

Rationale Used for Proposing FY 26 Fees

- In all categories, the market 75th percentile is used except where the proposed fee would fall below the Blue Cross rate; then the higher of the two fees is used.
- A limited number of exceptions are noted in the following table:

Service	Exceptions
Medical procedures and visits	<p>These codes are set as No Charge to ensure access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 97802 Medical Nutrition, Initial visit • 97803 Medical Nutrition, Subsequent • 98966-98968 Telehealth nutritional counseling
Behavioral Health visits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The state allowed rate is used for state specific codes per the Illinois Department of Mental Health and Illinois Department of Alcohol and Substance Abuse contracts.
Methadone	<p>Medicare specific codes related to Methadone are at the current fee.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G2067 Med Assist TX Meth Weekly • G2077 Periodic Assessment • G2078 Take-Home Methadone
Immunizations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fees for vaccines covered under the federally funded Vaccines for Children program are set as No Charge. • The following immunizations are set at No Charge due to receipt of adult vaccines from the state (i.e., 90632 Hepatitis A, and 90746 Hepatitis B) • Immunizations for COVID are also state funded and provided at No Charge (i.e., 91321 – 91322)
Labs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uninsured patients will not be charged a lab fee for medical services. Lab fees will still be charged to grants if applicable.
Drugs and Supplies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Items covered by a grant or provided by the patient have fees set at No Charge. • Items purchased through the 340B program have fees set at the amount of the purchase.
Dental	<p>Several codes are set at No Charge to ensure access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • D0601 Caries Risk Assessment, Low • D0602 Caries Risk Assessment, Moderate • D0603 Caries Risk Assessment, High • D1310 Nutritional Counseling • D1320 Tobacco Counseling • D1330 Oral Hygiene Instructions

Hearing and Vision	Hearing and Vision screenings performed in Prevention Services. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Preschool Hearing Test, \$2.00• Preschool Vision Test, \$2.00• School Hearing Test, \$5.00• School Vision Test, \$5.00
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