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TO: Family Planning Clinics

RE: Influenza Vaccinations Administered in Family Planning Clinics

Effective for dates of service October 1, 2014 and forward, the Department of Social Services will allow for the reimbursement of influenza vaccinations within Family Planning clinics. Ten (10) Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes will be incorporated within the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Family Planning Clinic fee schedule. The purpose for this change is to increase access and improve uptake rates of the vaccination among HUSKY adult clients. These changes apply to family planning clinic reimbursement under the HUSKY Health Program, which includes HUSKY A, HUSKY B, HUSKY C and HUSKY D.

Reimbursement

Reimbursement for the influenza codes will be based on the rates posted on the Physician Office and Outpt Services fee schedule. Due to the availability of multiple influenza vaccinations to HUSKY members eighteen (18) years or younger through the Connecticut Immunizations Program, the ten (10) vaccination codes will be reimbursed for only adult HUSKY members ages nineteen (19) and older.

Influenza Vaccination Codes

The ten influenza vaccine codes include the following:

90658 Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years and older, for intramuscular use.	90661 Influenza virus vaccine, derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use.
90688 Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use	90673 Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, derived from recombinant DNA (RIV3), hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use
90686 Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use	90662 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, enhance immunogenicity via increased antigen content, for intramuscular use

Accessing the Fee Schedules

Fee schedules can be accessed and downloaded by going to the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site: www.ctdssmap.com. From this Web page, go to "Provider", then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click on the "I accept" button and proceed to click on the "Clinic-Family Planning/Abortion" fee schedule. To access the CSV file press the control key while clicking the CSV link, then select "Open". The updated Family Planning Clinic fee schedule will be posted after September 28th, 2014.

For questions about billing or if further assistance is needed to access the fee schedule on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site, please contact

<i>Influenza Vaccine Codes</i>	
90654 Influenza vaccine, inactivated, subunit, adjuvanted, for intramuscular use	90660 Influenza virus vaccination, trivalent, live, for intranasal use
90656 Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to individuals 3 years and older, for intramuscular use.	90672 Influenza virus vaccination, quadrivalent, live, for intranasal use

the HP Provider Assistance Center, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 1-800-842-8440.

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