



OhioRISE

*Resilience through Integrated
Systems and Excellence*





HOW is OhioRISE different from regular Ohio Medicaid behavioral health coverage?

OhioRISE offers behavioral health services beyond those covered by Ohio Medicaid. These services support youth with significant mental health or substance use disorder needs.

OhioRISE members receive these behavioral health services through Aetna (the OhioRISE plan). Their regular healthcare coverage continues to come from their managed care organization or directly from Medicaid.

WHY are these services being provided by OhioRISE and not the “regular” Ohio Medicaid plan?

OhioRISE is designed to help children and youth who have complex health and behavioral health needs who often receive services from multiple systems such as:

- | Juvenile Justice
- | Child Protection
- | Schools
- | Developmental Disabilities Services
- | Mental Health or Addiction Services



OhioRISE brings these groups together to create a care plan centered on the child or youth and their family’s needs and preferences.

WHO may benefit from OhioRISE?

Children or youth who:

- Face significant behavioral health needs
- Need help from multiple systems (schools, children’s services, courts, etc.)
- Need help getting the right kind of services
- Are returning home from out-of-home treatment
- Are at risk of out-of-home placement

WHO may be eligible for OhioRISE?

Children or youth who:

-  Are eligible for Ohio Medicaid (either managed care or fee-for-service),
-  Are aged 0-20 at the time of enrollment
-  Show a need for help with behavioral health treatment, when an assessment called the Ohio Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (**CANS**) is completed
-  May qualify after a behavioral health-related hospital stay

WHAT additional services is available to OhioRISE members?

OhioRISE offers new and enhanced behavioral health services, such as:



Care
Coordination



Intensive Home-
Based Treatment



Psychiatric Residential
Treatment Facilities



Behavioral
Health Respite



Primary
Flex Funds



Mobile Response and
Stabilization Services

WHEN can a child or youth start receiving OhioRISE services?

Once a child or youth is found eligible for Medicaid and their CANS assessment is entered into the CANS IT system, they're enrolled right away. A care coordinator will call within a few days to get things started.

Children and youth who enrolled in Medicaid and are admitted to the hospital for behavioral health or substance use treatment, are enrolled in OhioRISE on the day they're admitted.

WHAT is a CANS assessment?

A **CANS** assessment identifies the strengths and needs of a child or youth and their caregivers. OhioRISE uses it to determine service eligibility and guide care planning. Results are stored in the CANS IT System and updated regularly to track progress.

How to ask for a CANS assessment

A child or youth can receive a CANS assessment by contacting their managed care organization, Aetna Better Health Ohio, a local care management entity, or the Medicaid Consumer Hotline.

Behavioral health providers or Family and Children First Councils may be able to do a CANS assessment themselves or help you find someone who can.



Learn more about **OhioRISE**



Scan the QR code or visit the OhioRISE website at managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov/ohiorise. Email questions at OhioRISE@medicaid.ohio.gov.

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