



**Medicaid Transmittal Letter No. 3336-21-04**

DATE: June 30, 2021  
TO: Eligible Medicaid Providers of Physician and Pregnancy Related Services  
Chief Executive Officers, Managed Care Plans  
Other Interested Parties  
FROM: Maureen M. Corcoran, Medicaid Director  
SUBJECT: Revision of Rules 5160-21-04, "Reproductive health services: pregnancy-related services," and 5160-1-60, "Medicaid payment"

Rules 5160-21-04, "Reproductive health services: pregnancy-related services," and 5160-1-60, "Medicaid payment," have been amended to increase the payment amount for the submission of the electronic Pregnancy Risk Assessment form (PRAF) and to establish payment for submission of a new Report of Pregnancy (ROP) form.

These forms lay the cornerstone for the foundation of Medicaid's maternal and infant support framework. Together, timely submission of the PRAF and ROP ensure that pregnant individuals can be determined eligible for Medicaid services as early in their pregnancy as possible and maintain their Medicaid eligibility.

The forms also provide critical and time-sensitive information that enables Medicaid managed care plans and the Ohio Department of Health to refer individuals quickly to appropriate healthcare such as ob-gyn services and social supports such as the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC).

Payment may be made for one report of a pregnancy that is diagnosed in conjunction with an E&M service not associated with a normal obstetrics/gynecology visit, submitted on either form ODM 10257, "Report of Pregnancy (ROP)" (7/2021), or its web-based equivalent located at <https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-for-providers/special-programs-and-initiatives/praf/praf>. This payment is separate from the payment for the E&M service (or the encounter or visit of which the E&M service is part).

Payment may be made for one such pregnancy risk assessment, normally performed at the initial antepartum visit by a practitioner of obstetric services and submitted on either form ODM 10207, "Pregnancy Risk Assessment" form (PRAF) (rev. 7/2021), or its web-based equivalent located at <https://medicaid.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/medicaid/resources-for-providers/special-programs-and-initiatives/praf/praf>.

In addition, the appendix to rule 5160-1-60 (Appendix DD) has been amended to reflect new 2021 payment amounts for electroencephalogram (EEG) procedures represented by CPT codes in the range 95717–95726 that were formerly "carrier priced" under Medicare.

These changes are effective July 1, 2021.

**Additional Information**

Information about the services and programs of the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) may be accessed through the main ODM web page, <http://www.medicaid.ohio.gov>.

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