



# NETWORK *Notification*

**Notice Date:** March 8, 2021  
**To:** Ohio Community Behavioral Health Center (CBHC) Providers  
**From:** CareSource  
**Subject:** COVID-19: Vaccination & Screening Collection/Processing Options

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## Summary

CareSource recognizes the role that Community Behavioral Health Centers (CBHCs) play in the care of our members. CareSource is committed to supporting CBHCs in providing comprehensive care to our members and in keeping members and their organization's employees safe during this time of crisis.

CareSource would like to notify CBHCs that once vaccinations become available to CBHCs, CareSource is configured to adjudicate claims for COVID-19 vaccination administration following the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) COVID Vaccine and Treatment Schedule for CBHCs.

Additionally, registered nurses (RNs) and licensed practical nurses (LPNs) can submit claims to CareSource for COVID-19 screening specimen collection using evaluation and management (E&M) code 99211 with one of the following diagnoses codes:

- Z03.818,
- Z20.828,
- Z11.59, U07.1
- Z20.822.

Please follow all applicable state and federal coding guidelines, including Centers for Disease Prevention and Control (CDC) guidelines.

CBHCs that operate a CLIA-certified lab can also submit claims for COVID-19 testing using codes 87635-87637. If a CBHC does not operate a CLIA-certified Lab, please use CareSource's [Find-a-Doctor tool](#) at [CareSource.com](https://www.caresource.com) to locate an in-network lab.

## Questions?

For questions, please contact Provider Services at 1-800-488-0134 (Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.)

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