

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE BY HIS EXCELLENCY CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR

Emergency Order #15 Pursuant to Executive Order 2020-04

Temporary authorization for out of state medical providers to provide medically necessary services and provide services through telehealth

Pursuant to Section 18 of Executive Order 2020-04, it is hereby ordered, effective immediately, that:

- 1. To protect the public's health and increase access to medical care in New Hampshire, any out-of-state medical provider whose profession is licensed within this State shall be allowed to perform any medically necessary service as if the medical provider were licensed to perform such service within the state of New Hampshire subject to the following conditions:
 - a) The medical provider is licensed and in good standing in another United States jurisdiction.
 - b) The medical services provided within New Hampshire are in-person or through appropriate forms of telehealth, as set forth in Emergency Order #8.
 - c) The medical provider presents to the Office of Professional Licensure & Certification evidence that they are licensed in good standing in another jurisdiction. Such medical providers shall be issued an emergency New Hampshire license at no cost, which shall remain valid during the declared state of emergency.
 - d) Medical providers shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the appropriate state licensing body while providing services within New Hampshire.
- 2. To further the temporary remote instruction and support of New Hampshire children, in-state and out-of-state medical providers shall be allowed to perform health care services through the use of all modes of telehealth, including video and audio, audio-only, and/or other electronic media to New Hampshire children enrolled within a New Hampshire school or in a school in another state, provided:
 - a) the services are in furtherance of an Individualized Education Program ("IEP") administered by the school in which the New Hampshire child is enrolled; and
 - b) the medical provider is a New Hampshire licensee or receives an emergency New Hampshire license in accordance with Section 1, above.

- 3. Good standing pursuant to this Order shall include medical providers who are subject to non-disciplinary conditions, but shall not include medical providers whose licenses have been revoked, cancelled, surrendered, suspended, denied, or subject to disciplinary restrictions.
- 4. The New Hampshire Office of Professional Licensure and Certification shall, as necessary provide assistance and guidance to out-of-state medical providers in consultation with the Department of Health and Human Services.
- 5. This Order shall remain in effect until the State of Emergency is terminated, or this Order is rescinded, whichever shall happen first.

Given under my hand and seal at the Executive Chambers in Concord, this 23rd day of March, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand and twenty, and the independence of the United States of America, two hundred and forty-four.

COVERNOR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE