

PROVIDER ALERT

Skills Building/CBRS Training Summary

May 23, 2018

Dear Provider:

Thank you for joining us for the Skills Building/CBRS provider training. Below is a summary of some of the topics covered during the presentation:

- 1) The team approach was discussed by both Optum and the Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association (PRA). Providers will be reimbursed for their time using code H0032, which will include a new modifier and higher rate. This code may be billed by both clinicians and paraprofessionals to encourage collaboration on developing members' individualized treatment plan.
- 2) The rate for paraprofessionals using the Skills Building/CBRS code H2017 will be increasing.
- 3) The Skills Building/CBRS Service Request Form will be better streamlined and condensed:
 - On June 1 a copy of the new Skills Building/CBRS Service Request Form will be posted on the Optum Idaho website so that providers may view the content to prepare for the transition.
 - All current requests on the Child and Adult CBRS Request Forms must be completed, attested to, and submitted by midnight, Friday, June 29, 2018. Incomplete requests started prior to July 1, 2018 will not carry over to the new form.
 - On July 1, 2018 the new Skills Building/CBRS Request Form will be available for provider use. Providers must use this form to request Skills Building/CBRS services. This form has options for Child and Adult within the same form.
 - Please be aware that on Saturday, June 30, 2018, the system used by providers to electronically submit service request forms will not be accessible to allow for system updates.
- 4) The Skills Building/CBRS Level of Care Guidelines has been revised and will be posted to the Optum Idaho website.
- 5) For Skills Building education, please visit the Optum Idaho website for the Evidence-Based Practice Resource Library to promote the use of scientifically established behavioral health interventions and help provide additional tools for workforce development.

The slide deck presentation, along with the items mentioned above, will be available on the Optum Idaho website under the Network Providers tab, along with Frequently Asked Questions asked during the training.

If you have any questions, please contact your Regional Network Manager or refer to the Provider Manual.

Thank you,
The Optum Idaho Team