



## Medicaid Physician Reimbursement Rate Increase Effective July 1, 2025

Effective July 1, 2025, the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) has announced an increase in Medicaid physician reimbursement rates. This change is authorized by Act 306 of the 2024 Regular Legislative Session and funded through House Bill 1 of the 2025 Session.

Under the new reimbursement structure, rates for eligible services will be increased to 85% of the March 2024 Medicare rates for Louisiana Region (locality) 99. Services that are already reimbursed at or above this level will not be affected. The updated rates will be applied retroactively to July 1, 2025, and providers are not required to take any action for claims reprocessing. Claims previously paid at the old rates will be automatically adjusted to reflect the new reimbursement amounts.

Fee schedules reflecting the updated rates will be available on [the Louisiana Medicaid website](#) beginning August 15, 2025.

Fee Schedule	Expected Publication Date
Professional Services	August 15,2025
Laboratory & Radiology	August 15,2025
Immunization Administration	August 15,2025
Formula Based Anesthesia Services	TBD
Maternity	TBD

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Louisiana (UHC) will update its systems and reprocess impacted claims within 30 days of the applicable fee schedule publication.

For questions regarding fee-for-service claims, providers should contact Gainwell Technologies Provider Relations at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040.

LDH has published Informational Bulletin 25-20 for your reference [IB25-20.pdf](#).

For questions or concerns regarding any bulletin, contact UnitedHealthcare Community Plan at 1-866-675-1607.