

**To:** AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

**Date:** August 5, 2024

**Subject:** [Informational Bulletin 24-26](#): Brief Emotional Behavioral Assessment

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**Brief Emotional Behavioral Assessment**

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana would like to inform you that the Louisiana Medicaid coverage of the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) Brief Emotional/Behavioral Assessment code 96127 was added as a covered service, effective **July 12, 2024**.

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana is updating our system to reflect these updates, which should be complete by **August 30, 2024**.

**What do you need to do?**

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana will recycle impacted claims back to **July 12, 2024**. Providers do not need to take action.

For full details, please see [Informational Bulletin 24-26](#).

Questions regarding this message should be directed to AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Provider Services at 1-888-922-0007. The Provider Services Department can be reached daily between 7:00 am – 7:00 pm.

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