

Public notice

Notice of intent – OHA will amend the Medicaid State Plan to allow retroactive enrollment of providers.

Date: May 15, 2025

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Comments due: 5 p.m. Friday, June 13, 2025

Oregon Health Authority (OHA) intends to submit a State Plan Amendment (SPA) to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). The SPA will amend the Medicaid State Plan to allow retroactive enrollment of eligible providers.

There is no estimated cost to make this change as it does not change reimbursement methods or add services.

Background

During a January 2025 Technical Advisory Group webinar, CMS advised states to add retroactive enrollment of providers to their state plan. This technical correction does not change current provider enrollment processes.

Obtaining SPA language

Page 2 shows edits to existing State Plan language in the proposed SPA. You can also view the full State Plan, approved SPAs and proposed SPAs on [the OHA website](#).

How to comment:

OHA welcomes public review and input. Please send written comments by 5 p.m. Friday, June 13, 2025, to jesse.anderson@oha.oregon.gov.

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State/Territory: OREGON

SECTION 4 –GENERAL PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

Citation(s)

42 CFR 455.450

SCREENING LEVELS FOR MEDICAID PROVIDERS

Assures that the State Medicaid agency complies with 1902(a)(77) and 1902(kk) of the Act and with the requirements outlined in 42 CFR 455.450 for screening levels based upon the categorical risk level determined for a provider.

42 CFR 455.460

APPLICATION FEE

Assures that the State Medicaid agency complies with the requirements for collection of the application fee set forth in section 1866(J)(2)(C) of the Act and 42 CFR 455.460.

42 CFR 455.470

TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON ENROLLMENT OF NEW PROVIDERS OR SUPPLIERS

Assures that the State Medicaid agency complies with any temporary moratorium on the enrollment of new providers or provider types imposed by the Secretary under section 1866(j)(7) and 1902(kk)(4) of the Act, subject to any determination by the State and written notice to the Secretary that such a temporary moratorium would not adversely impact beneficiaries' access to medical assistance.

RETROACTIVE ENROLLMENT

Assures that the State Medicaid agency allows retroactive enrollment of providers when, provider has passed all screenings and any required licensures is in place.