

To: AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

Date: March 26, 2021

Subject: Informational Bulletin 21-6: 2021 HCPCS and Physician-Administered Drug Reimbursement Updates

Summary: The Louisiana Medicaid Fee Schedule has been updated to reflect new Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes effective January 1, 2021.

Louisiana Medicaid has added new HCPCS codes and updated the reimbursement rates on existing codes for physician-administered drugs and payable vaccines on the Professional Services fee schedule effective **January 1, 2021**.

What do you need to know? No action is required by you. Claims that have been denied due to the use of the new 2021 codes prior to their addition to the claims processing system will be reprocessed automatically.

Claims for existing codes that were paid for dates of service effective **January 1, 2021** will be reprocessed automatically to ensure proper reimbursement.

Please review [Informational Bulletin 21-6](#) for full details.

Questions: Thank you for your continued support and commitment to the care of our members. If you have questions about this communication, please contact AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Provider Services at 1-888-922-0007 or your [Provider Network Management Account Executive](#).

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