

## **First PPECC Medicaid Enrolled Provider, and PPECC Type and Place of Service**

### **Background:**

Prescribed Pediatric Extended Care Centers (PPECC) are a non-residential, facility-based alternative to private duty nursing. A PPECC offers physician prescribed services that meet the client's medical, nursing psychosocial, therapeutic and developmental needs. Services are directed to "medically and technologically dependent" children under age 21.

The benefit became payable effective July 1, 2017, but at the time, there were no licensed PPECCs in the state.

### **Key Details:**

PPECC services are provider type 15 (PPECC), Subcategory A4 (Clinic Outpatient-CCP), with a place of service 5 (Outpatient hospital).

### **Resource:**

PPECC Medicaid policy information can be found in the [Texas Medicaid Provider Procedures Manual, Volume 2, Children's Services Handbook, Section 2.14](#)