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IMPORTANT UPDATE – PLEASE READ

RE: COVID-19 CODES AND THE 2024-25 WVA VACCINE ASSESSMENT GRID

To Washington Vaccine Association Health Insurers and Third-Party Administrators,

As follow up to a communication that was sent last week regarding the July 1, 2024-June 30, 2025 WVA Vaccine Assessment Grid, there have been questions regarding how COVID-19 vaccine will be managed after July 1, 2024.

It is likely there will be an updated formula of COVID-19 vaccines for the 2024-2025 respiratory illness season. The FDA's Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee (VRBPAC) meets on May 16, 2024, to determine the COVID-19 vaccine formulation for the fall 2024/winter 2025 season. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) meets on June 27 and 28, 2024, to review the FDA's recommendations and decide which COVID-19 vaccines will be part of the Vaccines for Children (VFC) program for the fall 2024/winter 2025 COVID-19 season.

While waiting for the CDC's ACIP to provide COVID-19 guidance for the fall 2024/winter 2024 season, the CDC has issued interim guidance to the WA Department of Health's Childhood Vaccine Program (CVP) regarding the use of existing COVID-19 vaccines after July 1, 2024 (see enclosed May 1, 2024, Vaccine Blurbs). As a result, the following COVID-19 portion of the WVA Vaccine Assessment Grid has been edited. Each of the CPT/NDC codes has a "Grid Expiration Date" whereby providers should not bill the COVID-19 vaccine beyond the listed date of service. Please note that there are varying expiration dates per CPT code, and they are subject to further revision.

CPT Code	NDC Code / Packaging	GRID EXPIRATION DATE	Description	Tradename	WVA Assessment Amount Per Dose from 07/01/2023 to 06/30/2024	WVA Assessment Amount <u>Per Dose</u> from 07/01/2024 to 06/30/2025	Percent Change 07/01/2 023 to 07/01/2 024
91318		REMOVE FROM GRID FOR DATES OF SERVICE AFTER 07/31/2024	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, 3 mcg/0.3 mL dosage, tris-sucrose formulation, for intramuscular use	COVID-19 Vaccine (Pfizer)		\$113.00	
91319		REMOVE FROM GRID FOR DATES OF SERVICE AFTER 08/31/2024	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, 10 mcg/0.3 mL dosage, tris-sucrose formulation, for intramuscular use	COVID-19 Vaccine (Pfizer)		NOTE: One, blended	
91320		REMOVE FROM GRID FOR DATES OF SERVICE AFTER 08/31/2024	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, spike protein, 30 mcg/0.3 mL dosage, tris-sucrose formulation, for intramuscular use	COMIRNATY® (Pfizer)	\$105	Grid assessment amount for COVID vaccines from July 1,	7.6%
91321		REMOVE FROM GRID FOR DATES OF SERVICE AFTER 09/30/2024	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, 25 mcg/0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	COVID-19 Vaccine (Moderna)		2024 dates of service through dates of service indicated by	
91322		REMOVE FROM GRID FOR DATES OF SERVICE AFTER 09/30/2024	Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) vaccine, mRNA-LNP, 50 mcg/0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	Spikevax™ (Moderna)		CPT/NDC	

The WVA intends to provide further COVID-19 dosage-based assessment (DBA) guidance for the fall 2024/winter 2025 season after the FDA and CDC meetings referenced above take place. Thank you for your patience while we wait to learn more information.

If you have any questions, please contact compliance@wavaccine.org.

Best regards,

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