

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Pregnancy Risk Assessment and Notification System Coming Soon

To increase efficient pregnancy notification, the Ohio Department of Medicaid is moving to a web-based pregnancy risk assessment and notification system (PRAF 2.0). This system allows providers to simultaneously notify managed care plans and county departments of job and family services (CDJFS) of a woman's pregnancy so that her eligibility is not disrupted and she can be efficiently connected with services.

Other key benefits of the new system include:

- » Prescriptions and home health referrals for progesterone are processed in real time.
- » Provider staff can save online forms to allow for updates by multiple users prior to submission, and once submitted all completed forms are available online.
- » CDJFS pregnancy and readiness coordinators will receive daily emails of new pregnancy notifications.
- » Managed health care plans can download information into their care management systems for more efficient connections to care.

Changes for patients that are at risk of preterm birth and quality for progesterone:

- » Providers can submit a home health referral and fax a prescription for injectable progesterone to the managed care plan's specialty pharmacy for patients enrolled in a Medicaid managed care plan.
- » Providers can print out a prescription for injectable progesterone and fax it to the pharmacy of choice for patients enrolled in traditional (fee-for-service) Medicaid.
- » Providers can print out a prescription for vaginal progesterone and fax it to the appropriate pharmacy for patients enrolled in a Medicaid managed care plan or traditional (fee-for-service) Medicaid.

More details and training opportunities will be available within the next few months to prepare for the launch of the new system. In the meantime, please use the following forms to notify the managed care plan and CDJFS about an individual's pregnancy, address identified needs, and expedite progesterone receipt: [ODM 10207i \(Instruction For Completing the ODM 10207 Pregnancy Risk Assessment Communication\)](#) and [ODM 10207 \(Pregnancy Risk Assessment Communication\)](#). These forms have replaced ODM 03535 (Pregnancy Risk Assessment Form), which is no longer available.

Please e-mail questions, comments and recommendations to Progesterone_PIP@medicaid.ohio.gov.

Thank you for your cooperation.