State Health Plan Medicare Advantage PPO Preventive Care Services

Applies to:



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☐ Medicare Plus Blue[™] PPO X Medicare Plus Blue[™] Group PPO ☐ Both

Preventive care services

Preventive care is care you receive to prevent illness, detect medical conditions and keep you healthy. Medicare Part B covers many preventive services, such as screenings, vaccines and counseling. If you meet the eligibility requirements and guidelines for a preventive service, you must be allowed to receive the service.

Original Medicare

Original Medicare covers several preventive services reasonable and necessary for the prevention or early detection of illness or disability. Medicare Part B (medical insurance) covers:

- Abdominal aortic aneurysm screening
- Alcohol misuse screenings and counseling
- · Bone mass measurements (bone density)
- · Cardiovascular disease screenings
- Cardiovascular disease (behavioral therapy)
- · Cervical and vaginal cancer screening
- Colorectal cancer screenings
- Multi-target stool DNA tests
 - Screening barium enemas
 - Screening colonoscopies
 - Screening fecal occult blood tests
 - Screening flexible sigmoidoscopies
- Depression screenings
- Diabetes screenings
- Diabetes self-management training
- Glaucoma tests
- Hepatitis B virus (HBV) infection screening
- Hepatitis C screening test
- HIV screening
- · Lung cancer screening
- Mammograms (screening)
- Nutrition therapy services
- · Obesity screenings and counseling
- · One-time "Welcome to Medicare" preventive visit
- Prostate cancer screenings
- Sexually transmitted infections screening and counseling
- Shots:
 - Flu shots
 - Hepatitis B shots
 - Pneumococcal shots
- Tobacco-use cessation counseling
- Yearly wellness visit

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State Health Plan Medicare Advantage PPO members only

Medicare Plus Blue is a Medicare Advantage plan that provides at least the same level of benefit coverage as Original Medicare (Part A and Part B) and may provide enhanced benefits beyond the scope of Original Medicare within a single health care plan. This flexibility allows Blue Cross to offer enriched plans by using Original Medicare as the base program and then adding more options.

Coverage for additional preventive care services is provided to members under the State Health Plan Medicare Advantage PPO plan, a Medicare Plus Blue Group PPO plan sponsored by the State of Michigan for eligible retirees. Because Original Medicare doesn't cover these services, the group determines the scope of benefits, reimbursement methodology, maximum payment amounts and the member's cost sharing.

Additional preventive care services covered under the State Health Plan MA PPO:

- Yellow fever vaccine
- Meningococcal vaccine
- Vaccines
- Shingles vaccine
- Preventive chest X-ray

Conditions for payment

This table below specifies payment conditions for preventive care services.

Conditions for payment		
Eligible provider	Licensed physician (M.D. or D.O.) or supervised by a licensed physician (M.D. or D.O.)	
Payable location	No restrictions. Must be provided by a licensed physician.	
Frequency	1 per calendar year	
CPT codes	Yellow fever vaccine	90717
	Meningococcal vaccine	90734
	Vaccines	90281, 90283, 90371, 90380, 90381, 90389, 90396, 90460, 90461, 90471-90474, 90585, 90632, 90636, 90647, 90648, 90651, 90653, 90662, 90670, 90673, 90675, 90678, 90679, 90680-90682, 90685-90688, 90690, 90691, 90732, 90733, 90739, 90740, 90746, 90747, 90749, G0010, G0009
	Chest X-ray	71046
	Shingles vaccine	90736, 90750 (2 per calendar year)
Diagnosis restrictions	- No restrictions	
Age restrictions		

Member cost sharing

Additional preventive care services are covered at 100%.

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11/30/2023: Changed references of group name to State Health Plan Medicare Advantage PPO.

01/11/2021: Updated policy paper to reflect no restrictions and added preventive chest X-rays.

10/16/2020: Added Shingles vaccine row to conditions of payment chart with CPT codes 90736 and 90750. Added frequency of 2 per calendar year for code 90750.