

MEDICAID CONTRACT AMENDMENT

IMMINENT PERIL JUSTIFICATION

May 18, 2026

SUSPENDING AGENTS:

CONTRACT AMENDMENT:

MCO 3.0 Contract Amendment 13 provides an update to the State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2026 rate certification.

JUSTIFICATION:

Revisions contained in this amendment are within scope and comply with the terms and conditions as set forth in the RFP.

This amendment provides an update to the rate certification as part of the standard mid-year review by the contracted actuaries to account for programmatic changes and updated enrollment and acuity projections.

Capitation rates are the mechanism by which the MCOs are paid to provide coverage of critical healthcare services to more than 1.7 million managed care enrollees. Any delay in the execution of this amendment has the potential to disrupt and jeopardize the provision of medically necessary services to Louisiana's most vulnerable population.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2026