

# Early Intervention Services Quick Reference Guide

#### What services are covered?

Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. and Clear Health Alliance (Simply) cover services under the Early Intervention Services (EIS) program for Florida's infants and toddlers from birth to 36 months of age who have EIS services authorized in their Individualized Family Support Plan and rendered through an Early Steps Program-approved provider.

- All services listed in the Florida Medicaid Early Intervention Services Coverage Policy
- Child Targeted Case Management Services as specified in the Florida Medicaid *Child Health Services Targeted Case Management Coverage and Limitations Handbook* (T1017TL)
- Therapy services listed in the Florida Medicaid Physical, Occupational, and Speech Language Pathology coverage policies when billed with the TL modifier (beginning April 1, 2020)

#### How are EIS services authorized?

No authorization is required from Simply for Early Intervention Services, Child Health Targeted Case Management (T1017TL) or Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapy provided through the Early Steps Program when rendered by an approved Early Steps Program provider.

#### Which procedure codes should I bill?

Providers must use the codes specified in the applicable EIS, TCM or Therapy Medicaid Fee Schedule.

• Beginning April 1, 2020, EIS therapy services must include the TL modifier on the claim in the first position.

NOTE: Therapy services billed without the TL modifier in the first position will not be treated as an EIS-related claim, and may result in the claim being denied or paid incorrectly.

### How do I submit a claim?

#### Paper claims process:

Please ensure claims are submitted on a *CMS-1500* claim form. Submit Statewide Medicaid Managed Care Managed Medical Assistance (SMMC MMA) claims to the following address:

Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. Attn: SMMC MMA P.O. Box 61010 Virginia Beach, VA 23466-1020

### **Electronic claims process:**

\* Availity, LLC is an independent company providing administrative support services on behalf of Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. and Clear Health Alliance.

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Log in to the Availity Portal at https://www.availity.com.

Availity Payer ID	Simply	Clear Health Alliance (CHA)
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For questions about claims, please contact your Provider Relations representative or Provider Services at **1-844-405-4296**. To access provider training materials and additional information, visit **https://provider.simplyhealthcareplans.com/florida-provider** for Simply and **https://provider.clearhealthalliance.com/florida-provider** for CHA.