

Provider Bulletin

Molina Healthcare of California

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Provider Bulletin Summary

February 03-13, 2026

This is an advisory notification to Molina Healthcare of California (MHC) network providers applicable to all lines of business.

What you need to know:

Dear Provider,

MHC will now distribute a Provider Bulletin every other Tuesday summarizing all provider communications posted to our website.

Please note:

- MHC will continue to post updates online as they become available throughout the month.
- This summary includes only items published during the current cycle; previously released Provider Bulletins remain accessible on the MHC provider website or through the Availity Essentials portal.
- **This summary is not a substitute for the complete Provider Bulletin content. Full details, implementation timelines, and requirements are available online.**

Thank you for your continued partnership and commitment to compliance.

Provider Action

Providers are responsible for reviewing Provider Bulletins online to ensure compliance with all regulatory requirements and policy changes.

Bulletins are available on the MHC provider website for each line of business or through the Availity Essentials portal:

- **Medi-Cal Provider Bulletins:**
MolinaHealthcare.com/providers/ca/medicaid/comm/bulletin.aspx
- **Marketplace Provider Bulletins:**
MolinaMarketplace.com/marketplace/ca/en-us/Providers/Communications/Provider-Bulletin.aspx
- **Medicare Provider Bulletins:**
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Summary of Provider Bulletins published on the MHC provider website:

Date Posted	Title	Audience	Line of Business	Summary
02/10/2026	Q1 Provider Training Opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IPA/MSO Primary Care • IPA/MSO Specialists • Direct Primary Care • Direct Specialists • Behavioral Health • ECM/CS • Hospitals • CBAS • SNF/LTC • Ancillary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medi-Cal • Marketplace • Medicare 	Providers are encouraged to register for Quarter 1 training sessions on the Molina provider website. These online trainings support high-quality care by keeping providers informed of key programs, regulatory updates, and current guidance.
02/13/2026	Tobacco Use Screening & Cessation Intervention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IPA/MSO Primary Care • Direct Primary Care • Direct Specialists • Behavioral Health • ECM/CS • Hospitals • SNF/LTC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medi-Cal • Marketplace • Medicare 	Review the new MY2026 HEDIS TSC-E measure requiring tobacco-use screening for patients 12+ and documented cessation interventions for those who screen positive. Providers should offer counseling or FDA-approved medications and connect members to available cessation services.
02/13/2026	HealthMap Attribution Exclusions for Full-Risk and Dual-Risk IPA Arrangements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IPA/MSO Primary Care • IPA/MSO Specialists 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medi-Cal • Marketplace • Medicare 	All IPAs operating under full global risk or dual-risk arrangements, where they are financially responsible for the total cost of care will be excluded from HealthMap attribution. Providers should follow existing IPA-specific workflows and direct any questions about reporting, risk-sharing, or panel management to their delegated IPA

What if you need assistance?

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Please include the provider's name, NPI, county, and fax number, and you will be removed within 30 days.

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