

New behavioral health discharge call-in line

This communication applies to the Medicaid and Medicare Advantage programs for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield (Anthem).

We value the strong and collaborative relationships we have with the providers in our network. As we continuously work to improve our process, we have a new option for providers to communicate with us. Effective April 1, 2020, behavioral health providers have a new discharge call-in line.

If a member is discharging from inpatient or residential treatment, providers may send the discharge information via the call-in line at **1-833-385-9055**. The call-in line is staffed from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT, Monday through Friday. If all representatives are on calls, or if it's a weekend, the confidential voicemail will be initiated, allowing providers to leave discharge information.

Providers can also continue to submit the information via fax or the [Availity Portal](#).*

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