

DATE: May 26, 2020
TO: Holders of the AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual
FROM: DHCM Contracts and Policy
SUBJECT: AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM)

This memo describes revisions and/or additions to the AMPM.

Please direct questions regarding policy updates to the Contracts and Policy Unit at 602-417-4295 or 602-417-4055 or email at DHCMContractsandPolicy@azahcccs.gov.

Information Regarding COVID-19

In response to Medicaid-related questions from providers and contractors arising from the COVID-19 pandemic, AHCCCS has developed a list of Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) Regarding Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) which is updated regularly. It is important to note that there are instances where the information presented in the COVID-19 FAQs does not align with provisions set forth by the AMPM. In these instances the FAQs take precedence and are controlling.

UPDATES AND REVISIONS TO THE AHCCCS MEDICAL POLICY MANUAL (AMPM)

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AMPM 610, AHCCCS PROVIDER QUALIFICATIONS

AMPM Policy 610 was revised to move AHCCCS Oversight from the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) to AHCCCS/Division of Member and Provider Services (DMPS).

- **ATTACHMENT A, AHCCCS PROVIDER TYPES**

Attachment A was revised to change several of the reporting agencies and removed several Provider Types that had end dates.

- **ATTACHMENT B, AHCCCS PROVIDER TYPES SCREENING TOOL**

Attachment B several Provider Types were revised.

AMPM EXHIBIT 1620-9, ALTCS ENROLLMENT TRANSITION INFORMATION (ETI) FORM

ACOM Exhibit 1620-9, was revised to add standards related to members with an SMI determination.

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AMPM POLICY 310-B, BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICE BENEFIT

See Revision Memo dated 03/02/20 for summary of changes.

AMPM POLICY 965, COMMUNITY SERVICE AGENCIES

See Revision Memo dated 03/02/19 for summary of changes.

AMPM POLICY 1200, RESERVED

See Revision Memo dated 02/12/20 for summary of changes.