HCBS Provider Training
MyCare Ohio

Home Modification and Vehicle Modification
MyCare Ohio – ICDS Program

Buckeye Service Areas
- NE – Northeast
- NW – Northwest
- WC – West Central

For a complete overview of MyCare Ohio go to the Ohio Department of Medicaid website:
http://medicaid.ohio.gov/FOROHIOANS/Programs/ManagedCare/MyCareOhio.aspx
In May 2014 Ohio Medicaid launched a new integrated care delivery system (ICDS) called MyCare Ohio for most Medicare-Medicaid beneficiaries.

The goal of MyCare is to manage the full continuum of Medicare and Medicaid benefits for Medicare-Medicaid enrollees, including long-term care and behavioral health care services.

Buckeye’s requirements for MyCare Ohio are outlined in the 3-Way contract with US Dept of HHS Centers for Medicare & Medicaid (CMS) and the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM).
The Medicare-Medicaid “Dual Eligible” patient population is being closely watched and compared.

So far the outcomes for MyCare are pointing to improvements in chronic conditions such as diabetes and hypertension.

These reported successes and positive outcomes demonstrate what can happen when providers offer services in their homes and communities.
Home and Community-Based Providers are helping Buckeye achieve our mission and goal:

To transform the health of our community,

One person at a time.
Home Modification and Vehicle Modification

Training Summary

- New Bid Request
- Bid Request Distribution
- Bid Request Deadlines
- Bid Award Notification
- Authorization Process
- Work Completion Requirement
- Claims Submission & Payment
Creating the New Bid Request

Bid requests for all Buckeye members (regardless of age) will come directly from Buckeye.

- The Bid Request is based on an identified need as determined by either the Occupational Therapist (OT) or the Physical Therapist (PT) through a full functional evaluation.
- The request is reviewed by members of the Buckeye Care Management Team and the Home Modification Manager.
- After review the official Bid Request will be sent by email out to the list of waiver-certified Home Modification Providers contracted with Buckeye Health Plan.
Distribution of the Bid Request

- Each bid request will be sent to all Home Modification providers in the members’ MyCare region regardless of type of work being requested (ramp building, grab bars, vehicle modification, tub/shower, etc.)

- The Standard Bid Record (Form A) will list the Request ID, Submission Deadline and Description of requested services

- Provider to complete and submit the Standard Bid Record (Form A) according to details in the Requested Service area of Form A – which will vary.

- Provider should email BHP_HomeMods@centene.com with questions and for clarification.
Standard Bid Record (Form A)

- Request ID
- Member Information
- Deadline
- Procedure Code
- Contact Info
- Diagnosis Code
- List all bid detail that meets the list of Requested Services

Provider to complete this section:
- Project Information
- Provider Contact Info

http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/

Providers submitting bids MUST adhere to rules as set forth in OAC 5160: Chapters 45, 46, 50, and 58; OAC 173: Chapter 39; and all State and Local Building Codes.
Bid Request Deadline and Bid Award Notification

- Bid requests will be accepted until 5:00pm on the deadline date.
- The provider awarded the bid will receive:
  #1 Bid Award Notification email
  #2 Form A with a signature from Buckeye

**IMPORTANT: No provider may begin work of any kind without #1 & #2**

- All providers that submitted Form A, but were not chosen, will receive notification by email.
- Bid requests, approvals, and general communication will be sent to providers via the centralized email: BHP_HomeMods@centene.com
Authorization Process

Authorization confirmation is required to submit a claim/payment request.

5-step Process to Obtain Authorization

1) Approval to begin work: Provider receives a Bid Award Notification & signed Form A by email that officially awards the job. No work can begin before both are in-hand.

2) Provider indicates services are completed: Provider completes, signs and returns Form D

3) Approval to release payment for completed services: Buckeye Care Manager/Waiver Service Coordinator will coordinate with the Member/POA to sign Form D indicating satisfaction with completed work
Form D is the Member Acknowledgement of Completed Work - the Final Release Process . . .

4) Member’s Service Plan will be updated to include the Home or Vehicle Modification service description, provider name and amount.

5) Authorization Confirmation will be sent to the provider.
   - This final process will take 7-14 days.
   - Provider can Submit a Claim for payment once the Authorization Confirmation is received.
Helpful Hints for Successful Completion of Form D:

1) Member’s full name
2) Description of work completed (reference Form A for accuracy)
3) Describe Routine Care and Maintenance needed. Attach owners manuals, warranty, instructions. This area should not be blank. Write “N/A” is this is the case.
4) Provider information, signature and Service Date, which is completion date.

Return completed form to BHP_HomeMods@centene.com and member’s signatures will be coordinated separately.
Submit a Claim

- Login into the Provider Portal at https://provider.buckeyehealthplan.com
- Refer to the HCBS Quick Billing Guide training module for step-by-step instructions

Specific to Home and Vehicle Modification claims submissions:

- Diagnosis code: R6889
- Place of Service*: Home
- Procedure code: S5165 or T2029 (reference Form A)
- Modifiers: enter nothing here
- Dates of Service: completion date - last day of work in both date fields
- Units/Minutes/Days*: always enter “1”
- Attachments: (optional) Form A and Form D
FAQs

I have bid requests from the Area Agency on Aging, are those valid? All bid requests for Buckeye MyCare waiver members will come from, and should be returned to, our mailbox BHP_homemods@centene.com. Any requests you receive from another entity are not for our members and do not follow this workflow. Bids should be returned to that entity, and Form A should NOT be used.

Will I get more bid requests as a result of this process change? Yes, it is likely you will receive more bid requests. Each request will be sent (via an automated process) to all providers within member’s MyCare region. Please bid on those to which you are interested, and if possible, let us know if you will not bid.
The deadline on the request is approaching and I haven’t submitted my bid yet, will it be accepted? To ensure consideration, please contact Buckeye if circumstances will cause bid to be delayed. We cannot guarantee bids will be accepted after the deadline has passed.

My bid was returned to me asking for more information, why? It is likely your bid did not meet the requirements for a complete submission. All bids must include Form A, detailed description of the work, cost of materials and labor, materials list, before and after drawings/photos with complete dimensions, warranty information, statement of workmanship, and statement that provider meets OAC requirements. Bids must address the requested service only. Please reference Form A for details.
FAQs

How can I improve the chances of my bid being selected? Please submit a complete bid that meets member’s need as indicated by the request form on or before the deadline date. Where applicable, ADA compliance must be addressed (or a detailed description of why this cannot be achieved).

While at the home to bid (or while completing the approved work), member indicated they want something different than the bid states. What should I do? Please direct member to their Care Manager and contact Buckeye immediately. Bids that do not match the request will not be considered. Changes in work scope and/or cost MUST be approved in writing by Buckeye prior to commencing work or they will not be considered.
I finished the work as ordered. What do I do next? Please return Form D (sent with approval documentation) with provider signature and date of service to Buckeye. Upon receipt, member’s Care Manager will review the work and sign off on the form. Fully completed form must be on file before an authorization number will be released. An authorization number is required to submit a claim successfully.
Contacts

For questions related to bids or in process jobs, please contact:

Buckeye Health Plan
Attn: Home Modification Specialist
4349 Easton Way Suite 200
Columbus, Ohio 43219
866-246-4356 x 63508
BHP_HomeMods@centene.com

For questions related to claims or billing, please contact:
Provider Services at 1-866-296-8731
QUESTIONs
Call your Provider Relations Representative or
866-246-4356 - ext. 24291
Thank You!