

eMedicaid

- Lets you apply online to become a Medicaid Provider and responds immediately to your application.
- Provides online registration and allows access to eMedicaid services from anywhere, anytime.
- Gives you a fast, easy way to verify a Medicaid recipient's eligibility, which is required before you render services. Web-based Recipient Eligibility Verification validates current dates of service and past eligibility up to one year. eMedicaid will indicate if the recipient is enrolled with a Managed Care Organization (MCO) or has third party insurance.
- Allows multiple users from the same office to access Medicaid payment information. With turnover, vacations, and sick leave, it's nice to be able to cross-train your staff.
- Gives you immediate access to your Remittance Advice for up to two years.

Tips for registering:

- Have your Medicaid Provider Number handy
- Have the Provider's Social Security and/or Federal Employer ID Number (FEIN) available
- Read the recommended documents provided online
 - Provider Handbook
 - Eligibility Verification System (EVS) User Guide
 - Explanation of Benefits (EOB) Codes
 - Provider Fee Manual Physician Services
 - CMS-1500 - Physician Claims
 - CMS-1500 - Billing Instructions



For more information, visit us online at

www.emdhealthchoice.org

Or call Monday through Friday

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

General Questions and Troubleshooting:
410-767-5503

Provider Application & Password Support:
410-767-5340



Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Medicaid Program

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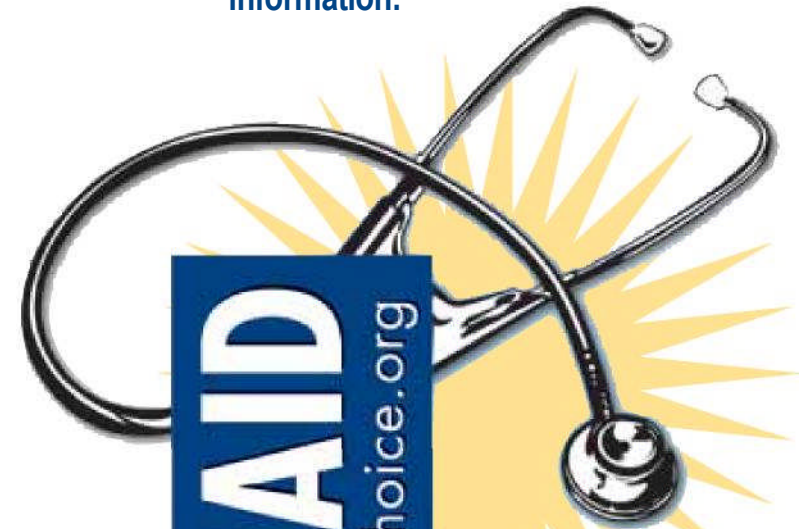
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Medicaid Providers State of Maryland

Now eMedicaid offers you
a secure online access to:

- enroll as a Medicaid Provider;
- verify recipient eligibility; and
- obtain payment information.



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Getting Started

Browse to <http://www.emdhealthchoice.org>



If You ARE NOT Already a Participating Medicaid Provider...

Complete the initial Provider Enrollment and Provider Type information and follow these key steps to apply to be a Medicaid Provider:

1. **Accept the terms of the Electronic Signature Agreement.** Check the box to agree, and continue.
2. **Read the Provider Agreement.** Check the box to agree to the terms, and continue.
3. **Complete the Provider Information,** including Federal Employer ID and/or Social Security number.
4. **Verify Step 3 information.** Check the box to agree, and continue.
5. **Give details for the Practice Location** you are enrolling, including the Practice Address and information from the Provider's Medical and Laboratory License, as applicable.

STOP!

If you are a Personal Care Aid, please contact your local Health Department.



Tip: If you are part of a group, have the Maryland Provider Number of each group for which you render services at this Practice Location. Specify the effective date of your membership with each group.

6. **Verify Step 5 information.** Check the box to agree, and submit.

Important! Print out the Transaction Confirmation page for your records. If indicated on the page, fax a copy of your license to 410-333-5341.

If You ARE Already Enrolled as a Participating Medicaid Provider...

Follow these instructions for eMedicaid Provider Registration:

1. **Decide who will act as Administrator for the site.** Only one person in your organization can take this role; typically it is the Office Manager. The Administrator is the only person authorized to set up individual Users, designate which services each User has access to, and delete Users.



Tip: Only authorized Users can access the Recipient Eligibility Verification or Remittance Advice. Administrators who want access to these services must add themselves as a User.

2. **Complete the Provider Information.** Enter the first 7 digits of your Medicaid Provider Number, your Social Security and/or Federal Employer ID, your email, and website address. Check the box to agree, and continue.
3. **Supply your Personal Information.** As the person completing the form, you must enter this information and designate your relationship to the Provider.
4. **Set your password.** Your password must be at least 6 characters and is case-sensitive. After sign-in, the Administrator can change the password. DHMH cannot provide this password to you.

5. **Accept the terms of the Electronic Signature Agreement.** Check the box to agree, and continue.
6. **Verify all information you entered,** check the box to agree, and submit.

Important! Print out the confirmation page with your User ID for signing in to the site.

Now You Can Sign In!

Administrators Can:

- Add/Delete Users.
- Manage Users profile.
- View transaction logs for all Users.



Tip: If you need to access Recipient Eligibility Verification or Remittance Advice, add yourself as a User.

Users Can:

- Verify Recipient Eligibility.
- View Remittance Advice for the Provider locations they are authorized to view.
- Access Remittance Advice on Monday.
- View archival Remittance Advice for up to two years.

