



MEDICARE PART B IMMUNIZATION BILLING: SEASONAL INFLUENZA VIRUS, PNEUMOCOCCAL, AND HEPATITIS B

Target Audience: Medicare Fee-For-Service Program (also known as Original Medicare)

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Immunization Procedure Codes & Descriptors

| Administration & Diagnosis Codes | Vaccine Codes & Descriptors | Frequency of Administration |
|---|---|--|
| <p>Seasonal Influenza Virus Vaccine Administration Code: G0008 Diagnosis Code: Z23</p> | <p>90630 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, preservative free, for intradermal use</p> <p>90653 – Influenza vaccine, inactivated (IIV), subunit, adjuvanted, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90654 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (IIV3), split virus, preservative-free, for intradermal use</p> <p>90655 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (IIV3), split virus, preservative free, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90656 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (IIV3), split virus, preservative free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90657 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (IIV3), split virus, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90658 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (IIV3), split virus, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90660 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, live (LAIV3), for intranasal use</p> <p>90661 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (ccIIV3), derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90662 – Influenza virus vaccine (IIV), split virus, preservative free, enhanced immunogenicity via increased antigen content, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90672 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, live (LAIV4), for intranasal use</p> <p>90673 – Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent (RIV3), derived from recombinant DNA, hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90674 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (ccIIV4), derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> | <p>Once per influenza season</p> <p>Medicare may cover additional seasonal influenza virus vaccinations if medically necessary</p> |

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Immunization Procedure Codes & Descriptors (cont.)

| Administration & Diagnosis Codes | Vaccine Codes & Descriptors | Frequency of Administration |
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| <p>Seasonal Influenza Virus Vaccine (cont.) Administration Code: G0008 Diagnosis Code: Z23</p> | <p>90682* – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (RIV4), derived from recombinant DNA, hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use Implementation of New Influenza Virus Vaccine Code (*Effective for claims with dates of service on or after July 1, 2017)</p> <p>90685 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, preservative free, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90686 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, preservative free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90687 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>90688 – Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use</p> <p>Q2034 – Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, for intramuscular use (agriflu)</p> <p>Q2035 – Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use (afluria)</p> <p>Q2036 – Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use (flulaval)</p> <p>Q2037 – Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use (fluvirin)</p> <p>Q2038 – Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use (fluzone)</p> <p>Q2039 – Influenza virus vaccine, not otherwise specified</p> | <p>Once per influenza season</p> <p>Medicare may cover additional seasonal influenza virus vaccinations if medically necessary</p> |

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| <p>Pneumococcal Vaccine Administration Code: G0009 Diagnosis Code: Z23</p> | <p>90670 – Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, 13 valent (PCV13), for intramuscular use 90732 – Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine, 23-valent (PPSV23), adult or immunosuppressed patient dosage, when administered to individuals 2 years or older, for subcutaneous or intramuscular use</p> | <p>An initial pneumococcal vaccine to Medicare beneficiaries who have never received the vaccine under Medicare Part B; and A different, second pneumococcal vaccine 1 year after the first vaccine was administered</p> |
| <p>Pneumococcal and Seasonal Influenza Virus Vaccines received during the same visit Administration Codes: G0008: Influenza Virus G0009: Pneumococcal Diagnosis Code: Z23</p> | <p>Use seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccine codes</p> | <p>Follow Medicare coverage requirements for seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccines</p> |

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| Administration & Diagnosis Codes | Vaccine Codes & Descriptors | Frequency of Administration |
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| <p>Hepatitis B Vaccine Administration Code: G0010 Diagnosis Code: Z23</p> | <p>90739 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), adult dosage, 2 dose schedule, for intramuscular use 90740 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage, 3 dose schedule, for intramuscular use 90743 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), adolescent, 2 dose schedule, for intramuscular use 90744 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), pediatric/adolescent dosage, 3 dose schedule, for intramuscular use 90746 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), adult dosage, 3 dose schedule, for intramuscular use 90747 – Hepatitis B vaccine (HepB), dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage, 4 dose schedule, for intramuscular use</p> | <p>Scheduled doses required</p> |

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WHAT'S NEW?

Medicare reimbursement rates change periodically. You can stay informed by subscribing to a [Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services \(CMS\) electronic mailing list](#).

QUICK FACTS!

