

PROVIDER BULLETIN

A bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Ohio provider networks

COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Fee Increase Information for Providers in the Medicaid Network

Beginning Thurs. June 10, 2021 to Sun. August 15, 2021, Molina Healthcare has increased the **administration fee** for the **first dose** of the Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna COVID-19 vaccinations, and the single dose of the Johnson & Johnson's Janssen **COVID-19 vaccination to \$100**. Please find the applicable CPT codes below:

- 0001A: Pfizer-BioNTech
- 0011A: Moderna
- 0031A: Johnson & Johnson's Janssen

Molina will pay the incentive for participating and nonparticipating providers for services provided between Thurs. June 10, 2021 through Sun. August 15, 2021. The increase of the administration fee includes all Professional claims. FQHC's and RHC's are also included in the administration fee increase and will be sent a separate communication regarding the billing process. However, it does not apply to the following providers and/or claims:

- Hospitals
- Emergency Rooms
- Hospital Clinics
- Pharmacies
- ASC's
- Dialysis Centers
- EAPG and DRG claims
- SNF claims
- LTAC claims

Payments will be notated by the following CARC code and RARC code:

- CARC code: 144 Incentive adjustment (e.g. preferred product/service)
- **RARC code**: MA125 Per legislation governing this program, payment constitutes payment in full.

Please note that while it is not required, we encourage you to bill the vaccine and the administration code together for reporting purposes. You will need to bill one vaccine code and one administration code per dose of the vaccine administered. At this time there will be no reimbursement for the vaccine, only the administration fee.

Molina's prior communication regarding vaccine billing guidelines can be found on our website under the "Communications" tab, click on "Provider Bulletin" and then "<u>Provider Bulletin – Special Edition:</u> <u>COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Vaccine</u>".

For questions, please reach out to Provider Services at (855) 322-4079 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday (MyCare Ohio available until 6 p.m.).

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