PROVIDER QUICK POINTS PROVIDER INFORMATION



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Update: CPT Code 99072 Will Not Be Separately Reimbursed

The information in this Provider Quick Point updates QP106-20. Original stated that 99072 was not reimbursable for any lines of business, however MHCP is allowing reimbursement.

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus (Blue Cross) will not separately reimburse supply CPT code 99072 for commercial and Medicare lines of business. CPT code 99072 will be denied as integral or included in the service or procedure provided in alignment with the current denial of supply CPT code 99070. The charges will be denied as provider liability and may not be billed to the subscriber.

Blue Plus claims submitted for Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) will allow reimbursement of CPT code 99072 in alignment with the MHCP fee schedule.

99072: Additional supplies, materials, and clinical staff time over and above those usually included in an office visit or other non-facility service(s), when performed during a Public Health Emergency as defined by law, due to respiratory-transmitted infectious disease.

Questions?

If you have questions for a member enrolled in a Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) plan, please contact provider services at **1-866-518-8448**. Please contact provider services at **(651) 662-5200** or **1-800-262-0820** for all other questions.