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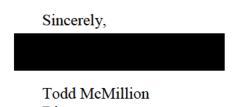
RE: TN 22-0032

Dear Ms. Cooper:

We have reviewed the proposed California State Plan Amendment (SPA) to Attachment 4.19-B, CA-22-0032, which was submitted to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) on October 24, 2022. This SPA amends the definition of a Targeted Case Management (TCM) encounter to include the provision of TCM services appropriately provided face-to-face, as well as through video synchronous and audio-only synchronous telehealth interactions.

Based upon the information provided by the State, we have approved the amendment with an effective date of January 1, 2023. We are enclosing the approved CMS-179 and a copy of the new state plan pages.

If you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please contact Blake Holt at 303-844-6218 or blake.holt@cms.hhs.gov.



Director Division of Reimbursement Review

Enclosures

	1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER 2. STATE
TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF	
STATE PLAN MATERIAL	
FOR: CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES	3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
TO: CENTER DIRECTOR	4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE
CENTERS FOR MEDICAID & CHIP SERVICES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	January 1, 2023
5. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION	6. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT (Amounts in WHOLE dollars)
42 C.F.R. § 440.169(b); 42 U.S.C. § 1396n(g)(1)	a FFY 2022 \$ 0
	b. FFY\$_0
7. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT	8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION
Attachment 4.19-B page 5d	OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable)
	Attachment 4.19-B page 5d
9. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT	
Amending the term "encounter" to include the provision of targeted case management services via Telehealth.	
10. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)	
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O NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL	the State Plan Amendment.
AGENCY OFFICIAL	15. RETURN TO
	Department of Health Care Services
	Attn: Director's Office
Jacey Cooper	P.O. Box 997413, MS 0000 Sacramento, CA 95899-7413
13. TITLE	
State Medicaid Director	
14. DATE SUBMITTED October 24, 2022	
FOR CMS USE ONLY	
16. DATE RECEIVED	17. DATE APPROVED
October 24, 2022	November 10, 2022
PLAN APPROVED - ON	
18. EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPROVED MATERIAL January 1, 2023	19. SIGNATURE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
20. TYPED NAME OF APPROVING OFFICIAL	21. TITLE OF APPROVING OFFICIAL
Todd McMillion	Director, Division of Reimbursement Review
22. REMARKS	
State pen and ink concurrence 10/31/22: Box 6 : Striking "2022" and adding "2024"	
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### STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT STATE: <u>CALIFORNIA</u>

### TARGETED CASE MANAGEMENT REIMBURSEMENT METHODOLOGY

Reimbursement Methodology for Case Management Services as Described in Supplements 1a, <u>1b, 1d, 1e, 1f, and 1h to Attachment 3.1-A</u>

This segment of the State Plan sets forth reimbursement for Targeted Case Management (TCM) services provided to eligible Medi-Cal beneficiary target populations identified in Supplements 1a, 1b, 1d, 1e, 1f, and 1h of Attachment 3.1-A.

- A. <u>General Applicability</u>
  - (1) Definitions
    - (a) The "unit of service" will be an encounter.
    - (b) An "encounter" means the rendering of one or more targeted case management service components by a case manager to beneficiaries of target populations. Targeted case management services can be appropriately provided face-to-face, as well as through video synchronous and audio-only synchronous telehealth interactions.
    - (c) The "Department" means the California Department of Health Care Services.
    - (d) "Target population" means those Medi-Cal beneficiaries described in Supplements 1a, 1b, 1d, 1e, 1f, and 1h of Attachment 3.1-A.
    - (e) "A&I" means the Department's Audits & Investigations Division.
    - (f) "CMS" means the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.
    - (g) "LGA" means Local Governmental Agency.
    - (h) "CPE" means Certified Public Expenditure as defined in 42 C.F.R. 433.51.
    - (i) "TCM provider" means public and private entities contracted with an LGA to provide TCM services on behalf of the LGA under a CMS- approved contractual arrangement.
    - (j) "Contributing public agency" means the LGA or another State or local governmental entity which provides funding for TCM services provided to target populations.