

Listing Our Products: Guidance for Providers

Meridian and our family of plans provide government-sponsored managed care services to families, children, seniors, and individuals with complex medical needs. This includes [Meridian Medicaid Plan](#), [Meridian Medicare-Medicaid Plan](#), and [YouthCare HealthChoice Illinois](#), a specialized program for current and former Illinois Department of Children and Family Services youth. Our product family also includes [Ambetter](#), our Marketplace insurance plans with different coverage and premium levels, and [Wellcare](#), which offers a range of Medicare Advantage products.

Our plans connect members to care and offer comprehensive services to support lifelong health and wellness. Meridian is a wholly owned subsidiary of Centene Corporation, a leading healthcare enterprise committed to helping people live healthier lives.

Help Our Members Find Your Practice by Accurately Listing Our Products

Many practice groups and providers publish lists of their accepted insurance plans on websites and consumer-facing materials. Keeping these lists *current* and *accurate* assists healthcare consumers seeking care, and to support our providers, we have developed the following guidance. **Please consider updating patient and consumer-facing materials accordingly.**

When Listing All Accepted Insurance Products

If your practice/provider website includes an uncategorized list of accepted insurance products, please list our plans as shown below:

- **Ambetter**
- **Meridian Medicaid Plan**
- **Meridian Medicare-Medicaid Plan**
- **Wellcare**
- **YouthCare**

When Listing Accepted Insurance Products by Category

If your practice lists accepted insurance plans organized by product category (e.g., commercial insurance, Medicare, Medicaid, etc.), the table below indicates the appropriate product category for each of our products and the preferred listing on provider materials.

Preferred Product Listing	Product Category
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meridian Medicaid Plan • YouthCare 	Medicaid Managed Care (HealthChoice Illinois) Plans
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meridian Medicare-Medicaid Plan 	Medicare-Medicaid Alignment Initiative (MMAI) Plans
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambetter 	Marketplace/Exchange/Commercial Plans
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wellcare 	Medicare Advantage (Part C) Plans

A Note on Retired Branding

Just as the healthcare landscape is continuously evolving, so has Meridian and our family of brands. We have retired the “MeridianComplete” brand previously associated with our Medicare-Medicaid Plan, and we no longer use “Meridian Health” to brand the Medicaid-only plan.

- (Retired Brand) Meridian Health → (Current Brand) Meridian Medicaid Plan
- (Retired Brand) MeridianComplete → (Current Brand) Meridian Medicare-Medicaid Plan

Questions? Our Network team is here to help. Contact us at ILJoinOurNetwork@centene.com.