



Dear Behavioral Health Provider:

RE: Direct Contracting Opportunity for Select Behavioral Health Clinicians

Inland Empire Health Plan (IEHP) is committed to improving Behavioral Health Services and wellness for our Members by developing direct relationships with Behavioral Health Clinicians and inviting select Behavioral Health Clinicians to join our network.

As a local public health plan, IEHP now has more than 1.25 million Members throughout Riverside and San Bernardino Counties and is focused on developing direct partnerships with Psychiatrists, Psychologists, LCSWs, LMFTs, Psychiatric-mental Health Nurse Practitioners and other Behavioral Health Care Providers who share our vision of providing high quality and Behavioral Healthcare to our Members.

Behavioral Health Clinicians are essential to helping our Members achieve recovery from mental illnesses and behavioral difficulties and are an essential, as well as an integrated partner with primary care practitioners. IEHP's Direct Behavioral Health Program offers Behavioral Health Specialists many benefits, including:

- **Streamlined Authorization & Claims Submission** – via IEHP's fast and secure Provider Portal
- **Competitive Reimbursement Rates** – based on current Medicare rates
- **Speedy Payment** – payment is an average of less than 3 weeks (in most cases)
- **Personal, Friendly Service** – IEHP wants to ensure a successful and lasting working relationship with its Providers
- **Meeting the Needs of an Underserved Population** – your clinical work can have significant and lasting impact on improving the lives of Members of our community

We would like to hear from you and better understand your interests, availability and your preferences. If you are unsure of your availability to receive referrals, we still welcome your feedback and would like to know a little more about your practice.

To learn more about Behavioral Health at IEHP, visit our Behavioral Health Section at www.iehp.org.

Please feel free to contact Provider Services at (909) 890-2054 or e-mail our Contracts department at Contract@iehp.org

Yours in good health,

Behavioral Health Department