



# Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

## Provider End of Medicaid Extension Resources (Medicaid)

Dear Provider,

Thank you for your partnership and continued care of our Molina Healthcare of Washington (Molina) Apple Health (Medicaid) members. The Apple Health (Medicaid) extension is now ending due to the [Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023](#). Washington state will reinstate its pre-PHE Eligibility Review (ER) process on April 1, 2023. This means that redetermination efforts will resume, including requiring annual proof of eligibility starting with individuals with a renewal/redetermination date of 5/31/2023.

WA will spend the next 12 months redetermining clients' eligibility for Apple Health based on each individual client's post-PHE renewal date. All Medicaid members must renew their benefits, so they don't lose their health coverage. If clients do not take action to respond to required outreach, Apple Health coverage will be terminated. All clients who are terminated for not responding to required outreach after the PHE ends will have the opportunity to appeal their termination. Clients have 90 days from the termination date to complete their renewal and be retroactively reinstated from the termination date, if eligible without a gap in coverage.

We've designed an online toolkit with the information you need to ensure your patients, our members, renew their Medicaid coverage and continue receiving the care they need when they need it. You can access the toolkit at <https://www.molinahealthcare.com/medicaidrenewals>. It contains a list of frequently asked questions and other valuable resources to help educate your patients on the importance of updating their contact information and renewing their Medicaid coverage.

Our goal is to ensure all your Medicaid patients remain covered and have access to the care they need. If you have any questions, please contact your provider relations representative, or visit the HCA FAQs page at: [https://bit.ly/HCA\\_FAQ](https://bit.ly/HCA_FAQ).

Thank you for the exceptional care you gave our members, your patients, throughout the PHE. We look forward to our continued partnership with you.