

October 15, 2021

## Market Edge

**News for Brokers** 

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## Updated Consolidated Appropriations Act (CAA) and Transparency in Coverage Rule (TCR) – FAQs

Over the past couple of weeks, we've shared FAQs in response to recent provisions announced under the CAA and TCR. Since our last distribution, we have updated the FAQs to include information on surprise billing, independent dispute resolution (IDR), Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act-CAA, reporting requirements, TCR, machine-readable files (MRF), gag clauses, and provider contracts. As we receive additional guidance and answers around these provisions, we will continue to update these documents. Here are the

latest AMERIHEALTH ADMINISTRATORS and AMERIHEALTH NEW JERSEY FAQs.

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## COVID-19 benefit change extension

As part of our ongoing commitment to clients and members during the COVID-19 pandemic, many of the provisions that were indicated to expire on October 31, 2021, have been extended through December 31, 2021. We will share updated benefit charts when they become available.

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## PrEP preventive coverage and monitoring services now \$0

Effective September 18, 2021, all services received by members prior to beginning pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) medication for the prevention of HIV and any ongoing follow up or monitoring are now covered at \$0. FULL ARTICLE

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## Thank you for joining our broker seminar!

For those of you that joined the virtual broker seminar to learn about our 2022 portfolios, we would like to express our sincere thanks. We also have additional resources available. **FULL ARTICLE** 

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### Online CE credit course available November 10

Please join us on November 10 for Health Insurance: *The Health Savings Account*, a two-hour, two-credit CE course with Patty Martini, from 10 a.m. to noon. Course ID – 88902832 REGISTER HERE

#### SMALL GROUP | AHNJ

## NJSEH certification no longer reinstated

In July, we alerted brokers to the need for recertification for renewal groups, beginning with those that are November 2021 renewals. At this time, that certification process will not be reinstated. Please note, the certification process is still required for new business cases.

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# AmeriHealth New Jersey is streamlining its Consumer HMO offerings moving into 2022

Due to reduced HMO options for 2022, we are providing information on changes, member outreach, and suggestions for alternative plan options. **FULL ARTICLE** 

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## Reminder: Certification needed on the Get Covered New Jersey platform

Whether certified in previous years or new to the process, brokers must complete training with GCNJ by October 22, 2021. **FULL ARTICLE** 

#### **SELF-FUNDED | AHA**

## MDLIVE to update fees effective January 1, 2022

To enhance their network of providers to help meet our members' needs, MDLIVE is adjusting its visit fees for the first time in five years. **FULL ARTICLE** 



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