

**Effective Jan. 1, 2019**, Universal American (UAM) will integrate into **WellCare Health Plans, Inc.** systems and platforms. You can review all communications and required changes related to the integration on [www.wellcare.com](http://www.wellcare.com).

WellCare acquired Universal American in 2017 to strengthen WellCare's Medicare Advantage footprint in the key markets of New York, Maine, and Texas. In addition, the acquisition positions WellCare to further develop value-based provider relationships. This package includes information pertaining to the following:

- EDI payer ID changes and submissions
- Real Time Connectivity
- Electronic Funds Transfer and Electronic Remittance
- Correspondence addresses
- Mental health and substance abuse (Optum® termination)
- eviCore Utilization Management Services
- HealthHelp® – Specialty Benefits Manager

UAM Provider Resource Center will migrate over to WellCare’s New Provider Portal. To register for access, go to [WellCare.com](http://WellCare.com), select your state and click the login /register tab at the top of the page.

New branding and logos:

<b>Branding Decisions:</b>	<b>UAM Brand (Legacy)</b>	<b>1/1/2019 WellCare Brand</b>
New York	Today's Options®	WellCare Health Plans
Maine	Today's Options®	WellCare Health Plans
Texas	TexanPlus®	WellCare TexanPlus

WellCare values everything you do to deliver quality care to our members – your patients – and ensure they have a positive healthcare experience. Please visit our website at [www.wellcare.com](http://www.wellcare.com). Select your state. Then select the UAM migration Icon to see all required changes for Maine, New York and Texas.

We look forward to working with you.