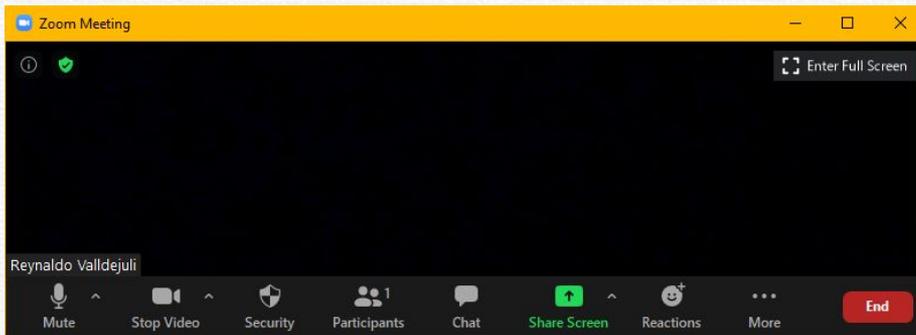


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- Please make sure you have turned off your camera to save bandwidth and prevent any connectivity issues.
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- Please submit questions during the presentation in the “Chat” function located on the bottom of your screen.



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VISION for **SUCCESS**

School-Based Medicaid Monthly Call
March 21, 2023

Objectives

- Provide new information from LDH or CMS.
- Provide platform for review of current rules.
- Provide resources on increasing efficiency of claiming.
- Discuss guidance on implementation of school Medicaid procedures.
- Provide technical assistance regarding documentation of service to school health providers.
- Avenue for school Medicaid coordinators to ask questions around Medicaid claiming and procedures.



School Health Service Provider Podcasts

The February 27 [episode](#) of the Teacher Leader Lagniappe podcast featured Dawn Sonnier, LOTR, CAPS and Camelita Alexander, LPC, Louisiana's 2022 School Health Service Provider finalists. Learn about their educational careers and what motivates them to continue to make an impact on students, teachers, and parents.



LDH Audit

- Student privacy laws
- Timely response
- Provide copy of official IEP
- Accessing IEP's not under jurisdiction
- If you have specific questions regarding your monitoring process please contact: Angelle Johnson at akjohnson@pncpa.com or Anissa Ned-Young at Anissa.Young-Ned@la.gov



Accessing Out of District IEP for Audit Documentation

Access to IEP jurisdiction once moved in state and out of state

- a. In state transfers: Work with the LEA where student currently resides
- b. Out of state: Reclaim jurisdiction and then exit

Contact elizabeth.duncan@la.gov with questions.



Random Moment Time Study

- New drop down answers are available for each provider pool:
 - [Therapy drop down answers](#)
 - [Nursing drop down answers](#)
 - [Behavioral health drop down answers](#)
- Providers should be reminded that no student personal identifiable information should be shared in the time study answer.

Please contact elizabeth.duncan@la.gov with questions.



Information from LDH about Service Provider Enrollment

- Claims will be paid through June 30, 2023 for providers listed as Ordering, Prescribing, Referring (OPR) even if they have not enrolled.
- The NPI number of the OPR should be listed on all submitted claims.
- LDH is currently working on any service provider enrollment instructions. More information should be available in the next few weeks on the service provider enrollment process.

Contact andrea.perry@la.gov with questions.





Role of School Health Provider - Nursing



Role of the School Nurse

- Addresses day-to day student health needs and emergency health needs.
- Dedicated to promoting the physical, social, and emotional well-being of students to reduce absenteeism and barriers to learning.



Specific Nursing Duties

- Management of chronic and acute health conditions
- Supervision and assistance with medication administration and health procedures
- Management of chronic and acute health conditions
- Nursing assessments
- Referral and follow-up for suspected or confirmed health problems
- Individualized Health Plan (IHP) development
- Immunization monitoring
- Vision and hearing screenings
- First Aid and emergency health services
- Communicable disease prevention and intervention
- Emergency and disaster preparedness
- Health counseling and education
- Health record maintenance

Nursing - Claiming

Student must :

- be Medicaid eligible when services are provided.
- have a Medicaid Parental Consent form on file, signed by parent or guardian.

Provider (school nurse) must:

- Maintain an active R.N. license
- Comply with the Nursing Practice Act by only providing services within the scope of nursing practice

Nurses claim for Medication administration, implementation of physician orders, nursing assessments and screenings.



