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RE: Flu Vaccine Coverage for the 2023-2024 Flu Season

Flu Vaccine Coverage

- Flu vaccines are available to members 19 years of age and older through both the SoonerCare prescription drug benefit and the medical benefit.
- Flu vaccines administered by pharmacies do not count against a member’s monthly prescription limit, and there is no copay to members.
- Members 18 years of age and younger must receive the flu vaccine through a federal Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program provider.
- Vaccine Billing Guidance is outlined in Table 1 below.
- **Only the outer package NDCs listed below are covered.**

The following NDCs will be covered:

NDC	Brand Name
33332-0423-10	AFLURIA QUAD 2023-2024
33332-0323-03	AFLURIA QUAD 2023-24 (3YR UP)
70461-0123-03	FLUAD QUAD 2023-2024
58160-0909-52	FLUARIX QUAD 2023-2024
49281-0723-10	FLUBLOK QUAD 2023-2024
70461-0323-03	FLUCELVAX QUAD 2023-2024

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70461-0423-10	FLUCELVAX QUAD 2023-2024
19515-0814-52	FLULAVAL QUAD 2023-2024
66019-0310-10	FLUMIST QUAD 2023-2024
49281-0123-65	FLUZONE HIGH-DOSE QUAD 2023-24
49281-0423-50	FLUZONE QUAD 2023-2024
49281-0639-78	FLUZONE QUAD 2023-2024

Vaccine Billing Reminders

- **Nursing Home:** As a reminder, influenza and pneumococcal vaccines are not separately payable for SoonerCare members residing in a nursing home. The nursing home is responsible for providing these as part of their payment from SoonerCare.
- **Pharmacy:** ACIP-recommended vaccines have an administration fee of \$18.34 and should be billed to SoonerCare with the SCC code “42” only. COVID-19 vaccines are eligible for an enhanced administration fee when billed appropriately. During OHCA claim audits, if ACIP-recommended vaccines were billed using SCC codes for COVID-19 vaccines resulting in an administration fee other than \$18.34, then OHCA will recoup the difference in the administration fee. Billing and administration fee information for all vaccines is as follows:

Table 1: Vaccine Billing Guidance			
ACIP*-Recommended Vaccines	Required Submission Clarification Code(s) (420-DK)		Administration Fee Paid
Any Dose (Adults 19+)	42	Blank	\$18.34
+ACIP: Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices; ACIP-recommended vaccines include the flu vaccine as pertaining to this fax blast.			

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