ALAMEDA Alliance FOR HEALTH

New Mandatory Provider Training for Pediatric and Family Medicine Providers – Medi-Cal for Kids & Teens: Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment Services (EPSDT) Benefit and Services

At Alameda Alliance for Health (Alliance), we value our dedicated provider partner community. We have an important update we want to share with you.

OVERVIEW

Alliance contracted pediatric and family medicine providers must complete the new Medi-Cal for Kids & Teens Provider Training developed by the California Department of Healthcare Services (DHCS). The self-paced training outlines the requirements for the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment Services (EPSDT) benefit for Medi-Cal members under age 21.

FREQUENCY

Starting **Monday, January 1, 2024**, providers must complete the training no less than once every two (2) years. This also includes any contracted primary care providers (PCPs) such as medical doctors (MD), doctors of osteopathic medicine (DO), physician assistants (PA), and nurse practitioners (NP) levels.

HOW TO COMPLETE

Alliance contracted providers can access the training by visiting the Alliance website at **www.alamedaalliance.org/providers/provider-resources/training-and-technical-assistance-opportunities.**

Alliance contracted providers can complete and submit the online attestation via the SurveyMonkey tool to receive credit for the training at **https://bit.ly/47UFAzb.**

TOPICS OF TRAINING DISCUSSION

Module 1: What is Medi-Cal for Kids & Teens and How Does it Work?

Module 2: Deep Dive into Behavioral Health Services, California Children's Services Program, and Skilled Nursing Services

Providers who have not completed the training will receive reminders to complete it until the attestation is complete.

Thank you for your patience and partnership in the Alliance provider network. Together, we are creating a healthier community for all.

Questions? Please call the Alliance Provider Services Department
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