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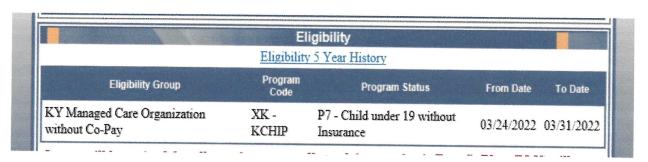
TO: KENTUCKY CERTIFIED BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CLINICS (CCBHC) PT16

FROM: Leslie Hoffmann, Deputy Commissioner

DATE: March 31, 2022

RE: S-CHIP Benefit Category

The Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) has received guidance from CMS relative to children receiving benefits under the S-CHIP category of benefits and their inclusion in the CCBHC Demonstration. This CMS guidance directs that the S-CHIP benefit category are **excluded** as eligible to receive services in the CCBHC demonstration. For Kentucky Medicaid, S-CHIP is identified within MMIS as Program Code XK with a Program Status code of either P7 or I7. (See below example)



Review of claims confirms that PT 16 (CCBHC) claims have been submitted for these enrollees since CCBHC Demonstration start on 01/01/2022. DMS directs that effective April 1, 2022, providers must verify a child's eligibility, and if that eligibility reflects a program code of XK and a status code of P7 (as shown above) or I7, services for that enrollee must be billed through your PT 30 (CMHC) provider number.

DMS will provide additional instructions for correcting submitted claims in the near future.

Thank you for your attention to this communication.

