

South Dakota Medicaid
State Plan Amendments and 1115 Demonstration Applications

As of January 15, 2025

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SPAs in Tribal Consultations				
SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Date Public Comment Period Ends
	None at this time.			

Anticipated SPAs	
SPA Description	Anticipated Start of Tribal Consultation
None at this time.	

SPAs Being Prepared for CMS Submission				
SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Date Public Comment Period Ends
25-0004	CHIP – Juvenile Justice and Targeted Case Management <i>Implements targeted case management services in the 30 days prior to release from public institutions for eligible juveniles under 21 years of age or between ages 18-26 for recipients in the former foster care group in accordance with Section 5121 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023.</i>	01/01/2025	12/16/2024	01/15/2024
25-0003	Medicaid – Juvenile Justice and Targeted Case Management <i>Implements targeted case management services in the 30 days prior to release from public institutions for eligible juveniles under 21 years of age or between ages 18-26 for recipients in the former foster care group in accordance with Section 5121 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023.</i>	01/01/2025	12/16/2024	01/15/2024
25-0001	Doula and Targeted Case Management Services - Alternative Benefit Plan <i>Brings the Alternative Benefit Plan for the expanded adult population into alignment with two Medicaid State Plan amendments currently pending approval to add coverage of doula services (SPA #24-0017) and targeted case management services (SPA #25-0003).</i>	01/01/2025	12/16/2024	01/15/2024

SPAs in CMS Review

SPA #	SPA Description	Date Effective	Tribal Consultation Start Date	Tribal Consultation End Date	Date Submitted to CMS
25-0002	Medicaid Recovery Audit Contractor Program <i>Seeks an exemption to the federal requirement mandating the state to establish a Medicaid Recovery Audit Contractor Program. The State already maintains a low error rate and does not believe an adequate amount of revenue would be generated to attract vendors to the program.</i>	06/01/2025	11/18/2024	12/18/2024	01/10/2025
24-0016	Preadmission Screening and Annual Resident Reviews (PASRR) <i>Services Clarifies the state plan to reflect current practice for Preadmission Screening and Annual Resident Reviews (PASRR) specialized services in nursing facilities and the available categorical determinations options. The SPA does not change the State's current level of care determination process.</i>	10/01/2024	09/30/2024	10/30/2024	11/04/2024
24-0007	School District Services and Medicaid Administrative Claiming <i>Adds school-district services and reimbursement for direct school-based health services and Medicaid Administrative Claiming (MAC) to the State Plan to reflect current coverage. The update also includes a school district services cost settlement methodology.</i>	08/06/2024	08/05/2024	09/04/2024	09/17/2024

Approved SPAs

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24-0017	Doula Services <i>Proposes to implement coverage and reimbursement for doula services including continuous physical, emotional, and informational support to the birthing parent during the prenatal, labor & delivery, and postpartum periods. Services will be provided by qualified individuals with doula certifications from programs approved by South Dakota Medicaid.</i>	01/01/2024	10/21/2024	11/20/2024	11/27/2024	01/10/2024
24-0015	Substitution of Coverage - CHIP SPA <i>Removes the 90-day waiting period prior to CHIP enrollment for substitution of coverage as required by CMS final rule (CMS-2421-FS).</i>	07/01/2024	08/26/2024	09/24/2024	09/25/2024	12/16/2024
24-0014	SFY25 Inflationary Increase and Clean-Up SPA <i>Implements the inflationary rate increases appropriated by the state legislature during the 2024 legislative session effective July 1, 2024, and updates multiple areas of the State Plan to align with South Dakota Administrative Rule and current practice.</i>	07/01/2024	06/17/2024	07/17/2024	08/05/2024	10/23/2024
24-0012	Elimination of Recipient Cost Share for Medical Services <i>Exempts cost-sharing for Medicaid recipients and medical services that are currently subject to cost-sharing.</i>	07/01/2024	05/28/2024	06/28/2024	07/24/2024	10/18/2024