

## Transition of Children in Voluntary Foster Care Into Medicaid Managed Care

Effective July 1, 2021, children placed in voluntary foster care will transition into Medicaid Managed Care. Voluntary Foster Care Agencies (VFCAs) who obtain an Article 29-I licensure will be able to provide core limited health-related services (CLHRS) to foster care children, and other limited health related services (OLHRS) as determined by NYS. As part of this transition, MVP Health Care® (MVP) has a dedicated foster care liaison who will act as a single point of contact between MVP and the VFCAs, and other health care partners.

### Core limited health-related services include

- Skill building
- Nursing supports and medication management
- Medicaid treatment planning and discharge planning
- Clinical consultation and supervision
- Managed Care Liaison/ administration

### Limited health-related services may include

- Screening, diagnosis, and treatment related to physical/developmental/Behavioral Health
- Children and family treatment and support services (when designated a children's Provider)
- Children's home and community-based services (when designated a children's Provider)

## Training requirements

New York State requires Providers to take training related to VFCA. The training is self-directed; however, MVP PR representatives will be happy to assist or answer any questions. Providers are required to verify they have completed one of the trainings.

### Training Options

1. MVP Providers who are not eligible for Article 29-1 licensure should complete the **MVP Medicaid Children's Foster Care Training for Providers**
2. MVP Providers who are requesting the new Article 29-I licensure should complete the **MVP Medicaid Children's Foster Care Training for Foster Care Agencies**

Access the trainings at [mvphealthcare.com/VFCAeducation](https://mvphealthcare.com/VFCAeducation) and select the appropriate training document to meet your specific requirement.

To receive future FastFax messages by email, send a request to your Professional Relations Representative.

To view all faxed messages, visit [mvphealthcare.com/FastFax](https://mvphealthcare.com/FastFax).

**Questions?** Contact your MVP Professional Relations Representative or call the MVP Customer Care Center for Provider Services at 1-800-684-9286.

