



# NETWORK *Notification*

**Notice Date:** May 13, 2022  
**To:** Georgia Medicaid Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** COVID-19: Vaccination OTC At-Home Testing Billing Guidance  
**Effective Date:** January 15, 2022

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## Summary

Effective January 15, 2022, CareSource, in alignment with Georgia Department of Community Health and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) guidance, began covering FDA-authorized **over-the-counter (OTC) at-home COVID-19 diagnostic tests** without a prescription and with no member cost sharing. As a measure to eliminate barriers to COVID-19 testing, the FDA-authorized OTC at-home COVID-19 diagnostic tests are now covered **without a prescription and no member cost share, with a limit of 2 individual tests per claim (minimum day supply of 7) and a total of 4 individual tests per 30 days.**

## Impact

CareSource is operationalizing the provision of the OTC at-home COVID-19 diagnostic test kits through the pharmacy benefit in partnership with our Pharmacy Benefits Manager, Express Scripts, and in alignment with the [Georgia Department of Community Health](#) and CMS guidance.

The kits can be dispensed at a CareSource Georgia Medicaid Plan participating pharmacy without a prescription. Pharmacies may use Submission Clarification Code value of "42" to override prescriber validation. Pharmacy providers can also input the Pharmacy or Pharmacist NPI during claim submission according to their pharmacy policies and procedures.

CareSource Georgia Medicaid members may also obtain OTC at-home COVID tests through the free OTC at-home COVID-19 tests from the Federal Government available at [www.covidtests.gov](http://www.covidtests.gov).

Below is a National Drug Code (NDC) list of all covered COVID-19 diagnostic test kits\*.

NDC	Product
08337000158	INTELISWAB COVID-19 RAPID TEST
11877001140	BINAXNOW COVID-19 AG CARD HOME TEST
14613033972	QUICKVUE AT-HOME COVID-19 TEST
50021086001	ELLUME COVID-19 HOME TEST
56964000000	ELLUME COVID-19 HOME TEST

60006019166	ON/GO COVID-19 ANTIGEN SELF-TEST
82607066026	FLOWFLEX COVID-19 AG HOME TEST
82607066027	FLOWFLEX COVID-19 ANTIGEN HOME TEST

\*For future additions to this list, please monitor for updates from the FDA, the Georgia Department of Community Health, and CareSource Georgia Medicaid.

Information for members is available on our [website](#).

**Questions?**

For questions, please reach out to the Provider Services at <1-855-202-1058> or Express Scripts Pharmacy Help Desk at 1-800-416-03630.

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