

Network Notification

Notice Date: March 27, 2020
To: Ohio Providers
From: CareSource

Subject: FQHC and RHC Provider Billing Reminder

Summary

CareSource would like to remind Federally Qualified Health Clinics (FQHCs) and Rural Health Clinics (RHCs) to use the appropriate provider number when submitting billing.

- FQHCs should bill Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) and the Managed Care Plans (MCPs) for covered FQHC services using their FQHC provider number (provider type 12). Covered FQHC services are set forth in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) rule 5160-28-03.1 and also in the provider agreements.
- RHCs should bill ODM and the MCPs for covered RHC services using their RHC provider number (provider type 05). Covered RHC services are set forth in OAC rule 5160-28-03.3 and also in the provider agreements.

Covered non-FQHC services and covered non-RHC services are the only services that should be billed under an FQHC or RHC's clinic provider number (provider type 50). Examples of covered non-FQHC and non-RHC services that may be claimed as non-FQHC or non-RCH (non-PPS services, paid at MaxFee) include, but are not limited to, the following examples:

- Group therapy
- Acupuncture rendered by an acupuncturist
- Inpatient hospital services
- Take-home medications
- Long-acting reversible contraception (LARC)
- Durable medical equipment for take-home use;
- The technical component of a procedure comprising both a professional and a technical component (e.g., radiography or other imaging)
- Clinical diagnostic laboratory services other than the following procedures
- Eyeglass lenses and frames

Impact

Providers should follow OAC rule 5160-28-03.1 and ODM 5160-28-03.3 and provider agreements when billing FQHC and RHC for proper eligibility.

Importance

ODM is currently updating MITS to allow payment for all services (covered FQHC/RHC services, and covered non-FQHC/non-RHC services) under one FQHC or RHC provider number (provider type 12 or 05), and will soon disenroll FQHCs and RHCs from their clinic provider numbers (provider type 50).

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact Provider Services at **1-800-488-0134** (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.).

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