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Montana Healthcare Programs Notice

Physician, Mid-Level Practitioner, Public Health Clinic

2009 H1N1 Influenza Vaccine and Administration

The Medicaid Physician, Mid-Level Practitioner, and Public Health Clinic Programs will participate in the reimbursement of 2009 H1N1 influenza vaccine and administration.

The diagnosis (Dx)/CPT/HCPCS codes that should be used are:

Bill these codes for those Medicaid clients who do *not* have Medicare:

- Dx: V04.81 Need for prophylactic vaccination and inoculation against certain viral diseases (influenza)
- CPT: 90663 Influenza virus vaccine, pandemic formulation, H1N1
- CPT: 90470 H1N1 immunization administration (intramuscular, intranasal), including counseling when performed

Bill these codes for those Medicaid clients who *do* have Medicare benefits:

- Dx: V04.81 Need for prophylactic vaccination and inoculation against certain viral diseases (influenza)
- HCPCS: G9142 Influenza A (H1N1) vaccine, any route of administration
- HCPCS: G9141 Influenza A (H1N1) immunization administration (includes the physician counseling the patient/family)

Reimbursement for G9142 and 90663 (H1N1 vaccine product) will be zero because the vaccine will be supplied free of charge to all providers.

Reimbursement for G9141 and 90470 will be \$5.78 and \$15.52 respectively. However, reimbursement for these services is not available if you have received monies to reimburse you for the administration of this vaccine (i.e. grants etc.). Therefore, if the cost of the vaccine administration is covered, then bill the administration fee at \$0.00 or do not bill for the vaccine and administration.

CMS-1500 and 837P claims forms will be accepted. Roster billing will not be permitted.

Contact Information

For claims questions or additional information, contact Provider Relations:

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