschutes
Douglas
Jackson
Josephine
Lane
Linn
Marion
Multnomah
Polk
Washington
Yamhill

OR570-RU and OR310RU

Baker
Clatsop
Columbia
Coos
Crook
Curry
Gilliam
Grant
Harney
Hood River
Jefferson
Klamath
Lake
Lincoln
Malheur
Morrow
Sherman
Tillamook
Umatilla
Union
Wallowa
Wasco
Wheeler



Procedure code OR570 is selected to authorize a Temporary Emergency Safety Plan, Functional Behavior Assessment and Positive Behavior Support Plan. The code is described as *Behavior Consultation, Assessment and Training for DD*.

Procedure code OR 310 should be selected to authorize the maintenance of a Positive Behavior Support Plan. The ISP describes this code as *Behavior Support Services*.

Reason for policy change: Modifiers will help inform our demographics as well as the rate setting process.

Training/Communication Plan: Managers will ensure the information contained within this Policy Transmittal is provided to all Service Coordinators and Personal Agents.

Local/Branch Action Required: When a Service Coordinator or Personal Agent authorizes Professional Behavior Services in an Individuals' Service Plan (ISP) they will also open a Plan Line in eXPRS using the correct modifier to identify the type of county in which the individual resides.

Central Office Action Required: n/a

Field/Stakeholder Review: Yes No

Filing Instructions: n/a

If you have any questions about this policy, contact:

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