

***87811 is not covered in the physician's office for BCN commercial or BCN AdvantageSM**

Procedure code *87811 was inadvertently added to the COVID-19 patient testing recommendations for physicians document in the May 14, 2021 update, as a test that can be performed in a physician's office for BCN and BCN AdvantageSM patients temporarily due to the pandemic. *87811 is only billable in a physician's office for Blue Cross commercial. Please refer BCN and BCN AdvantageSM patients to a JVHL laboratory when this test is needed.

Physician offices who rendered the *87811 test to a BCN or BCN Advantage patient between May 14 and June 10, 2021, will be paid for the service. We will reprocess any claim denials with no further action from you.

We apologize for any confusion caused by this error.

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