

**Provider Notice 13-89**

Dear Provider,

**Effective for dates of service on and after January 1, 2014**, the Medicaid Program of the Health Care Authority (agency) is publishing a revised *Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) Program Medicaid Provider Guide*.

Specific revisions to the guide include:

- Adding naturopathic physicians to the list of providers who may perform EPSDT examinations.
- Adding information about developmental screening.
- Removing the information regarding Synagis® that will be placed into the Physician-Related Services/Health Care Professional Services Medicaid Provider Guide
- Adding an explanation of extended developmental testing, how it is used, and how to make a claim for providing these services.
- Adding information about providing screening and treatment for substance abuse.

For more details, see the **What Has Changed** table in the [Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment \(EPSDT\) Program Medicaid Provider Guide](#).

Thank you.

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