

IDHW Name and NPI Alignment Requirement

Important Update for Idaho Medicaid Providers

To meet Idaho's Medicaid registration guidelines, Molina Healthcare is working with the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare (IDHW) to make sure Medicaid registrations are correct and up to date. The registration guideline helps keep our care safe, protects patients, and ensures claims are processed correctly.

What will happen?

The state sends Molina a daily list of registered providers within Idaho for Medicaid. This includes how your first name, middle name/middle initial and last name or your facility's name, along with NPI appears on the state file. Starting in January 2026:

- If you are on the state's list, your NPI, first name, middle name/initial and last name, and/or facility name, must match the state's registration file and what Molina shows in our online directory.
- Molina will update your first name, middle name/initial and last names and/or facility name based on the state's file.
- NPI mismatches will be reviewed and discussed with you prior to any updates being made. This will ensure no other registration requirements are impacted.
- If you want your name to stay as it appears in Molina's directory, you must ensure your registration with the state is updated as such. Molina will not be able to do that for you.
- If your name and NPI already match, you don't need to do anything other than to keep your registration current.

We are requesting that you confirm how your name is displayed on our online directory here: [Find a Healthcare Provider](#) and compare that to your IDHW Medicaid registration. Please work with the state on any updates you prefer.

If You Are Not on the State's List

You may not be registered with the state. If you think this is wrong, contact the state to check your registration. If your registration is not updated by **April 1, 2026**, your Molina contractual profile will change and your payments may be disrupted.

Medicaid ID Reminder

If Molina does not have your Medicaid ID in our system and linked to your Availity profile, your claim payments may be disrupted. If you're unsure, email us at MHID_Provider_Medicaid_id@molinahealthcare.com with your Medicaid ID and updated contact information.

Thank you for your attention and for the care you provide for our members.