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Request for Consideration of Medical & Dental Benefit Coverage for Louisiana Medicaid

The purpose of this informational bulletin is to inform providers and vendors of a new process in regard to requesting coverage of a new service, technology or other benefit from Louisiana Medicaid. Please fill out and submit a [Request for Consideration form](#) in order to propose a benefit for review and consideration of coverage.

Please also attach supporting evidence-based literature, free from industry sponsorship (publications, bibliography or other documents) to a completed Request for Consideration form for a benefit to be considered for coverage by Louisiana Medicaid.

The form can be found [here](#) under the "Quick links" subheading.

Services that are experimental, non-FDA approved, investigational or cosmetic will not be considered for coverage. A service may be deemed medically necessary and still not be covered under the Medicaid Program. The Medicaid Director, in consultation with the Medicaid Chief Medical Officer, may consider authorizing services at her discretion on a case-by-case basis.