

Healthy Connections

Healthy Blue 101

Agenda

- Role of Provider Relations and Education
- Your Role as a Participating Provider
- How To Be a Self-Serving Provider
- My Insurance Manager
- My Remit Manager
- Authorizations
- Claim Submissions
- Provider Disputes
- Contacts and Resources





Role of Provider Relations and Education





How We Educate Providers By

- Offering training and support.
- Hosting webinars on various topics.
- Providing newsletters and bulletins on different information.
- Conducting annual workshops that include initiatives for the upcoming benefit year.





Your Role as a Participating Provider





Responsibilities of Participating Providers

- Filing all claims for applicable members.
- Accepting Healthy Blue's payment plus any patient liability as full reimbursement.
- Cooperating fully with the utilization review procedures.
- Using other preferred providers for a member's care unless medically necessary services, supplies or equipment are not available from a preferred provider, or in cases of medical emergency.
- Being culturally competent provider which includes providing interpreter services.





Helpful Tips

- Always ask for the member's current identification (ID) card at each visit.
- Always verify eligibility and benefits before rendering services.
- Check the member's cost-sharing before processing payment.
- Submit all claims with the complete ID number, including the prefix.
- Submit other payer liability details with the claims when applicable.





Being a Self-Serving Provider



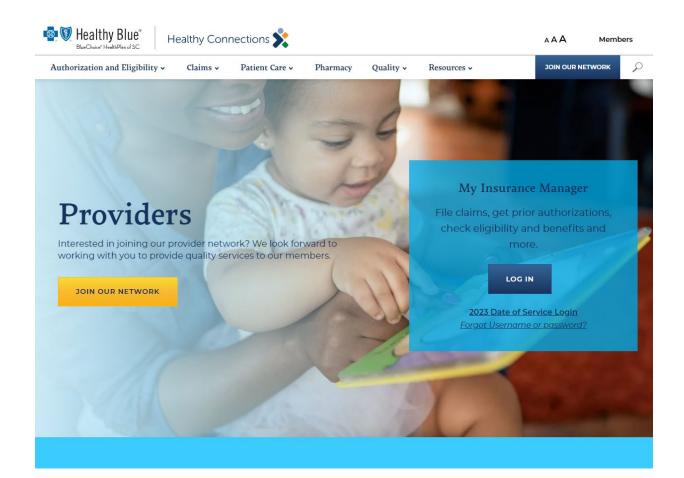


Healthy Blue Website

www.HealthyBlueSC.com

includes:

- Authorization and Eligibility
- Claims
- Patient Care
- Pharmacy
- Quality
- Resources



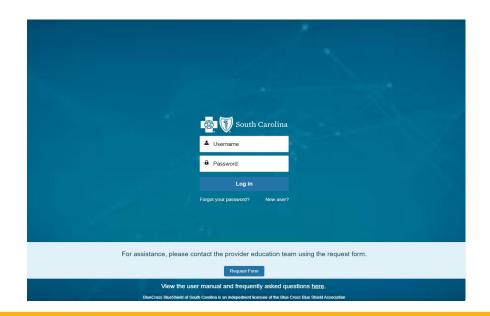




My Provider Enrollment Portal (パッ Provider くらう Enrollment Portal



- My Provider Enrollment Portal
 - Used for all provider enrollment process to include demographics, credentialing and more —
 - For participation in the Healthy Blue network, you must have your Medicaid ID number







My Insurance Manager

This is a web-based tool that gives providers quick and easy access to patient information.

You can log into MIM to:

- Get eligibility and benefits.
- Submit claim submissions.
- Access claims status.
- Request prior authorizations.
- And much more.

