

**Affected Programs:** BadgerCare Plus, Medicaid  
**To:** Prenatal Care Coordination Providers — City of Racine Only

## Change to Provider Requirement for Child Care Coordination Services in the City of Racine

Effective January 1, 2012, prenatal care coordination providers are no longer required to establish a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the city of Racine in order to provide child care coordination (CCC) services to residents within the city of Racine. Additional criteria to qualify to provide CCC services remain the same.

### Child Care Coordination Services in the City of Racine

Medicaid-certified prenatal care coordination (PNCC) providers within the city of Racine have the option of providing child care coordination (CCC) services in partnership with a program to reduce fetal and infant mortality and morbidity (per s. 253.16, Wis. Stats.).

Effective January 1, 2012, PNCC providers are no longer required to establish a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the city of Racine in order to provide CCC services within the city of Racine.

To qualify to provide CCC services within the city of Racine, a provider is required to continue to meet the following criteria:

- Be a Medicaid-certified PNCC provider within the city of Racine (defined as a provider whose physical address falls within ZIP codes 53401 to 53408).

- Establish an MOU with state-contracted HMOs providing services within the city of Racine. At a minimum, the MOU must identify a contact person at both the HMO and PNCC provider's office and address communication and coordination, including frequency of contacts and referrals between programs.

For more information about CCC services, refer to the Child Care Coordination service area of the Online Handbook on the ForwardHealth Portal at [www.forwardhealth.wi.gov/](http://www.forwardhealth.wi.gov/).

The *ForwardHealth Update* is the first source of program policy and billing information for providers.

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