



Subject: Diabetes Education Claim Processing

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POLICY

Diabetes Education is a benefit for a defined population of health plan members and is usually a component of other services offered through OSU Health Plan including Care Coordination with VBD, nutritional services, and free educational programs offered at OSU or in the community. Diabetes education is the only exception to the following exclusion from plan coverage: *For services or supplies primarily for educational, vocational, or training purposes (#23).*

DEFINITIONS

HCPCS Code	Code Description
G0108	Diabetes outpatient self-management training services, individual, per 30 minutes
G0109	Diabetes outpatient self-management training services, group, per 30 minutes

APPLICABILITY

This guideline applies to claims for both professional and facility-based programs submitted with the above HCPCS codes.

This guideline does not apply to the following CPT codes:

CPT Code	Code Description
97802	Medical nutrition therapy; initial assessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes
97803	Medical nutrition therapy; re-assessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes

Please refer to *MMPP 4.0 Nutritional Services* for coverage of CPT 97802 and 97803.

POLICY GUIDELINES

Coverage for diabetes education is as written in the Medical Specific Plan Details:

	Premier Network	Standard Network	Out-of-Network
Prime Care Advantage	80% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	70% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	No coverage
Prime Care Choice	80% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	70% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	60% of UCR after annual deductible
Prime Care Connect	85% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	75% of network fee schedule after annual deductible	No coverage
Out of Area	Not applicable	Not applicable	80% of UCR after annual deductible

PROCEDURE

All claims for diabetes education are to be processed per benefits set forth in the SPD.

REFERENCES

Ohio State University. (2023). The Ohio State University Faculty and Staff Health Plans Specific Plan Details Document, 2024 Plan Year. <https://hr.osu.edu/wp-content/uploads/medical-spd.pdf>