

## **Early intervention services amendment effective August 1, 2017**

In support of the new Anthem HealthKeepers Plus, Commonwealth Coordinated Care Plus (Anthem CCC Plus) program being implemented by HealthKeepers, Inc. later this year for managed long-term services and supports, the *Medicaid Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) Fee Schedule* for Anthem CCC Plus members receiving early intervention services will receive a rate adjustment effective August 1, 2017.

Covered early intervention services, which are the responsibility of the HMO, will be reimbursed at 100% of the provider's current, applicable *Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services (DMAS) Fee Schedule*. All other services will continue to be paid at your contracted per diem rates.

These changes are made in accordance with *Paragraph 7.1 — Regulatory Amendment* of your *Virginia HMO Medicaid Participation Attachment* to the *Blue Cross and Blue Shield Provider Agreement* that states: “Notwithstanding the Amendment provision in the Agreement, this Attachment shall be automatically modified to conform to required changes to Regulatory Requirements related to Medicaid Programs without the necessity of executing written amendments.”

Note, no action is required by you. Your *Plan Compensation Schedule Attachment* is automatically being updated to include this rate adjustment for Anthem CCC Plus members.

The information in this bulletin may be an update or change to your provider manual. Find the most current manual at:

**<https://mediproviders.anthem.com/va>**

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