

Home Health Billing Guidelines

Thank you for being a valued partner in providing high quality care to your patients. Periodically, billing codes are updated by regulatory agencies. This guideline will provide current billing codes and specifications and should be reviewed regularly as billing guidelines may change.

Things to know:

- **This does not change:**
 - The terms and conditions of your contract.
 - Any pre-authorization or Care Management processes in place for this care.
- **It is the responsibility of the provider to be current** on changes to billing codes. Please ensure that this guideline is reviewed regularly for updates to avoid delays in processing your claim submissions.

The following list(s) of billing codes are provided for reference purposes only and may not be all inclusive. Billing codes listed in this guideline does not imply that the service described by the code is a covered or non-covered health service. Benefit coverage for health services is determined by the member specific benefit plan document and applicable laws that may require coverage for a specific service. The inclusion of a code does not imply any right to reimbursement or guarantee claim payment. Contract terms and conditions determine provider reimbursement. Other Policies and Guidelines may apply.

STATE & MEDICARE PROGRAMS (HOME HEALTH SERVICES)

HCPCS Code	Service Type
G0299 & G0300	Skilled Nursing
G0156	Home Health Aide
G0151	Physical Therapy
G0152	Occupational Therapy
G0153	Speech Therapy
G0155	Medical Social Worker
G0162	Case Evaluation & Treatment Plan

STATE PROGRAMS ONLY (PRIVATE DUTY NURSING- EPSDT AGES 0-20)

HCPCS Code	Modifier	Description
G0156	EP	Services of home health/hospice aide in home health or hospice settings
G0162	EP	Skilled services by a registered nurse (RN) for management and evaluation of the plan of care; each 15 minutes (the patient's underlying condition or complication requires an RN to ensure that essential nonskilled care achieves its purpose in the home health or hospice setting)
G0299	EP	Direct skilled nursing services of a registered nurse (RN) in the home health or hospice setting
G0300	EP	Direct skilled nursing services of a licensed practical nurse (LPN) in the home health or hospice setting