

## **Network Notification**

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To: Provider Network

From: CareSource®

**Subject: MyCare Ohio Enrollment Changes** 

Effective Date: January 1, 2015

Thank you for being a part of the CareSource healthcare network. We appreciate what you and your staff do every day to provide the best care for our members. And, we're committed to providing you with the latest information to help you coordinate services with CareSource MyCare Ohio.

As you are aware, MyCare Ohio is a health plan for qualified members that **integrates both Medicare** and **Medicaid**. To date, members who have not selected their MyCare Ohio plan have been assigned to a plan for their Medicaid benefits only.

## **Enrollment Update**

The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) will notify MyCare Medicaid-only members they will be auto enrolled in their current MyCare Ohio plan for Medicare coverage, effective January 1, 2015. Individuals eligible for both Medicare and Medicaid ("dual eligibles") will be enrolled into a single MyCare plan, unless they request to remain Medicaid only.

## What this means to you:

- One member ID card to verify
- Simplified interaction and network support with one point of contact
- Better care coordination for your patients
- Less administration with cost-sharing (CareSource has no copays!)
- Streamlined claims process: submit one claim for payment

Our members often turn to you, as their trusted health care provider, with questions about potential decisions that impact not just their well-being, but their overall health care benefits. Our staff is prepared to assist our members with questions they may have about their medical benefits and the upcoming MyCare Ohio enrollment changes. Please reference these <a href="Frequently Asked Questions">Frequently Asked Questions</a> if you or your office staff receives questions.

Providers who do not have contracts with MyCare Ohio plans may continue to provide services to current members for a "transition" period, up to one year after enrollment. If you're not currently in our CareSource MyCare network, we invite your questions and request for more information. Please call 1-800-488-0134 or visit <a href="mailto:careSource.com/MyCare">CareSource.com/MyCare</a>.

Thank you in advance for supporting Ohio's efforts toward integrating Medicare and Medicaid.