

Children's Medical Service (CMS) Program

May 28, 2025

Providers and Program Stakeholders:

The Maryland Department of Health (MDH) is excited to announce the Go-Live for the new Children's Medical Service Program Provider Portal, **Wednesday May 28, 2025.**

You can access the portal via the following link:

Provider Portal: https://phpa.my.site.com/providerportal/s/

What this means:

• CMS Applications:

 Effective Monday, June 16, 2025, all providers must submit applications through the new Salesforce Provider Portal. Applications submitted via the existing Cognito form will no longer be accepted or reviewed.

CMS Pre-Authorizations:

 Effective <u>Monday</u>, <u>June 30</u>, <u>2025</u>, all providers <u>must</u> submit pre-authorizations through the <u>new Salesforce Provider Portal</u>. Pre-authorizations submitted via the existing Cognito form will no longer be accepted or reviewed.

This modernization will bring a more secure and user-friendly experience for participants and providers by streamlining processes, expediting service delivery, and offering more robust tracking capabilities.

As you begin using the new system, **we anticipate you may have questions**. For any inquiries, please contact <u>mdh.childrensmedicalservices@maryland.gov</u> or <u>crmsd@mdthink.maryland.gov</u>

Thank you for your patience during this transition.

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