

Some COVID-19 Vaccine Procedure Codes No Longer a Benefit of Medicaid and CHIP Updates Effective Oct. 1, 2024

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What is new

As of Oct. 1, 2024, we have discontinued coverage of some COVID-19 vaccine procedure codes that do not have full approval by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration at the end of American Rescue Plan Act period.

Effective for **dates of service beginning October 1, 2024**, the following COVID-19 vaccine and administration procedure codes will **no longer be a benefit**:

Procedure Codes			
91304	91318	91319	91321

The following COVID-19 vaccine procedure codes will continue to be a benefit as they have full approval from the FDA:

Procedure Codes			
91320	91322		

Providers may still obtain all available vaccines recommended by the Advisory Committee on immunization practices for children (birth through 18 years of age) at no cost from the [Texas Vaccines for Children Program](#).

Questions

Providers, for questions or additional information, please:

- Contact your BCBSTX Medicaid Network Representative at **1-855-212-1615**
- Submit via email [Texas Medicaid Network Department](#)

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