Montana Healthcare Programs APC Fee Schedule Explanation

Effective July 1, 2026

Definitions:

Conversion Factor:

Montana Medicaid Conversion Factor $62.54

Notes:

Montana Medicaid uses the Outpatient Code Editor to group outpatient hospital claims.

APC numbers, descriptions and weights are taken from the final Medicare rule for the Outpatient Prospective Payment System and corrected by Medicare Program Memorandums.

New technology APCs and some other APCs with no Medicare assigned weights have been assigned weights for Montana Medicaid based on the Medicare allowed payment.

APCs with a status indicator "H" will be priced using the hospital specific outpatient cost-to-charge ratio