



PROVIDER ALERT

Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) Provider Readiness Assessment Closing

March 27, 2017

Dear Provider:

Optum Idaho is working in collaboration with the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare (IDHW) to further enhance the Idaho Behavioral Health Plan continuum of care by investing in accountable, outcome-driven and recovery-centered programs and services. We are excited to continue this effort by **implementing IOP as a new service** for adults and children/adolescents with Behavioral Health and Substance Use Disorder (SUD) needs.

As a reminder, **the Readiness Assessment Tool closes this Wednesday, March 29, 2017 at 5:00 p.m. MDT.** *Completing the Readiness Assessment Tool is a required element for becoming an in-network provider of IOP.*

The direct link to the Readiness Assessment is <http://respond.altarum.org/s3/iopassessment> or you can find it at optumidaho.com under "For Network Providers" and "Provider Trainings."

The Readiness Assessment Tool is designed to assist your organization and Optum in determining your current resources, capabilities, and needs related to the development and implementation of IOP services. It should take approximately two hours for you to gather the necessary information and complete the tool.

If you have questions, please call the Optum Idaho Provider Line at **1-855-202-0983, extension 1.**

Thank you.

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