

Medicaid Applied Behavior Analysis Services Fee Schedule

~~Proposed August 1, 2021~~ July 1, 2022

I. Applied Behavior Analysis Services

The Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) assumes full professional responsibility for all services provided by an intermediate professional or registered behavior technician (RBT). All services are billed under the BCBA's provider NPI. Providers bill using standard Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) procedure codes and are reimbursed according to the Department's RBRVS system.

[The current RBRVS fee schedule is available on the Montana Healthcare Programs Provider Information website.](#)

Applied Behavior Analysis Services do not require co-pay.

The following table summarizes services available to Medicaid members.

| Service | Procedure | Modifier 1 | Modifier 2 | Unit | Reimbursement | Limits |
|--|-----------------------------|------------|------------|--------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Behavior identification assessment by professional(BCBA), each 15 minutes | 97151 | - | - | 15 min | \$35.96 <u>\$36.27</u> | Authorization package of 1,260 units of service for all procedure codes to be used over 180 calendar days. |
| Behavior identification assessment by intermediate professional (BCaBA) each 15 minutes | 97151 | TC | - | 15 min | \$26.64 <u>\$26.85</u> | - |
| Behavior identification assessment by technician, each 15 minutes | 97152 | - | - | 15 min | \$10.11 <u>\$10.20</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by technician using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 97153 | - | - | 15 min | \$10.11 <u>\$10.20</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by technician with multiple patients using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 954 <u>97154</u> | - | - | 15 min | \$3.38 <u>\$3.39</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by professional (BCBA) using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 97155 | - | - | 15 min | \$18.20 <u>\$18.37</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by intermediate professional (BCaBA), using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 97155 | TC | - | 15 min | \$13.48 <u>\$13.62</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by professional (BCBA) or intermediate professional (BCaBA) with family | 97156 | - | - | 15 min | \$18.20 <u>\$18.37</u> | - |

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| using an established plan, each 15 minutes | | | | | | |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by professional (BCBA) or intermediate professional (BCaBA), with multiple family group members using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 97157 | - | - | 15 min | \$6.06 <u>\$6.13</u> | - |
| Adaptive behavior treatment by professional (BCBA) or intermediate professional (BCaBA), with group using an established plan, each 15 minutes | 97158 | - | - | 15 min | \$6.06 <u>\$6.13</u> | - |