

**To: AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers**

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Medicare Advantage Carrier Code Updates**

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**Third Party Liability Carrier Code: Medicare Advantage Carrier Code Updates**

In an effort to streamline Third Party Liability (TPL) identification and the claims adjudication process, the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) has undertaken a consolidation project of the current LDH Carrier Code listing published on [https://www.lamedicaid.com/provweb1/Forms/Carrier\\_Code/Carrier\\_Code.pdf](https://www.lamedicaid.com/provweb1/Forms/Carrier_Code/Carrier_Code.pdf).

Deactivating duplicate carrier listings when multiple records exist for the same insurance carrier will allow providers to identify the proper carrier code to report new or updated TPL as well as submit claims without having to report multiple carrier codes on the claim's submission.

On **October 1, 2024**, the Humana Choice PPO carrier code (H99090) was retired and the Humana Gold Plus carrier code (H19510) was renamed Humana Medicare Advantage. Carrier code H19510 is the default carrier code, and the name changed to Humana Medicare Advantage on the Louisiana Medicaid Management Information Systems carrier code list.

Please be advised this effort will result in existing coverage for some members to be updated to the default carrier code as identified below. Additionally, the consolidation to a default carrier code per insurance carrier will modify some existing carrier names to be less specific in the naming convention. When presented with a member's insurance card, providers should identify the record that belongs to that insurance carrier on the listing even if the full carrier name does not match the card verbatim.

The following duplicate carrier listings have been identified to date and will only be available under the one default record in accordance with the published effective date.

Default Carrier	Carrier to be Retired	Effective Dates	Comments
<b>H19510: Humana Medicare Advantage</b>	H99090: Humana Choice PPO	10/1/2024	Humana Choice PPO (H99090) was retired and Humana Gold (H19510) was renamed Humana Medicare Advantage. H19510 is the default carrier code and name for Humana Medicare Advantage coverage moving forward.

This list will be updated continuously and the carrier code listing will be updated on the [https://www.lamedicaid.com/provweb1/Forms/Carrier\\_Code/Carrier\\_Code.pdf](https://www.lamedicaid.com/provweb1/Forms/Carrier_Code/Carrier_Code.pdf) website.

LDH has begun this process but must review every member who currently has the Humana H99090 Choice PPO plan and convert them to the new default, H19510 Humana Medicare Advantage plan. In the interim, LDH advises providers to request the Humana H19510 carrier code for members requesting addition or change to Humana Choice.

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For full details, please see [Informational Bulletin 24-36](#).

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