

MEDICAID CONTRACT AMENDMENT

IMMINENT PERIL JUSTIFICATION

February 3, 2023

SUSPENDING AGENTS:

CONTRACT AMENDMENT:

Dental Benefit Program Management (DBPM) Contract Amendment 7 provides the rate certification for January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023. No other changes are included in this amendment.

JUSTIFICATION:

This amendment establishes actuarially sound capitation rates for the DBPMs through the end of State Fiscal Year 2023. Capitation rates are the mechanism by which the DBPMs are paid to provide coverage of services to more than 1.8 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, 2023