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**Attention:** South Dakota Medicaid Providers

**From:** South Dakota Medicaid

**Re:** Community Health Worker Resources and Tools

Community health workers (CHW) can help Medicaid recipients navigate the healthcare system and provide health coaching, promotion, and education. CHW services are [reimbursable](#) by South Dakota Medicaid for providers enrolled as a CHW agency.

South Dakota Medicaid works closely with the Community Health Worker Collaborative of South Dakota (CHWSD) to promote these services. The CHWSD has compiled several tools in a single location for providers wanting to learn more about Medicaid coverage and enrolling as a Community Health Worker Agency. Resources available include the following:

- A Provider Enrollment Checklist
- Policies and Procedures Template and Checklist
- Links to the Provider Enrollment Portal
- Links to the Medicaid Billing and Policy Manual, and
- Type 2 Billing NPI Resources

These tools can be found at <https://chwsd.org/sd-medicaid-reimbursement/>.

For more information on the CHW Collaborative of South Dakota please visit their website at <https://chwsd.org>.

Sincerely,

South Dakota Medicaid