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**Re: COVID-19 Pediatric Codes - revised**

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Dear Rhode Island Medicaid Managed Care Organizations (MCOs):

Attached is a listing of CMS approved COVID-19 pediatric related codes for your reference. There are two vaccination codes for the 5 – 11 age cohort and four codes for COVID-19 pediatric counseling codes. Effective dates and rates for the codes are provided.

Again, MCOs are instructed to continue to utilize the COVID-19 Vaccine Non-Risk Based Payment template (Version 4) through March of 2022 for members eligible to receive the vaccine under the current CDC guidance.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions.

Yours in Health,

Mark D Kraics, Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Humans Services, Acting Deputy Medicaid Program Director

**Attachment: CMS Approved COVID-19 Pediatric Code List**

**CMS APPROVED COVID-19 PEDIATRIC CODE LIST**

<b>Code</b>	<b>Descriptor</b>	<b>Effective Date</b>	<b>Rate</b>
0071A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 ages 5-11 <b>first dose</b>	11/2/2021	\$41.63
0072A	Immunization administration by intramuscular injection of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 ages 5-11 <b>second dose</b>	11/2/2021	\$41.63
99401	Counseling and/or risk factor reduction intervention(s) provided to a healthy individual; approximately 15 min	9/1/2021	\$23.53
99402	Counseling and/or risk factor reduction intervention(s) provided to a healthy individual; approximately 30 min	9/1/2021	\$38.80
99403	Counseling and/or risk factor reduction intervention(s) provided to a healthy individual; approximately 45 min	9/1/2021	\$53.46
99404	Counseling and/or risk factor reduction intervention(s) provided to a healthy individual; approximately 60 min	9/1/2021	\$67.91