

## Notice of Establishment & Commencement of Assessment Obligations

December 30, 2025

The Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) has established the **Rhode Island Primary Care Assessment Account (RI PCA)** in accordance with [Section 42-7.4-3 of the Rhode Island General Laws](#).

EOHHS has engaged KidsVax® (KV) to administer payer assessment operations for RI PCA. This notice serves as formal communication that payer compliance and assessment obligations will begin **January 1, 2026**.

### About the Program:

RI PCA establishes a sustainable funding model to support Rhode Island's primary care system and advance statewide goals for access, quality, prevention, and coordinated care. This model mirrors Rhode Island's long-standing, nationally recognized immunization and children's health assessments, providing predictable funding for essential healthcare services that benefit the entire state.

### Assessment Collections:

- The annual funding requirement for RI PCA is \$30 million, collected in quarterly installments of \$7.5 million.
- **No new reporting is required.** RI PCA will use the same covered lives data you already submit for the [Rhode Island Vaccine Assessment Program \(RIVAP\)](#) to calculate a uniform, statewide assessment rate.

### How your quarterly RI PCA assessment is calculated:

On an annual basis, the Secretary of the Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) establishes the total funding amount required to support statewide primary care initiatives. For RI PCA, this amount is allocated across all participating insurers using a uniform assessment rate per covered life, regardless of enrollee age.

Each insurer's quarterly RI PCA assessment is calculated by applying this uniform rate to the number of covered lives reported for the applicable quarter.

Invoices will be automatically generated and due as follows:

Measurement Period (RIVAP)	RI PCA Invoice Available	RI PCA Assessment Due
October – December	January 1	<b>January 30</b>
January – March	April 1	<b>April 30</b>
April – June	July 1	<b>July 31</b>
July – September	October 1	<b>October 30</b>

We appreciate your cooperation and partnership as Rhode Island launches this important initiative.

Sincerely,

**KidsVax®**

*Administrator for the Rhode Island Primary Care Assessment Account (RI PCA)*