



**BlueCross BlueShield
of Texas**

Register Now for Jan. 25, 2022 Webinar for Texas Medicaid Autism Services Policy

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

What is New

HHSC will provide BCBSTX with information on aspects of the [Autism Services benefit](#), such as systems updates and Licensed Behavior Analyst (LBA) enrollment updates to help prepare for implementation of this benefit.

Effective for dates of services on or after February 1, 2022, Autism Services, to include Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) evaluation and treatment, will be a benefit of the Texas Health Steps-Comprehensive Care Program (THSteps-CCP). The requirements are as follows:

- Texas Medicaid recipients are 20 years of age and younger
- Meet the criteria outlined in the Autism Service benefit
- BCBSTX reimbursement is on a non-risk basis for provision of the services
- Providers are expected to follow all aspects of the medical policy, including prior authorization criteria

Register for Webinars

[Medicaid Autism Services Webinars](#)

The Texas Medicaid and Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) is hosting a **Texas Medicaid Autism Services webinar series**. Providers should register for the session below:

January 25, 2022 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. to [register](#). This webinar will cover:

- Live Question and Answer Session: Providers will receive answers related to the Texas Medicaid Autism Services Policy

Resources

[Texas Medicaid Provider Procedures Manual TMPPM](#)
[Autism Services Policy](#)

Additional Information

More information and updates to come.

Questions

For questions or additional information, please:

- Contact TMHP Center at 1-800-925-9126 or [website](#)
- Contact your BCBSTX Medicaid Network team at 1-855-212-1615 or
- Submit via email [Texas Medicaid Network Department](#)