

## Revised Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) Policy Handbook Available Jan. 3, 2022

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX) is sharing information from Texas Health and Human Commission (HHSC)

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## What's New

Effective January 3, 2022 revision of the Electronic Visit Verification Policy Handbook will publish.

## **Action Now**

The revisions of the January 2022 handbook's policies will go into effect Jan. 3, 2022 and include EVV standards and policy requirements for:

- Program providers
- Financial Management Services Agencies (FMSA)
- Consumer Directed Services employers (CDS)
- Payers such as HHSC and BCBSTX

The handbook replaces policies previously on the <u>HHSC EVV webpage</u>. See <u>EVV Policy Handbook Revisions – November</u> <u>2021 (PDF)</u> for differences between previous published policies and the revised handbook.

The following computer-based training courses on the <u>EVV Training page of the HHS Learning Portal</u> now reflects the revised EVV Policy Handbook:

- Initial EVV Policy Training for CDS Employers
- EVV Policy Training for Program Providers and FMSAs

Use the applicable checklist within <u>EVV Training Requirements Checklist (PDF)</u> for EVV training requirements and completion options.

## Questions

For guestions, please submit via email BCBSTX EVV Questions@bcbstx.com