

# PROVIDERALERT



**To:** AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

**Date:** September 30, 2022

**Subject:** Reminder: March of Dimes Breaking Through Bias™ in Maternity Care Provider Training

**Summary:** AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana has partnered with the March of Dimes® to offer *Dismantling Bias in Maternal and Infant Healthcare™* provider training.

In alignment with our mission and our commitment to advancing health equity, AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana has partnered with the March of Dimes® to offer a unique learning opportunity: *Dismantling Bias in Maternal and Infant Healthcare™*. AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana is pleased to offer this provider training at no cost to participating providers.

The training will include state specific data; learning outcomes will highlight:

- Overview of implicit bias and personal assessment.
- Understand and be able to identify implicit bias, the cognitive basis that informs bias, and its impact on maternity care setting.
- Historical overview of structural racism in the U.S.
- Application strategies to mitigate racial bias in maternity care, such as the CARES Framework™ and the practice of cultural humility.
- Strategies to build a culture of equity within an organization.

Providers will have the option to select from a virtual, instructor led- training, facilitated by March of Dimes®, or self-paced e-learning. The virtual, live instructor- led training will be hosted on **Friday, October 5th**. Please register in advance for this session at:

<https://marchofdimes.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEscO2trjorG9Fgts2J2LKPpbwbroDaMW2->

For full details, please visit [Provider Alert – March of Dimes training: Dismantling Bias in Maternal and Infant Healthcare offered October 5](#)

**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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**Where can I find more information on COVID-19?**

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana has updated its website to streamline communications and important notifications about COVID-19. Please visit <http://amerihealthcaritasla.com/covid-19> for up-to-date information for both providers and members, including frequently asked questions, and important provider alerts from AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana and the Louisiana Department of Health.