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### **Hello!**

Welcome to the *ODM 2022 Periodical*, previously called the *ODM Managed Care*

*Procurement Periodical*, a short periodic update on the progress of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) strategic initiatives.

You are receiving this newsletter because you have requested to receive periodic updates about ODM's strategic initiatives, responded to our first Request for Information (RFI), met with ODM and Procurement Team members to provide feedback, or participated in a listening session.

Thank you for taking time to provide your ideas and feedback! Through this time of uncertainty and need for many Ohioans, and into the future, we continue to focus on the individual rather than the business of managed care. We want to do better for the people we serve.



Feel free to share this update with anyone who you think might find it useful. We want all Ohioans to know what is going on with ODM's strategic initiatives.

Please also encourage anyone who you think might be interested in receiving similar updates to send us an email at [MCProcurement@medicaid.ohio.gov](mailto:MCProcurement@medicaid.ohio.gov).

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## **Ohio Medicaid Announces Go-Live Date for the Next Generation Managed Care**

Ohio Medicaid announced today July 1, 2022 as the projected date on which managed

care members will begin receiving services from one of the [seven next generation managed care plans](#), including the Single Pharmacy Benefit Manager (SPBM), Provider Network Management (PNM) module, Centralized Credentialing, and Fiscal Intermediary. OhioRISE services through Aetna Better Health of Ohio are also projected to begin July 1, 2022. Additional updates about the OhioRISE implementation timeline will be communicated in the coming weeks.

This timeline allows ODM to go-live with a next generation program that is focused on the individual and provides members increased choice and ability to select a plan that fits their individual needs.

This fall, managed care members will receive annual open enrollment notices as usual and can select from ODM's [current managed care plans](#). Members will have the opportunity to select from the next generation plans in spring 2022.

View the [Press Release](#) to learn more about the July 2022 go-live. For additional details on the next generation of Ohio Medicaid's managed care program, visit [managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov](http://managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov).

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## **Next Generation Managed Care Organizations**

Earlier this year, ODM announced the selection of seven managed care plans to lead the Department's evolution of managed care services for its more than 3 million members and thousands of medical providers.

The seven managed care organizations (MCOs) selected for the next generation managed care program are:

- UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Ohio, Inc.
- Humana Health Plan of Ohio, Inc.
- Molina Healthcare of Ohio, Inc.
- AmeriHealth Caritas Ohio, Inc.
- Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield
- CareSource Ohio, Inc.
- Buckeye Community Health Plan

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