- Enrolled providers may roster bill for seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccinations even if they are not a mass immunizer.
- All physicians, non-physician practitioners (NPPs), and suppliers who administer the seasonal influenza virus and the pneumococcal vaccines must accept assignment on the claims for the vaccines.
- Seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccines and their administration are covered Part B benefits and are **not** covered Part D benefits.

INSTITUTIONAL PROVIDERS: ADDITIONAL BILLING INFORMATION

The table below provides the Type of Bill (TOB) institutional providers use for billing immunizations.

Facility Types and TOBs for Immunizations

| Facility Type | Type of Bill |
|--|--------------|
| Hospital Inpatient (Part B) | 12X |
| Hospital Outpatient | 13X |
| Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Covered Part A stay (paid under Part B) | 22X |
| SNF Part B Residents | 22X |
| SNF Outpatient | 23X |
| Home Health (Part B Only) | 34X |
| Independent and Hospital-Based Renal Dialysis Facility (RDF) | 72X |
| Comprehensive Outpatient Rehabilitation Facility (CORF) | 75X |
| Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) | 77X* |
| Hospice (Non-Hospital) | 81X |
| Hospice (Hospital) | 82X |
| Indian Health Service (IHS) Hospital | 83X |
| Critical Access Hospital (CAH) | 85X |

Revenue Codes (except RHCs and FQHCs): 0636 – vaccine
0771 – vaccine administration

* FQHCs report vaccines on 77X claims for informational and data collection only.

Special Billing Information for RHCs and FQHCs

The tables below provide special billing information for RHCs and FQHCs. For more information and examples, refer to the [Rural Health Clinics \(RHCs\) and Federally Qualified Health Centers \(FQHCs\) Billing Guide](#).

Special Billing Information for RHCs

| Vaccine & Administration | Report on a Separate Line? | Payment |
|--|--|--|
| Seasonal influenza virus or pneumococcal vaccines and their administration | No | Included in the cost report (not in the encounter) |
| Hepatitis B vaccine and its administration | Yes (carve out charges for the vaccine and its administration from the office visit and report on the separate claim line) NOTE: Do not bill if vaccine administration was the only service provided | Hepatitis B vaccine is included in the encounter rate. The charges of the vaccine and its administration can be included in the line item for the otherwise qualifying encounter. An encounter cannot be billed if vaccine administration is the only service the RHC/FQHC provides. |

Special Billing Information for FQHCs

| Vaccine & Administration | Report on a Separate Line? | Payment |
|--|---|--|
| Seasonal influenza virus or pneumococcal vaccines and their administration | Yes (carve out charges for the vaccine and its administration from the office visit and report on the separate claim line) NOTE: Do not bill an encounter if vaccine administration was the only service provided | Included in the cost report (not in the encounter) |
| Hepatitis B vaccine and its administration | Yes (carve out charges for the vaccine and its administration from the office visit and report on the separate claim line) NOTE: Do not bill an encounter if vaccine administration was the only service provided | Hepatitis B vaccine is included in the encounter rate. The charges of the vaccine and its administration can be included in the line item for the otherwise qualifying encounter. An encounter cannot be billed if vaccine administration is the only service the RHC/FQHC provides. |

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Does the Medicare Part B deductible or coinsurance/copayment apply for Part B-covered immunizations?

No, neither the Part B deductible nor coinsurance or copayment applies to the seasonal influenza virus, pneumococcal, and Hepatitis B vaccines or their administration from physicians or suppliers that agree to accept assignment.

If a beneficiary gets a seasonal influenza virus vaccine more than once in a 12-month period, will Medicare still pay for it?

Yes, Medicare pays for one seasonal influenza virus vaccination per influenza season; however, a beneficiary could get the seasonal influenza virus vaccine twice in a calendar year for two different influenza seasons, and Medicare would pay the provider for each. For example, a beneficiary could get a seasonal influenza virus vaccination in January 2017 for the 2016–2017 influenza season and another seasonal influenza virus vaccination in November 2017 for the 2017–2018 influenza season, and Medicare would pay for both vaccinations.

Will Medicare pay for the pneumococcal vaccination if a beneficiary is uncertain of his or her vaccination history?

Yes, if a beneficiary is uncertain about his or her vaccination history, provide the vaccine and Medicare will cover the revaccination.

