

January 6, 2023

Re: Effective 2/1/2023: Optum is the Behavioral Health vendor for: Employee Medical Health of Suffolk County (EMHP)

Dear Valued Provider:

United Behavioral Health, operating under the brand Optum is pleased to inform you that effective **February 1, 2023**; Optum is now the behavioral health vendor for the following customer:

Employee Medical Health of Suffolk County (EMHP)

Effective **February 1, 2023**, these members must receive their covered behavioral health care services from an Optum, participating network provider. You will be reimbursed for the covered services you render to these members in accordance with the existing provisions of your Participation Agreement.

Please be aware that you are an in-network provider for patients with this coverage and accept referrals from us as you normally do. You can refer to the information on the back of the patient's ID card for customer service and claims submission information to ensure prompt payment for services you provide. Additionally, all authorization and claim processes outlined in the Optum National Network Manual, available at providerexpress.com, are applicable for this membership.

Thank you for your continued participation in the Optum network. Your commitment is vital to providing quality care and service to Optum members.

Please contact Optum Behavioral Network Services at **1-877-614-0484** or email nynetworkmanagement@optum.com if you have questions.

Sincerely, Robert Bachor Director, Provider Relations, Behavioral Network Services Optum I United Behavioral Health