

Provider Notice

To: Tuscarora Managed Care Alliance Providers
From: PerformCare
Date: May 17, 2021
Subject: Alternative Payment Arrangement Notification Updates

TMCA and PerformCare have reviewed utilization data and continued to meet with APA providers to assess utilization, service delivery patterns and trends. Based on that information TMCA and PerformCare are providing this APA update.

TMCA and PerformCare agreed to extend the current APA through 9/30/21 for the following services:

- Intensive Behavioral Health Supports
- Non-Hospital Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation Gap Payments
- TMCA and PerformCare will continue to have individual discussions with these APA providers on an as needed basis to determine the APA necessity and future planning including modification or ceasing the APA. Providers who choose to continue participate in the APA continue to be required to comply with the APA eligibility conditions stated in your Service Plan Approval Letter.
- During the Individual Provider meetings, providers are being given the option of continuation of the APA through 9/30/21. Participation in the APA is voluntary.

TMCA and PerformCare will discontinue the current APA effective 6/30/21 for the following services:

- Peer Support
- MH Inpatient Gap payments
- Family Based Mental Health Services
- Targeted Case Management
- Psychiatric Partial Hospitalization

If a provider encounters or believes that there are extenuating circumstances due to COVID 19 which necessitates the continuance of an APA, they can contact PerformCare to schedule a meeting to discuss their issues. TMCA and PerformCare will consider these requests on a case by case basis.

There is no reconciliation associated with this APA.

TMCA/PerformCare encourages our Provider Network to reach out to PerformCare or TMCA to discuss any concern related to the APA arrangements. Problem resolution with our provider partners at a local level is a customer service value of our program.

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