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#### **Questions:**

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# Department of Community Health Electronic Visit Verification (EVV)



Presented to: EVV Public Forum Attendees

Presented by: Policy and Provider Services

**Division of Medicaid** 



#### **Mission**

#### The Georgia Department of Community Health

We will provide Georgians with access to affordable, quality health care through effective planning, purchasing and oversight.

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### **Presentation Points**

- EVV Member Updates
- EVV Project Updates
- Common Issues or Questions
- Third-Party EVV Vendor Update
- Question and Answer (Q&A)

## **Electronic Visit Verification**



**EVV Member Updates** 

## **Self-Directed Updates**

- PLEASE NOTE: If you are a self-directed member or representative currently supported by Public Partnership, LLC (PPL) and receiving EVV-applicable services, a PPL representative assisted by Support Coordination will be reaching out to you to discuss alternative service options, as PPL will no longer be providing EVV related services for the state of Georgia.
- Your fiscal intermediary (FI) may require implementation or usage deadlines that do not align to traditional provider deadlines. You will likely have usage deadlines in advance of November 1, 2021 to ensure full compliance.
- Self-directed members are welcome to stay for this presentation beyond the next slide, but information is primarily for traditional providers. Please reach out to your FI if you have specific questions related to their EVV solution.



## **Self-Directed Updates**

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## Electronic Visit Verification



EVV Project Updates

## Status Updates and Timeline

July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021

Date Change

#### Required:

Provider Nets nert (le us) regis ration August 31st, 2021

#### Required:

- 1. Employees input into chosen EVV solution
- 2. O e stally subrance per Medicaid ID

November 1st, 2021

#### Required:

- 1. All EVV-related claims to include EVV information
- 2. And submitted via the State EVV solution

To successfully submit a claim, aides and caregivers will have to use and capture visit data using EVV.

Providers who are non-compliant at any of these dates will be placed on pre-payment review.



### **Status Updates and Timeline**

There are three (3) exceptions to the November 1, 2021 EVV mandatory claims deadline. Providers that have claims that fall within one or more of the following exceptions should submit those claims directly to GAMMIS until upgrades to the Netsmart solution are completed. The claim exceptions are as follows:

- 1. A claim pertaining to a member with a Patient Liability,
- 2. A claim pertaining to Shared Service Code, or
- 3. A claim type tied to an open "Tier 2" ticket with Netsmart.

Only providers submitting claims that meet any of the above exception criteria may submit those claim types directly to GAMMIS.

If you have questions or concerns about whether these exceptions apply to one of your claims, please reach out to <a href="mailto:evv.medicaid@dch.ga.gov">evv.medicaid@dch.ga.gov</a>.



## **Case Management Update**

## Case Management EVV functionality is delayed. More communications will be available as soon as possible.

- It was previously communicated that case management / support coordination functionality would be available as of 9/16. That has been delayed. A new release date has not been determined.
- Case management related guides, training, and checklists will be available upon the functionality release.



## **Electronic Visit Verification**



## Common Issues and Questions

### **Common Issues or Questions**

#### **Rounding Rules:**

As a quick Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) update, rounding rules are being implemented within the State EVV solution, Netsmart, to match the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) standard Medicaid rounding rules. Up to seven (7) minutes of completed services will be rounded down. Eight (8) minutes of completed services will be rounded up to a 15-minute unit. For those Personal Support Services (PSS) billed hourly, less than 30 minutes rounds down to the next whole unit. Thirty (30) minutes will round up to the next whole unit.

For example, checking in at 6pm and checking out at 6:37pm will result in two (2) 15-minute units or one (1) 60-minute unit depending on the applied services. Checking in at 6pm and checking out at 6:38pm will result in three (3) 15-minute units or one (1) 60-minute unit depending on the applied services.



### **Common Issues or Questions**

#### **Users (employees) Invitation Statuses:**

If an administrator is unable to schedule a user (employee) because their name does not appear, please check the invitation status of the user (employee). Administrators are only able to schedule with users (employees) who have an invitation status of "Accepted." If the user (employee) has a status of "Invited", the user (employee) has not completed log in and activation and will likely need a password reset to complete log in.

There is a short, supplemental training video to outline this process and all the steps to add in users (employees).



### **Common Issues or Questions**

#### **Duplicate Claims Editing:**

There is an "overlapping error" providers may receive when submitting claims through the Netsmart solution. When receiving this notification, the corresponding claim will be suspended. This occurs most often when an aide / caregiver has an open claim for another Medicaid member at a different provider agency for same date and same time. This is not an issue related to servicing two members in the same household or location at the same time.

If this occurs to your agency, the issue needs to be reported to DCH at the EVV mailbox <a href="mailto:evv.medicaid@dch.ga.gov">evv.medicaid@dch.ga.gov</a>. When reporting be sure to include who the aide / caregiver is, who the Medicaid member is who was receiving service associated with that claim, the claim number, and the ICN number.

#### Beware of roster billing!!



## **Electronic Visit Verification**



## Third-Party EVV Vendor Update

### **Compliant Alternate EVV Vendors**

## Vendors who are or will be compliant with the 21st Century Cures Act compliant in Georgia by October 1, 2021

AlayaCare USA	HomeNurse, Inc
Ankota	Information Age Technologies (Copilot Pro 21)
Aveanna Healthcare	Integrated Database Systems (Generations)
AxisCare	Kaleida Systems (eRSP)
Axxess	MatrixCare
Billiyo Health	Maxim
BrightSpring Health Services (formerly ResCare)	MedSide Healthcare
CareSmartz	MEDsys
CareTime	My EVV
CareVoyant	Netsmart (myUnity EHR/Legacy EVV)
Caryfy	Rosemark / Shoshana
CellTrak Technologies	SMARTcare
ClearCare	SwyftOps
Direct Care Innovations (DCI)	Therap Services
GeoH Software	Webauthor



## Non-Compliant Alternate EVV Vendors

Vendors who will be in the process of integrating beyond October 1, 2021		
Alora Healthcare Systems	MCM Solutions (Stopwatch Technology)	
BrightStar Care	MedFlyt	
Carecenta	Neurosoftware (Adacare)	
CubHub Systems/CellTrak	Qualifacts / Carelogic	
Greenline Business Solution	Treasures Docs	
Home Care IT (eCaring)	Vertex Systems	



## Non-Compliant Alternate EVV Vendors

Vendors who are NOT integrating and will NOT be 21st Century Cures Act compliant in Georgia		
Aymira Healthcare Technologies	PointClickCare	
Bayada	Residex	
First Visit Software	Sestra Solutions	
King David Community Center of Atlanta, Inc	Total Systems Design	
Nemicare	Vypersoft	
PCG Public Partnerships (PPPL)		

Vendors who do not have clients providing services required through the 21st Century Cures Act		
Assuricare (August Systems)	MITC Software	
Complia Health (ContinuLink)	Sandata	
HHAeXchange	SETWorks	
InMyTeam Corp.	Spectrum TeleTrack Voice Technologies	
Kanrad Technologies (KanTime)		



## **Question and Answer (Q&A)**

Please type your questions in the chat box!

Our moderators will read your question aloud.

If you have specific or technical questions, please reach out to the Georgia EVV Call Center at:

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