



# NETWORK Notification

**Notice Date:** January 22, 2024  
**To:** Ohio Medicaid Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** Abortion: ODM Coding and Billing Reminder

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## Summary

The purpose of this communication is to remind providers of Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) guidance that impacts Medicaid Providers of Professional Outpatient and Institutional Reproductive Health Services and associated claim submission requirements.

Please refer to OAC rule 5160-17-01 for ODM requirements regarding reimbursement of abortion procedures. The requirements of OAC rule 5160-17-01 apply only to those abortions, which are induced, and do not apply to those abortions which are treatments for incomplete, missed, or septic abortions normally otherwise defined as miscarriages.

Prior Communications:

- [ODM Medicaid Advisory Letter \(MAL\) No. 612](#)
- [Network notification](#) published 3/5/2020

## Impact

Providers should follow ODM guidelines for submitting allowable services and required documentation to prevent claims denial.

The below procedure code table provides a general reference of induced and spontaneous abortion procedure codes. Treatment for spontaneous abortion (aka miscarriages) procedure codes do not require Form ODM 03197. Services provided for induced abortions due to medical necessity and treatment for miscarriages are determined by the applicable procedure code along with the corresponding diagnosis code(s).

**Note:** This listing represents CareSource's best efforts to provide the most accurate and current information. Because coding information may change annually, please refer to the current version of CPT®, ICD-10-CM, and HCPCS manuals.

CPT Code and Procedure Code Description	
59812	Treatment of incomplete abortion, any trimester, completed surgically
59820	Treatment of missed abortion, completed surgically; first trimester
59821	Treatment of missed abortion, completed surgically; second trimester
59830	Treatment of septic abortion, completed surgically
59840	Induced abortion, by dilation and curettage

59841	Induced abortion, by dilation and evacuation
<b>CPT Code and Procedure Code Description (continued)</b>	
59850	Induced abortion, by 1 or more intra-amniotic injections (amniocentesis-injections), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines;
59851	Induced abortion, by 1 or more intra-amniotic injections (amniocentesis-injections), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines; with dilation and curettage and/or evacuation
59852	Induced abortion, by 1 or more intra-amniotic injections (amniocentesis-injections), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines; with hysterotomy (failed intra-amniotic injection)
59855	Induced abortion, by 1 or more vaginal suppositories (e.g., prostaglandin) with or without cervical dilation (e.g., laminaria), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines;
59856	Induced abortion, by 1 or more vaginal suppositories (e.g., prostaglandin) with or without cervical dilation (e.g., laminaria), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines; with dilation and curettage and/or evacuation
59857	Induced abortion, by 1 or more vaginal suppositories (e.g., prostaglandin) with or without cervical dilation (e.g., laminaria), including hospital admission and visits, delivery of fetus and secundines; with hysterotomy (failed medical evacuation)
59866	Multifetal pregnancy reduction(s) (MPR)
<b>ICD-10 Inpatient Abortion Codes and Code Description</b>	
10A00ZZ	Abortion of Products of Conception, Open Approach
10A03ZZ	Abortion of Products of Conception, Percutaneous Approach
10A04ZZ	Abortion of Products of Conception, Percutaneous Endoscopic Approach
10A07Z6	Abortion of Products of Conception, Vacuum, Via Natural or Artificial Opening
10A07ZX	Abortion of Products of Conception, Abortifacient, Via Natural or Artificial Opening
10A07ZW	Abortion of Products of Conception, Laminaria, Via Natural or Artificial Opening
10A07ZZ	Abortion of Products of Conception, Via Natural or Artificial Opening
10A08ZZ	Abortion of Products of Conception, Via Natural or Artificial Opening Endoscopic

### Importance

Claims will be denied if appropriate coding and documentation guidelines are not followed. Providers will be required to rebill with correct coding.

### Questions?

If you have questions, please contact Provider Services at 1-800-488-0134 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern Time (ET).

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