

# **Modifiers**

Claims **must** be submitted with the correct rendering Clinician modifiers.

Claims submitted without a Clinician level modifier will be denied or subject to recoupment.

## List if acceptable modifiers and associated rate percentages

\*Carelon Behavioral Health follows the rates as outlined on the TMHP website found here:

#### http://public.tmhp.com/FeeSchedules/Default.aspx

AH	Clinical Psychologist	100%
U6	Psychiatrist	100%
U7	PA's	92%
SA	Nurse Practitioner	92%
AJ	Clinical Social Worker and LPC's	70%
U8	LMFT	70%
U9	Provisionally Licensed Psychologists (PLPs)	70%
UC	Licensed Psychological Associate (LPA)	70%
U3	Psychology Intern	50%
UB	pre-doctoral psychology intern or post-doctoral psychology fellow	50%

<sup>\*</sup>The Texas Medicaid rate for LPA, PLP, LCSW, LMFT, and LPC is 70% of the rate paid to a psychiatrist and psychologist.

# **Telemedicine/Telehealth Services**

These claims **must** be submitted with modifier 95 (not GT).

GT is not a valid modifier for these services for Texas Medicaid and will be denied or subject to recoupment.

<sup>\*</sup>Services performed by a LPA or PLP will be reimbursed at 70% of the psychologist rate. Services performed by the psychology intern or post-doctoral fellow will be reimbursed at 50% of the psychologist rate.

<sup>\*</sup>Physicians will be reimbursed 92 percent of the established reimbursement rate for services provided by an NP, CNS, PA, or CNM

# **Place of Service**

Place of Service (POS) on claims should identify **where** the service was performed. POS for telemedicine/telehealth services are typically 02 or 10.

• POS of 12 or 99 are not valid and will be denied or subject to recoupment.

## **NPI and Taxonomy Codes**

NPI and Taxonomy codes must be registered with TMHP. A daily file is sent by the State containing all valid NPI and Taxonomy codes. Claims will deny if a NPI or Taxonomy is used that is not registered with TMHP.

Billing NPI, Rendering NPI, and Billing Taxonomy are all **required** on claims. If any of these are not submitted, the claim will deny.

For more information regarding Provider Enrollment with TMHP please visit - <u>Provider Enrollment | TMHP</u>

Texas Medicaid Provider Procedures Manual -

https://www.tmhp.com/resources/provider-manuals/tmppm

For more Beacon specific information and to access Provider Manuals -

https://www.carelonbehavioralhealth.com/providers/forms-and-guides

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