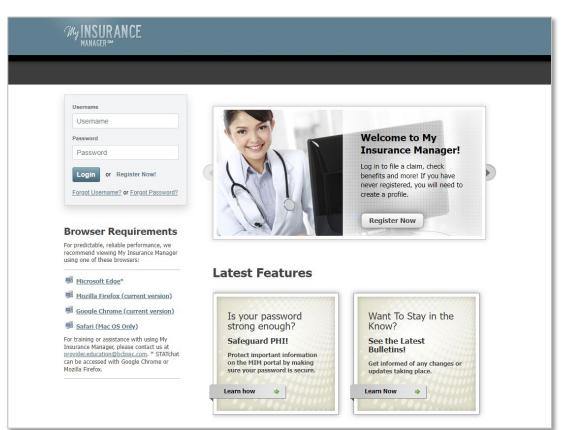




My Insurance Manager

Available Guides Include

- Getting Started
- Eligibility and Benefits
- Claims Entry
- Claims Status, Patient Directory, Superbill Maintenance and Coordination of Benefits
- Precertification
- Office Administration
- Provider Validation: MD Checkup User Guide







My Remit Manager

Web-based tool used to track payments and pull electronic remittance advices.

Use My Remit Manager to:

- View electronic remittance advices
- View information categorized by check number or patient
- Print individual remittances by patient or group

Not an enrolled provider with Healthy Blue? Begin the <u>enrollment process</u> today.





My Remit Manager

Options include:

- Sort and view checks by the check date or posting date
- Select the Adobe icon to view the Remit
- Select the check number to view
 - Members associated with the check
 - Date of service
 - Processed status (paid or denied)
 - Amount billed and paid

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	My Remit Manager						
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Welcome to My Remit	Manager.						
With this system providers can easily manage their electronic payments and retrieve ERA and EOB reports. With the Version 7 introduction of the My Remit Manager our providers will enjoy the addition of many features and enhancements to better assist their billing management needs.							





Authorizations





Authorizations — Medical Services

Healthy Blue requires prior authorization for certain procedures and durable medical equipment. This process allows us to check ahead of time whether services meet criteria for coverage by a member's health plan.

Methods:

- Call Provider Service at 866-757-8286.
- Use My Insurance Manager.
- Use the <u>Medical Forms Resource Center</u>.





Authorizations — Behavioral Health Services

Healthy Blue requires prior authorization for certain mental health and substance use disorders.

Methods:

- Call Companion Benefit Alternatives at 800-868-1032.
- Fax to 803-870-6506.
- Use My Insurance Manager.
- Use the Forms Resource Center.





Claim Submissions





Claim Submissions

Timely filing for both electronic and paper claims submission is 365 days for original and corrected claims.

To submit claims, you can:

- Use My Insurance Manager[™].
- Submit through your clearinghouse.
- Submit hard copy by mail to:
 - Healthy Blue P.O. Box 100317 Columbia, SC 29202-3317.

Reminder: The payer ID for Healthy Blue is 00403.





Provider Disputes





Provider Disputes

Must be submitted within 90 calendar days of the date of the Explanation of Payment.

Common reasons for submitting a provider dispute includes but not limited to:

- Contractual payment issues
- Disagreements over reduced or zero-paid claims
- Post-service authorization issues
- Other health insurance denial issues
- Timely filing issues





Provider Disputes

Healthy Blue requires the following information when submitting a provider dispute:

- Your name, address, phone number, email, and either your NPI or TIN
- The member's name and Healthy Blue Medicaid ID number
- A listing of disputed claims, including the Healthy Blue claim number and the date(s) of service(s)
- All supporting statements and documentation





Submitting Provider Disputes

Options include:

- Email: <u>ProviderService@HealthyBlueSC.com</u>
- Call: Provider Service at 866-757-8286
- Mail: Healthy Blue

Provider Dispute Unit Mail Code: AX-570 P.O. Box 100317 Columbia, SC 29202-3317

• Visit: In person at:

Healthy Blue 4101 Percival Road Columbia, SC 29229

Providers>Claims>Provider Disputes





Contacts and Resources





Provider Service

Phone: 866-757-8286 or TTY: 866-773-9634 Fax: 803-870-6511 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

Disease Management (DM) Department

Phone: 866-757-8286 or TTY: 866-773-9634 Fax: 803-870-6502 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

