

PROVIDER ALERT

Resource Shared Amount (RSA) Column Added to PRA September 9, 2021

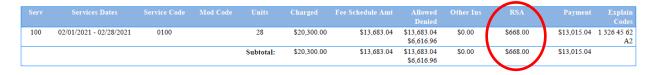
Target Audience: All Behavioral Health Providers

Note to all providers: A Resource Shared Amount (RSA) column will be added to all Provider Remittance Advice (PRA) documents beginning the week of September 6, 2021. However, as RSAs are typically utilized by PT88 and PT07 only, this column will typically appear empty for other providers.

Optum Maryland wishes to inform PT88 and PT07 providers of an update to PRAs which, from the week of September 6, 2021 forward will include an additional column to detail RSA activity on claims. An RSA is an additional funding source that a Medicaid participant may have access to, that can be applied toward claims payment.

When a provider submits a claim to Optum for services provided to a patient, they must bill the full amount. If the patient is in long-term care <u>and</u> has an RSA, Optum will deduct the RSA and pay the billing provider the remaining amount.

- Shown below is a sample PRA. In this example a participant has an RSA of \$668, and a claim for this participant's treatment is allowed for \$13,683.04,
 Optum will deduct the \$668 RSA (which will be shown on the PRA) and pay the provider the remaining allowed amount of \$13,015.04. The provider would then collect the \$50 RSA.
- Please note the Explain Codes "326" and "A2" are used where an RSA is applied.



The RSA amount will be applied once per month, **or**, where the RSA amount is greater than the allowed amount, the RSA will be applied against every claim until the RSA balance is used in full.

If you have questions about the information contained in this alert, please contact Optum Maryland customer services at 1-800-888-1965.

Thank you,

Optum Maryland Team