

OhioRISE Transition Grants Announcement



The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) is pleased to announce \$25 million in grants will be available to expedite readiness and support the transition to OhioRISE.



OhioRISE Transition Grants will accelerate specific program initiatives to:

- Catalyze our work to meet the urgent Behavioral Health (BH) needs of Ohio's youth and their families
- Support critical workforce development necessary to build capacity for OhioRISE services
- Ensure a strong and successful OhioRISE start, which is vital to the overall success of implementation of the Next Generation of Managed Care.

OhioRISE Transition Program

The OhioRISE Transition Program is comprised of the following elements:



Soft-Launch Select Services



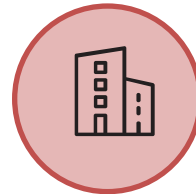
Workforce & Provider Development



Youth, Caregiver, & Community Engagement

Grant Funded Initiatives

Aetna Better Health of Ohio will administer grants to fund the following initiatives:



Launching Care Management Entities (CMEs) in early 2022

- Organizations will have the resources to **build capacity** and **begin providing new care coordination services** before OhioRISE's go-live



Maintaining and expanding Mobile Response and Stabilization Services (MRSS)

- Grant funds will continue **supporting existing MRSS providers** until OhioRISE goes live and assist in **standing up providers in new counties**

Support for grantees to build the System of Care in their communities across the state



- Aetna will **build relationships** with CMEs and MRSS providers while sparking their work to **develop the System of Care in Ohio communities**

References

OhioRISE website:

<https://managedcare.medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/manc/managed-care/ohiorise>

OhioRISE program questions:

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CME Application:

<https://www.aetnabetterhealth.com/ohio/cmeapplication>

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