



# Provider Update

## Provider Update No. 146

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**To:** Providers

**From:** CalOptima Health Provider Network Management

**Subject:** Procedure Code Updates

Based on Medi-Cal Bulletins and NewsFlashes, CalOptima Health has updated the procedure codes and other relevant information for the subjects listed below:

- New Laboratory Test for Orthopoxvirus is a Medi-Cal Benefit
- Addition of Novavax COVID-19 Vaccine
- Pregnancy Coverage During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency
- Certified Nurse Midwives Can Bill for Rho D Immune Globulin Using HCPCS Codes J2790 and J2791
- Rate Update for HCPCS Code J7304 with Modifiers U1 and U2
- CCS Service Code Groupings Policy Update
- Allowable Modifiers Added for CHW and APS Services
- National Correct Coding Initiative Quarterly Update for October 2022
- Provider Manual Revisions
- Medical Supplies: Updates to the List of Covered Wound Care Advanced Dressing
- Coming Soon: Bivalent Booster Dose for Select COVID-19 Vaccines
- LTC Code and Claim Form Conversion: Crosswalks and FAQ are Available
- ICD-10-CM Code Related to COVID-19 End-Dated
- FQHC, RHC and Tribal Clinic Providers: Abortion Services

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to:

- September General Medicine Bulletin 579  
<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/gm202209.aspx>
- September Durable Medical Equipment and Medical Supplies Bulletin 564  
<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/dme202209.aspx>

- Medi-Cal NewsFlashes

[https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/newsroom/newsroom\\_31132\\_89.aspx](https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/newsroom/newsroom_31132_89.aspx)

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To access the updated Physician Administered Drug Prior Authorization List (PAD PA List), please refer to <https://www.caloptima.org/en/ForProviders/ClaimsandEligibility/PriorAuthorizations.aspx>.