



To: Our Valued Providers

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Subject: COVID-19 Vaccine Billing Guidance

Prestige Health Choice will cover the cost of administration of the COVID-19 vaccines during the public health emergency.

Proper billing of administration of the COVID-19 vaccines delivered to your patient is important not only for reimbursement but also for reporting purposes. The American Medical Association (AMA) has established the following four new Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes to allocate, track and optimize the national COVID-19 immunization program.*

Code	Description	Physician Reimbursement Rate	Physician Extender Reimbursement Rate
0001A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, preservative free, 30 mcg/0.3mL dosage, diluent reconstituted; first dose. (The 0001A COVID-19 vaccine administration CPT code is for the first dose of the Pfizer vaccine only.)	\$16.94	\$13.55
0002A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, preservative free, 30 mcg/0.3mL dosage, diluent reconstituted; second dose.	\$28.39	\$22.71

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	(The 0002A COVID-19 vaccine administration CPT code is for the second dose of the Pfizer vaccine only.)		
0011A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, preservative free, 100 mcg/0.5mL dosage; first dose. (The 0011A COVID-19 vaccine administration CPT code is for the first dose of the Moderna vaccine only.)	\$16.94	\$13.55
0012A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, preservative free, 100 mcg/0.5mL dosage; second dose. (The 0012A COVID-19 vaccine administration CPT code is for the second dose of the Moderna vaccine only.)	\$28.39	\$22.71

Please note: Prestige Health Choice is not responsible for reimbursement of the COVID-19 vaccine administration for enrollees with Medicare or commercial insurance.

Prestige Health Choice encourages our members to speak with you, their health care professional, about the vaccine to help them decide whether to receive the vaccine. Per the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), this should include communicating with patients who choose to receive either of the vaccines currently authorized for emergency use about the importance of getting both doses. If you have any questions about engaging members who have limited English proficiency, sensory impairment, and/or low literacy, please contact Provider Services at 1-800-617-5727.

If you have questions about this communication, please contact your Provider Account Executive or the Provider Services department at **1-800-617-5727**.

This page will be updated as new information is released. For the most up-to-date information, please visit: https://ahca.myflorida.com/covid-19 alerts.shtml

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