

**To:** AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

**Date:** January 24, 2022

**Subject:** Revision of the Specialized Behavioral Health Fee Schedule

**Summary:** The Specialized Behavioral Health (SBH) fee schedule was revised to add new services.

The SBH Fee Schedule was revised on **January 14, 2022**, and is posted to the [Louisiana Medicaid website](#).

Please note the following changes:

- Individual Placement and Support (IPS) and Personal Care Services (PCS) have a new effective date of **February 21, 2022**.
- Behavioral Health Crisis Care services have a new effective date of **April 1, 2022**.

As indicated on the revised SBH fee schedule, age and degree level modifiers may be added to claims from Federally Qualified Health Centers or Rural Health Centers; however, these modifiers are not applicable for these provider types, as reimbursement is received for encounter codes and adjunct codes only.

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana is currently updating our claims system, which will be completed no later than **February 18, 2022**.

**Questions:** Thank you for your continued support and commitment to the care of our members. If you have questions about this communication, please contact AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Provider Services at 1-888-922-0007 or your [Provider Network Management Account Executive](#).

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