

## Louisiana Department of Health Informational Bulletin 25-33 October 22, 2025

## **Retiring EPSDT Preventive Services Fee Schedule**

Effective October 20, 2025, Louisiana Medicaid will retire Type of Service (TOS) 21 and the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) Preventive Services Fee Schedule. This action supports the ongoing efforts to streamline reimbursement structures and eliminate duplication within current fee schedule categories.

## **Key Details:**

- The TOS 21 EPSDT Preventive Services Fee Schedule will be retired and in 30 days be moved to the Obsolete Fee Schedules.
- Services previously listed on the schedule will be incorporated into the Professional Services Fee Schedule.
- Providers should reference the Professional Services Fee Schedule for any relevant procedure codes and reimbursement information moving forward.

TOS 21 fees that are already higher than the <u>July 1, 2025 physician rate increase</u> will stay the same. The changes will be reflected on the LA Medicaid website at <u>www.lamedicaid.com</u>.

Questions regarding this message and fee-for-service claims/consents are to be directed to Gainwell Technologies Provider Relations at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040.

Questions regarding managed care claims/consents are to be directed to the appropriate managed care organization (MCO).

## **MCO** Requirements:

• Each MCO must update its system to reflect the changes above within 30 days of this notification (Section 2.18.9.5 of the contract). MCOs shall also notify providers of their process and timeline for implementing these changes.

MCOs must recycle any claims that were not paid in accordance with the increased reimbursement updates within 30 calendar days of this notice.					