PROVIDER**ALERT**



To: AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

Date: July 15, 2022

Subject: Claim Adjustment Reason Code (CARC) and Remittance Advice Remark Code (RARC) Updates

Summary: CARC and RARC codes have been updated to become compliant with Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) guidelines.

During a recent audit with CMS, it was identified that some CARC codes were mapped inappropriately with informational RARC codes. As a result, all of the CARC codes have been reviewed to ensure correct mapping with valid RARC codes.

The file entitled "CARC/RARC Code Updates effective August 15, 2022" reflects the original mapping of codes and the new mappings of codes, and is available on our website: <u>https://www.amerihealthcaritasla.com/provider/billing/index.aspx</u>

As referenced above, all codes have been updated to be in line with CMS guidelines and will become effective **August 15, 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 <u>Provider Network Management Account Executive</u>.

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Need to update your provider information? Send full details to <u>network@amerihealthcaritasla.com</u>.

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 <u>http://amerihealthcaritasla.com/covid-19</u> 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.