



**Louisiana Department of Health**  
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**Rehabilitation Therapy Services**

A speech therapist, physical therapist or occupational therapist may contract with a Medicaid managed care organization (MCO) as an individual provider to deliver services to managed care enrollees in the settings designated by the MCO.

Speech therapy, physical therapy and occupational therapy services can be provided through Louisiana Medicaid MCOs for enrolled beneficiaries of any age and without restrictions to place of service.

Therapists enrolled with Louisiana Medicaid as Early Steps providers may continue to provide services to the Early Steps recipients through fee-for-service Medicaid only. Early Steps services are carved out of managed care coverage.

If you have any questions regarding this mandate, contact Helen Prett at [Helen.Prett@la.gov](mailto:Helen.Prett@la.gov).