



## **Network Notification**

**Notice Date:** March 29, 2017  
**Effective Date:** May 3, 2017  
**To:** Ohio Medicaid Health Partners  
**From:** CareSource®  
**Subject:** PY-0084 Telemedicine Services Payment Policy

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Effective **May 3, 2017**, CareSource will introduce a new Telemedicine Services payment policy.

### **Summary**

The Telemedicine Services payment policy does not require prior authorization for telemedicine services. CareSource will reimburse for payment of telemedicine services according to Ohio Medicaid guidelines and criterion set forth in this policy.

### **Impact**

In order to receive reimbursement for telemedicine services, it is important to adhere to the guidelines outlined in the payment policy.

This policy outlines the conditions of payment for telemedicine services, as well as conditions of coverage. It also provides a list of codes for which CareSource will reimburse participating providers when providing services via telemedicine to our members. Reimbursement is dependent upon, but not limited to, submitting CMS-approved HCPCS and CPT codes along with appropriate modifiers.

### **Next Steps**

The policy will be effective **May 3, 2017**, and is available on the **CareSource.com** [Health Partner Policies](#) web page. To access the policy, select the plan name and state and reference the Telemedicine Services payment policy for Ohio Medicaid. Please refer to the specific policy for coding, language and rationale that are not included in the summary above.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in adhering to this new policy requirement.

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