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## IHCP to require ABA agencies to be accredited

Beginning Oct. 1, 2027, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will require all newly enrolled and existing applied behavior analysis (ABA) group enrollments to be accredited. The IHCP will recognize accreditations from the following organizations:

- The Autism Commission on Quality (ACQ)
- The Behavioral Health Center of Excellence (BHCOE)\*



All currently enrolled ABA group enrollments must submit documentation demonstrating that the agency has initiated the accreditation process to the IHCP by Aug. 1, 2026. Documentation may be submitted to [INIXabaenrollments@gainwelltechnologies.com](mailto:INIXabaenrollments@gainwelltechnologies.com).

Alternatively, providers who are already accredited may upload a copy of their accreditation through the [IHCP Provider Healthcare Portal](#) (IHCP Portal) as a provider maintenance update. All documentation must be received by Aug. 1, 2026. Failure to provide documentation will result in the enrollment being deactivated.

All providers must have completed the accreditation process and remain actively accredited by Oct. 1, 2027, to remain IHCP-enrolled.

To support the delivery of high-quality ABA services and to protect the integrity of the IHCP, this accreditation requirement is being implemented to ensure that all ABA agencies meet consistent, nationally recognized standards of clinical quality, organizational oversight and ethical practice.

*\*Note: Any previous accreditation issued from BHCOE will be accepted until an agency's reaccreditation with ACQ.*

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