For more information on nursing:
[School Based Nursing Services
Handbook](#)

Role of the Physical Therapist in Education Environment

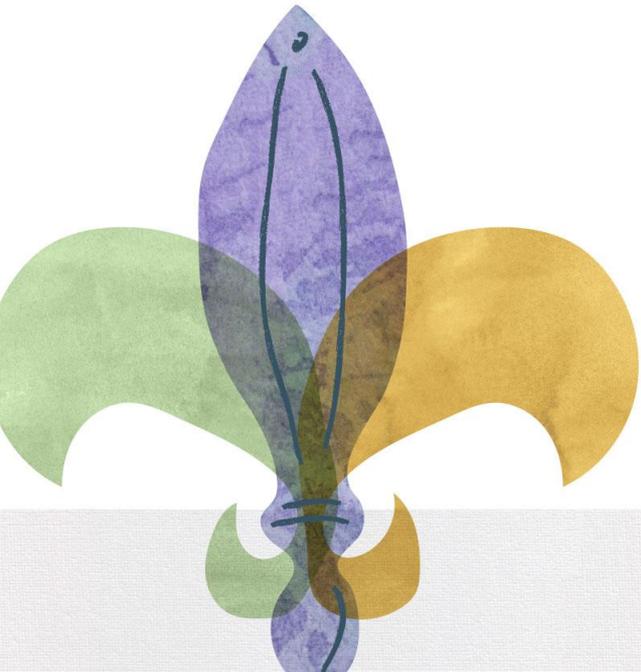
Physical therapist work with students and school teams to allow students to access and participate in their education through assisting with:

- Safe campus mobility.
- Maximizing independence in the classroom and on campus.
- Safe transportation.



Physical Therapy - Medicaid Claiming

- PT evaluation
- PT Re-evaluation
- Physical therapy services authorized by written plan of care



**For more information on physical
therapy in schools
[OT and PT in Louisiana Schools](#)**

Closing LEA's

LEAs that Terminate Business

- Notify Gainwell Technologies Provider Relations at 1-800-473-2783 or 225-924-5040 and ask to speak to a Provider Relations Field Representative.
- Notify LDH: Anissa.Young-Ned@la.gov ; 225-342-6885 or Afolasade.Shobamowo@la.gov
- Provide LDH/Rate Setting and Audit with instructions as to the final disposition of cost settlements.



Charter Schools

Charter LEAs that transfer to new Charter Management Companies or name changes

- LEAs must notify the state of Louisiana Medicaid fiscal intermediary/Gainwell and LDH, immediately.
- [Provider Enrollment File Update Form](#)
- [Link/Unlink and Working Relationship Form](#)
- Notify LDH: Anissa.Young-Ned@la.gov; 225-342-6885 or Afolasade.Shobamowo@la.gov



Updating LDH School Medicaid Contacts

Please contact anissa.young-ned@la.gov with any changes.

| LEA | Name | Email Address | Telephone # |
|-----------------------------|------|---------------|-------------|
| SBMP coordinator | | | |
| Business manager | | | |
| Time Study Email Contact | | | |



School-Based Medicaid Monthly Webinar Schedule

Monthly webinars for Medicaid for school based Medicaid coordinators, special education directors and school business managers will be provided on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Coordinators of nursing, behavior health and therapy services are also encouraged to attend.

Next Webinar Date and Time: April 18; 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Webinar Link: <https://ldoe.zoom.us/j/96590694307>

Webinar Phone Number: 1-312-626-6799 or 1-346-248-7799

Meeting ID: 965 9069 4307

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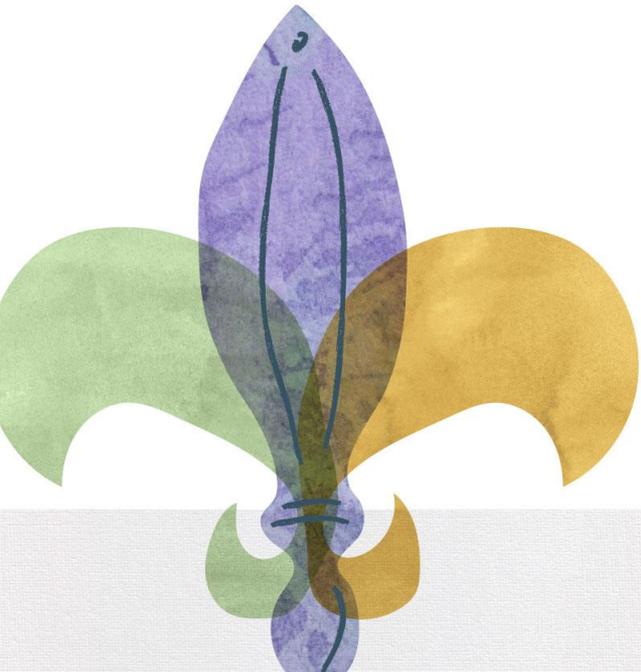
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Monthly Call Resources

- Monthly call presentations are available in the [School System Planning Library](#).
- View the [School System Support Calendar](#) to access a complete schedule of events.





Questions?
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