



**BlueCross BlueShield
of Texas**

URGENT: DISASTER DECLARATION ISSUED FOR HURRICANE MARCO and TROPICAL STORM LAURA

Action Now:

On August 23, 2020, per the [Texas Health and Human Service Commission \(HHSC\)](#), Governor Greg Abbott issued a Disaster Declaration for Hurricane Marco and Tropical Storm Laura, for the following county of Jackson, Texas. These storms pose a threat of imminent disaster, including widespread and severe property damage, injury, and loss of life due to widespread flooding, storm surge, and damaging winds in our service area of Jackson County.

What does this mean?

The Governor authorized the use of all available resources of state government and political subdivisions to cope with the declaration of a state of disaster for the county and zip codes listed below exist.

Any state statute or administrative rule that would impede state agency's emergency response; which is necessary to protect life or property threatened by this disaster, is suspended during the declared disaster.

What County and Zip codes effected?

Our service area **Jackson County** is the impacted county. The following zip codes are affected: 77957, 77961, 77962, 77969, 77970, 77971, 77991

Have questions?

You can contact our BCBSTX Medicaid provider call center at 1-877-560-8055 or contact your BCBSTX Medicaid Provider Network Representative at 1-855-212-1615.

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