

May 24, 2004

Dear Provider:

Beginning July 1, 2005, all Salud Behavioral Health Services will be administered and managed by ValueOptions of New Mexico (VO), also known as the Statewide Entity. ValueOptions will be responsible for all Behavioral Health functions including claims payment, customer service, prior authorization, and case management.

We are working with the State of New Mexico and Value Options of New Mexico to ensure a smooth transition. To that effect, please allow this letter to serve as a reminder that any communication regarding dates of service July 1, 2005 and beyond should be addressed to Value Options of New Mexico. However, for dates of service prior to July 1, 2005, please continue to call Molina Healthcare of New Mexico regarding any questions or issues that you might have.

With regards to claims submission, you may continue to submit your claims for dates of service prior to July 1 to Molina Healthcare of New Mexico. For dates of service beyond July 1, please send your claims to the following address:

**Value Options of New Mexico
PO Box 30680
Albuquerque, NM 87190-0670**

We look forward to working with all involved to complete the transition to Value Options. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please call Molina Healthcare of New Mexico at 800-377-9594 or Value Options of New Mexico at 800-397-1630.

Sincerely,



Kevin Bridwell
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