Utilization Management (UM) Department

Phone: 866-757-8286 or TTY: 866-773-9634 Fax: 803-870-6500 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

24/7 Nurse line Phone: 800-830-1525

Vision Service Plan* (VSP)

Phone: 800-615-1883 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST Saturday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. EST Sunday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. EST Website: <u>www.vsp.com</u>

Case Management (CM) Department

Phone: 866-757-8286 or TTY: 866-773-9634 Fax: 803-870-6501 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

Behavioral Health

Phone: 800-868-1032 Fax: 803-870-6506 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST

Evolent*

Phone: 888-642-9181 Hours: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. EST Website: <u>www.RadMD.com</u>

* These are independent companies that manage services on behalf of BlueChoice HealthPlan.





CarelonRx — **Prior Authorizations**

Retail

Phone: 844-410-6890 Fax: 844-512-9005 Hours: Monday- Friday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. EST Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. EST

Home Delivery/Mail Order

Phone (24/7): 833-203-1737 Fax: 800-207-3118

Medical Injectables

Phone: 833-988-1264 Fax: 844-512-7027 Hours: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. EST **Specialty Pharmacy** Phone (24/7): 833-255-0646 Fax: 833-263-2871

Novologix – Prior Authorizations

Phone: 844-345-2803 Fax: 866-494-9927 Hours: Monday- Friday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. EST

Avalon Healthcare Solutions

Phone: 844-227-5769 Fax: 813-751-3760 Website: <u>PAS Portal</u>





BlueBlast

A monthly newsletter that includes:

- Important health plan updates.
- Healthy Connections updates.
- Announcements.
- Billing and claims information.
- And much more!
- Visit <u>www.HealthyBlueSC.com</u> to sign up.

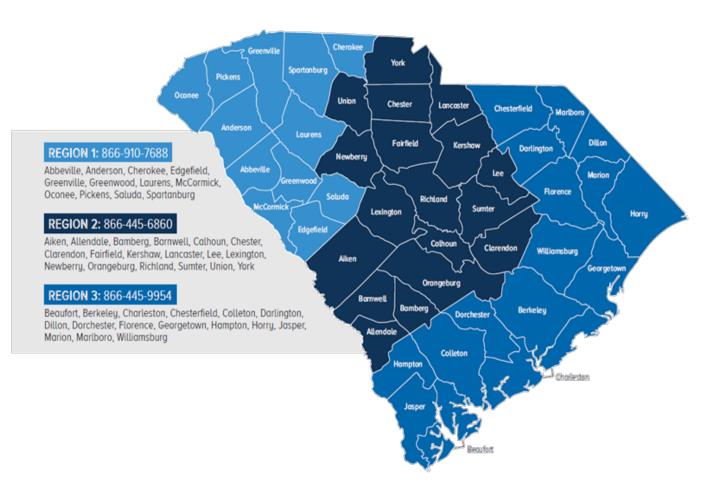






Modivcare

- Service line available Monday Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., EST
- Call at least three business days
 before the appointment
- Read more information online.



Modivcare is an independent company providing transportation services on behalf of BlueChoice® HealthPlan.





Healthy Blue Benefit Manuals

- Visit <u>www.scdhhs.gov/provider-manual-list</u> *
 - Manuals are listed by service type.
 - Includes general information, billing details, claims filing information and much more.

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Example of a Benefit Manual

MEMBERS PROVIDERS APPLY FOR MEDICAID

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HOME / PROVIDERS / PROVIDER MANUAL LIST

Provider Manual List

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) reorganized its Medicaid provider manuals July 1, 2019. Beginning July 1, 2019, general administrative and billing information was consolidated into the <u>Provider Administrative and Billing Manual</u> while provider type-specific guidance and information remained in individual provider manuals.

