

COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Billing Guidance

The Ohio Department of Medicaid has published COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Billing Guidelines. This guidance applies to behavioral health providers that receive COVID-19 vaccines distributed by the Ohio Department of Health.

Please refer to the ODM guidance posted at the links below for more specifics regarding coverage of COVID-19 Vaccines.

- <https://medicaid.ohio.gov/> under important updates
- <https://medicaid.ohio.gov/COVID>

Updates have also been made to Medicaid Behavioral Health Provider Manual.

COVID-19 Vaccine Services				
Manufacturer	Effective Date	Procedure Code	Description	Payment Rate
Pfizer For individuals 16 and older	12/11/2020	91300	Vaccine	\$0.01
	12/11/2020	0001A	Administration of first dose	\$16.94
	12/11/2020	0002A	Administration of second dose	\$28.39
Moderna For individuals 18 and older	12/18/2020	91301	Vaccine	\$0.01
	12/18/2020	0011A	Administration of first dose	\$16.94
	12/18/2020	0012A	Administration of second dose	\$28.39

Vaccines administered to managed care enrollees must be billed to the MCP in which they are enrolled. The MCPs are generally following the same COVID vaccine billing guidelines as fee-for-service provided in the ODM guidance document linked above. However, any specific questions related to general billing should be directed to the MCP in which the client is enrolled (see chart below).

For members enrolled in a MyCare Ohio Plan (MCOP), the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) will process all claims for vaccine administration services under Part B original Medicare. For more information, please visit <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/covid-19/medicare-billing-covid-19-vaccine-shot-administration>.

Contact the Medicaid MCP directly for claim submission questions:

Buckeye	866-296-8731 https://www.buckeyehealthplan.com/providers/coronavirus-information.html
CareSource	800-488-0134 https://www.caresource.com/oh/providers/provider-portal/medicaid/
Molina	855-322-4079 https://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/oh/medicaid/Pages/home.aspx
Paramount (MCP only)	800-891-2542 https://www.paramounthealthcare.com/services/providers/
United Health Care	800-600-9007 https://www.uhcprovider.com/en/health-plans-by-state/ohio-health-plans/oh-comm-plan-home.html?rfid=UHCCP