

**Aetna Better Health® Kids**

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A CHIP Health Plan**

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**July 28, 2025**

### **Attention CHIP PCP Providers!**

### **We are inviting you to participate in S.M.I.L.E – Summer Medical Initiative For Lasting Enamel**

Aetna Better Health Kids has developed a pilot program to promote topical fluoride varnish application in your office.

**When does it run?**

This pilot program for PCP's will begin on August 1st through October 31st, 2025.

**What providers are eligible?**

All CHIP PCP providers (PCP, PA's, CRNP's) who submit topical fluoride CPT 99188 claims for **CHIP enrollees** are eligible to participate. FQHC's and RHC's are **excluded**.

**Is certification still needed for CPT 99188?**

No. Providers no longer need to complete and submit certification in order to bill for topical fluoride application CPT 99188.

**Provider Incentives:**

Providers who submit claims with CPT 99188 for **CHIP enrollees** during this time frame will be paid an additional \$10.

**Contact Information:**

For any other provider questions, please feel free to contact us at the Claims Customer Service Contact (CICR) center at 1-866-638-1232.

We thank you for your continued participation in our network and for the quality treatment you provide to your members.

Sincerely,

Aetna Better Health Kids