



Oxygen Wound Therapy Special Update

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Providers, Medicaid beneficiaries and Medicaid Managed Care Organizations (MMCOS) were notified in the May 2017 Medicaid Update that the New York State Medicaid Program was eliminating coverage of topical oxygen wound therapy (TOWT) effective July 1, 2017.

This is to notify providers, Medicaid beneficiaries and MMCOS that the May 2017 determination is rescinded. In addition, the Department will present the subject of Topical Oxygen Wound Therapy to its Evidence Based Benefit Review Advisory Committee (EBBRAC) for review and recommendation.

Pending the EBBRAC review and recommendation and until the Department's final determination regarding coverage of Topical Oxygen Wound Therapy, Medicaid fee-for-service and Medicaid Managed Care will continue to cover TOWT in accordance with the Department's existing procedures.

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