



North Carolina State Health Plan Federally Qualified Health Center Pricing Policy (the “FQHC Pricing Policy”)

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This FQHC Pricing Policy sets forth the manner in which Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (“Blue Cross NC’s”) will calculate certain contractual allowances (“fees”) for items and services delivered to and billed for Members of the North Carolina State Health Plan (the “Plan”) by a provider, facility, or other legal entity (“Provider”) who has executed the Federally Qualified Health Center Addendum (“FQHC Addendum”) to the North Carolina State Health Plan Network Participation Agreement (the “Plan NPA”) and has selected or otherwise been designated to be reimbursed under Option #2 – FQHC Reimbursement.

The purpose of this FQHC Pricing Policy is to establish the pricing of services that are covered by the North Carolina State Health Plan and are deemed separately reimbursed thereunder, but are not priced as separately reimbursable services under the FQHC Prospective Payment System.

Any item or service that is not specifically identified in this FQHC Pricing Policy, but is covered by the North Carolina State Health Plan, will be priced in accordance with the terms of the Plan NPA and FQHC Addendum thereto. In accordance with the terms of the Plan NPA, the pricing of claims under this FQHC Pricing Policy for purposes of payment under the Plan NPA remains subject to the General Pricing Principles set forth in the North Carolina State Health Plan Pricing Policy.

Vaccinations, Immunizations and Administration

1. Services related to vaccine administration that are billed under BETOS/CCS Service Category O1G will be priced in accordance with the applicable provisions of the North Carolina State Health Plan Network Master Reimbursement Exhibit.
2. Vaccinations and immunizations that are billed under Drug Services BETOS/CCS Service Category 228 or 240 will be priced in accordance with the applicable provisions of the North Carolina State Health Plan Pricing Policy.

Maternity

1. Maternity services should be billed per Blue Cross NC Corporate Reimbursement Policy-Global Maternity Reimbursement.
2. Maternity services will be priced in accordance with the Blue Cross NC Professional Pricing Development and Maintenance Policy BETOS/CCS.