

OTHER LICENSED PROVIDERS

ND Medicaid covers independently licensed practitioners referred to in policy as Other Licensed Practitioners (OLPs) pursuant to [42 CFR § 440.60](#). Enrolled OLPs recognized by ND Medicaid and authorized under attachment 3.1-A Item 6.d and Attachment 3.1-B Item 6.d of the state plan may bill ND Medicaid for covered services allowed within their scope of practice.

APPLICABILITY

Practitioners currently recognized as OLPs are:

- Nurse Practitioners (NPs)
- Physicians Assistants (PAs)
- Certified Nurse Midwives (CNMs)
- Clinical Nurse Specialists (CNSs)
- Licensed Psychologists
- Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSWs)
- Licensed Professional Clinical Counselors (LPCCs)
- Licensed Professional Counselors (LPCs)
- Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists (LMFTs)
- Licensed Addiction Counselors (LACs)
- Licensed School Psychologists who have obtained a specialist degree in school psychology from a national association of school psychology-accredited institution or who have achieved the national certification of school psychologist certification.

REQUIREMENTS

NPs, CNMs, CNSs, and PAs must receive an individual provider number even if they are a member of a group, clinic, or employed by an outpatient hospital or other organized health care delivery system. Medicaid-billable services within a NP, CNM, CNS, or PA scope of practice consist of services otherwise covered as a physician services.