Does Medicare cover the hepatitis B vaccine for all Medicare beneficiaries?

No, Medicare covers the hepatitis B vaccine for certain beneficiaries who are at intermediate to high risk for the hepatitis B virus (HBV). These individuals include health care professionals who have frequent contact with blood or blood-derived body fluids during routine work, those with End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD), persons who live in the same household as an HBV carrier, and persons diagnosed with diabetes mellitus. Other situations could qualify a beneficiary as being at intermediate or high risk of contracting HBV. Medicare beneficiaries who are currently positive for antibodies for hepatitis B are not eligible for this benefit.

When a beneficiary gets both the seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccines on the same visit, do I continue to report separate administration codes for each type of vaccine?

Yes, refer to the [ICD-10 webpage](#) for individual Change Requests (CRs) and coding translations for ICD-10. Use separate administration codes for the seasonal influenza virus (G0008) and pneumococcal (G0009) vaccines. Medicare pays both administration fees if a beneficiary gets both the seasonal influenza virus and the pneumococcal vaccines on the same day.

Can I roster bill the seasonal influenza virus, pneumococcal, and hepatitis B vaccines?

You may roster bill the seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccines. You cannot roster bill the hepatitis B vaccine.

What is a mass immunizer?

A mass immunizer offers seasonal influenza virus vaccination, pneumococcal vaccination, or both to a large number of individuals. A mass immunizer may be a traditional Medicare provider or supplier or a nontraditional provider or supplier (such as a senior citizens' center, a public health clinic, or a community pharmacy). Mass immunizers must submit claims for immunizations on roster bills and must accept assignment on both the vaccine and its administration. A mass immunizer should enroll with the Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) prior to each influenza season. Please see the next question for more enrollment information.

Do providers that only provide immunizations need to enroll in the Medicare Program?

Yes, providers must enroll in the Medicare Program even if immunizations are the only service they will provide to beneficiaries. They should enroll as provider specialty type 73, Mass Immunization Roster Biller, by completing [Form CMS-855I](#) for individuals or [Form CMS-855B](#) for a group. New providers must first receive a National Provider Identifier (NPI) prior to enrollment. For NPI enrollment information, visit the [National Plan & Provider Enumeration System](#).

May I submit a single roster claim containing information for both the seasonal influenza virus and pneumococcal vaccines when the vaccines are administered on the same visit?

No, you must prepare a separate roster claim for the seasonal influenza virus vaccine and the pneumococcal vaccine. However, you may file an individual claim containing information for both types of vaccines.

RESOURCES

Resources Table

| Resource | Website |
|---|---|
| 2016–2017 Influenza (Flu) Resources for Health Care Professionals | CMS.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNMattersArticles/Downloads/SE1622.pdf |
| Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Flu Website | CDC.gov/flu |
| CDC Vaccines & Immunizations Website | CDC.gov/vaccines |
| CMS Immunizations Webpage | CMS.gov/Medicare/Prevention/Immunizations |
| Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Vaccines, Blood & Biologics: Influenza Virus Vaccines for the 2016–2017 Season | FDA.gov/BiologicsBloodVaccines/GuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Post-MarketActivities/LotReleases/ucm504884.htm |
| Mass Immunizers and Roster Billing | CMS.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNProducts/MLN-Publications-Items/CMS1254400.html |
| Vaccine and Vaccine Administration Payments Under Medicare Part D | CMS.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNProducts/MLN-Publications-Items/ICN908764.html |
| Vaccine Services on Hospice Claims | CMS.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNMattersArticles/Downloads/MM9052.pdf |

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| Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) Electronic Mailing List | https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNProducts/Downloads/MailingLists_FactSheet.pdf |
| Form CMS-855B | https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/CMS-Forms/CMS-Forms/Downloads/cms855b.pdf |
| Form CMS-855I | https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/CMS-Forms/CMS-Forms/Downloads/cms855i.pdf |
| ICD-10 Webpage | https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coverage/CoverageGenInfo/ICD10.html |
| Implementation of New Influenza Virus Vaccine Code | https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNMattersArticles/Downloads/MM9876.pdf |
| National Plan & Provider Enumeration System | https://nppes.cms.hhs.gov/NPPES/Welcome.do |
| Rural Health Clinics (RHCs) and Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) Billing Guide | https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNMattersArticles/Downloads/SE1039.pdf |

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