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MEDICAID ALERT

TO: All Providers

SUBJECT: COVID-19 Testing Fee Schedule, Provider FAQ Page Updated

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (SCDHHS) has published the fee schedule for coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) testing. The fee schedule is available below and [here on SCDHHS' COVID-19 website](#).

SCDHHS' COVID-19 website, www.scdhhs.gov/COVID19, also includes additional resources for providers including the previously released fee schedule for telehealth services, information about federal resources and policy changes, and guidance the agency has issued in preparation and response to the COVID-19 pandemic.



Code	Description	Rate
COVID-19 Testing Fee Schedule		
86328	Immunoassay, COVID-19	\$ 45.23
86769	Antibody, COVID-19	\$ 42.13
87635	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid, COVID-19	\$ 51.31
U0001	CDC COVID-19 real-time PCR diagnostic panel	\$ 35.91
U0002	COVID-19, any technique, non-CDC	\$ 51.31
U0003	Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid, COVID-19, high throughput	\$ 100.00
U0004	COVID-19, any technique, non-CDC, high throughput	\$ 100.00
C9803	Hospital outpatient clinic visit, COVID-19 specimen collection	\$ 25.46
G2023	Specimen collection, COVID-19	\$ 23.46
G2024	Specimen collection, COVID-19, individual in a SNF	\$ 25.46

SCDHHS has received a significant amount of input, questions and suggestions from stakeholders regarding how to best serve Medicaid beneficiaries during this pandemic. Providers should continue to submit their questions and feedback to COVID@scdhhs.gov.

Thank you for your continued support of the South Carolina Healthy Connections Medicaid program. SCDHHS looks forward to continuing its partnership with health care providers and all those involved in the health care delivery system to maintain access to the high-value, evidence-based services that are available to Healthy Connections Medicaid members during this unprecedented public health emergency.