

MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE

December 2, 2021

Psychologists

Effective Immediately

Psychometrics Performed by a Psychometrist Under Psychologist Supervision

This notice serves to inform licensed psychologists that an unlicensed technician or psychometrist may perform psychometrics work as an employee within their practice. The licensed psychologist must assume all professional liability for the unlicensed technician or psychometrist and is responsible for the interpretation of the test results.

Billing for psychometrist services performed by an unlicensed technician or psychometrist may be submitted under the licensed psychologist's NPI. Providers must adhere to the standards and practices of Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) when coding.

The licensed psychologist must practice within their scope of practice according to state law and the state's licensure board for psychologists.

Contact Information

For questions regarding this notice, please contact Children's Mental Health Bureau Program Officer Brittany Craig by email at Brittany.Craig@mt.gov or by phone at (406) 444-6018.

For claims questions or additional information, contact Montana Provider Relations at (800) 624-3958 or (406) 442-1837 or email Montana Provider Relations Helpdesk.

Visit the Montana Healthcare Programs Provider Information website at https://medicaidprovider.mt.gov.