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Attention: South Dakota Medicaid Providers

From: South Dakota Medicaid

RE: FQHC/RHC Stand-Alone Vaccine Visit Reimbursement

As a reminder effective for dates of service July 1, 2023 or later, standalone visits for vaccines/immunizations and the associated administration code will be reimbursed at the Prospective Payment System (PPS) encounter rate for Federal Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) and Rural Health Clinics (RHCs). Providers should bill for these services using their PPS billing NPI.

Vaccines/immunizations may not be administered on a separate day than an FQHC/RHC encounter for the purpose of increasing the provider's reimbursement. Please refer to the <u>FQHC and RHC Services</u> provider manual for additional information.

Sincerely,

South Dakota Medicaid