

STATE OF LOUISIANA

AMOUNT, DURATION, AND SCOPE OF MEDICAL AND REMEDIAL CARE AND SERVICES PROVIDED
LIMITATIONS ON THE AMOUNT, DURATION, AND SCOPE OF CERTAIN ITEMS OF PROVIDED
MEDICAL AND REMEDIAL CARE AND SERVICES DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

G. Ambulance Facilitation of Telehealth Services

Effective for dates of service on or after May 12, 2023, Louisiana Medicaid provides coverage for initiation and facilitation of telehealth services by qualified Louisiana Medicaid enrolled ambulance providers for the purpose of managing acute and chronic disease and reducing associated risks.

1. Covered services include:

- a. Assessment of the beneficiary and determination if the beneficiary may be safely treated in place at the scene of the 911 emergency response.
- b. Initiation and facilitation of a telehealth service rendered by a physician, advanced practice registered nurse, or physician assistant located at a distant site.

2. Provider qualifications:

- a. Ambulance providers must be licensed by the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) Bureau of Emergency Medical Services and meet all requirements of La. R.S. 40:1135.3;
- b. Ambulance providers must be participants in the CMS ET3 Model; and
- c. Ambulance providers must be enrolled in the Louisiana Medicaid Program.

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PAYMENTS FOR MEDICAL AND REMEDIAL CARE AND SERVICES

METHODS AND STANDARDS FOR ESTABLISHING PAYMENT RATES – OTHER TYPES OF CARE OR SERVICES LISTED IN 1902(a) OF THE ACT THAT ARE INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAM UNDER THE PLAN ARE DESCRIBES BELOW:

[CITATION](#)
[42 CFR 440.130](#)

[**Preventive Services**](#)

[**Ambulance Facilitation of Telehealth Services**](#)

[**Reimbursement Methodology**](#)

[Effective for dates of service on or after May 12, 2023, Louisiana Medicaid will reimburse for ambulance facilitation of telehealth services according to a published fee schedule.](#)

[Except as otherwise noted in the plan, state-developed fee schedule rates are the same for both governmental and private providers of preventive services. The agency's fee schedule rate was set as of March 31, 2022, and is effective for services provided on or after that date. All rates are published on the agency's website at \[www.lamedicaid.gov\]\(http://www.lamedicaid.gov\).](#)