



## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

To: Allegian Health Plans Providers  
From: Devin Zakrzewski, CEO  
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Date: June 12, 2017  
  
Subject: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas Completes Acquisition of  
Allegian Health Plans

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX) has announced that it completed the acquisition of Allegian Health Plans (AHP). As of June 1, 2017, AHP's Medicare Advantage and commercial insurance plan portfolio will now roll up to BCBSTX.

AHP will continue to manage the existing contracts with our valued providers until December 31, 2017; and Allegian members will continue to use their current Allegian Health Plans ID Cards and their benefits will not change until the end of this year or their renewal dates; whichever is earlier.

There will also be no immediate changes to the procedures you already use to verify eligibility, obtain prior authorizations, submit claims, submit claim inquiries, file appeals, contact numbers, etc. Please continue to use the same phone numbers, EDI and mailing addresses, website and the provider portal you currently use for these activities.

We value our relationships with our providers, and we will continue to work in collaboration with BCBSTX to ensure a smooth and seamless transition.

Thank you for your continued support.