Medicaid Networks Requirements (includes UnitedHealthcare and Medica)

All providers (including individual, group, and facility) will need to be an active Medicaid provider with the State of Minnesota and be located on the Minnesota State Provider Eligibility & Compliance file before Medicaid networks can be added to a provider profile with an effective date.

Each NPI—Type 1 and Type 2—will need to be registered with the State of Minnesota.

Providers should sign in to the Minnesota Provider Screening and Enrollment portal to register and enroll with the State.

If a Medicaid ID is included on the New Provider Request Form or the Clinician Tax ID – add/update form, but Optum is not able to locate the NPI on the Minnesota State Provider Eligibility & Compliance file, the Medicaid networks will not be added at that time.

Verifying Network Eligibility before rendering services to a member is the responsibility of the provider.

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Questions

If you have any questions regarding this provider Alert, please contact your assigned Provider Advocate.