SCDHHS' individual provider manuals and other resources that are specific to that provider type are available by clicking on the provider type below. Resources that are applicable to multiple provider types are available via the links below and also here:

- Provider Administrative and Billing Manual
- <u>Copayment Schedule</u>
- Appendices
 - Appendix 1: Edit Code Descriptions and Resolutions
- <u>Appendix 2: Carrier Codes</u>
- <u>Third Party Liability Supplement</u>
- <u>Managed Care Supplement</u>

Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Services Manual Ambulance Services Provider Manual Clinic Services Manual

Healthy Connections MEDICAID

PROVIDER ADMINISTRATIVE AND BILLING MANUAL

APRIL 29, 2024

South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services





Verifying Covered Services

- Visit <u>www.scdhhs.gov/resource/fee-schedules</u> *
 - Information is listed by provider specialty.
 - If the code is on the SCDHHS fee schedule, it is covered.
 - Medicaid Manage Care Organization plans are required to offer at a minimum, the same benefits as Healthy Connections Fee for Service.

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Example of Fee Schedule

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		Managed Care		14	A2023	0	\$0.00		########	
		Revalidation		15	A2025	0	\$205.00		1/1/2024	
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Audiology Fee Schedule		Contact a Provider Representative		17	A4264	0	\$1,674.00		7/1/2012	
		Provider Appeals		18	A9513	0	\$0.01		1/1/2022	
Advanced Practice Providers Fee Schedules	+			19	A9552	0	\$250.00	\$0.00	2/1/2007	
Advanced Practice Providers Fee Schedules		All Patient Refined Diagnosis Related Groups (APR-DRGs)		20	A9573	0	\$10.87		########	
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Healthy Blue Territory Map

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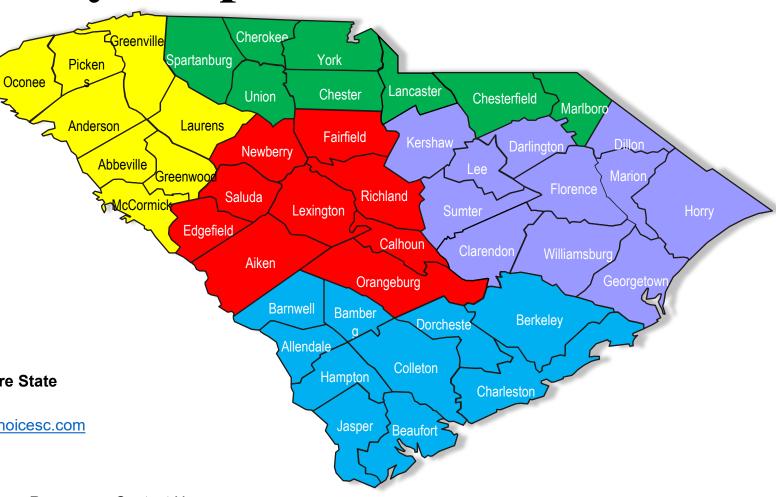
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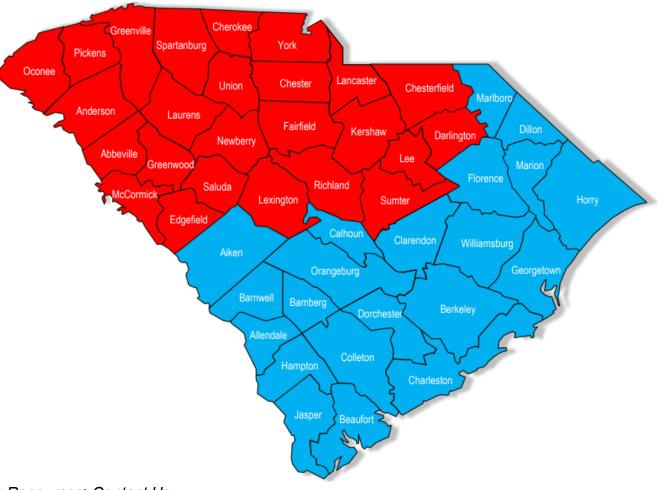
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Behavioral Territory Map



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