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Place of Service Code 27: Outreach Site/Street

Effective November 6, 2024, Louisiana Medicaid has authorized the use of Place of Service (POS) code 27, which was introduced by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) effective October 1, 2023.

The POS code 27 can be used when providing services in a non-permanent location, such as a street or public area that is not already described by another POS, where health professionals provide preventive, screening, diagnostic, and treatment services as indicated below. Reimbursement for the following procedure codes can be found on the Professional Services fee schedule at <u>LaMedicaid.com</u> as applicable for types of service 03 and 07:

99202, 99203, 99204: Office or other outpatient visits for new patients. 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214: Office or other outpatient visits for established patients.

99381, 99383, 99384, 99385, 99386, 99387: Initial comprehensive preventive medicine evaluations for new patients, categorized by age. All ages have been included as there are family units that are unhoused.

99391, 99392, 99393, 99394, 99395, 99396, 99397: Periodic comprehensive preventive medicine reevaluations for established patients, categorized by age. All ages have been included as there are family units that are unhoused.

99401, 99402, 99403, 99404, 99405, 99406, 99407, 99408: Preventive medicine counseling and/or risk factor reduction interventions.

G0438, G0439: Annual wellness visits, including personalized prevention plan services.

Each managed care organization (MCO) shall update their claims processing system to reflect this change within 30 calendar days of the published update.

For questions related to this information as it pertains to fee-for-service Medicaid claims processing, please contact Gainwell Technologies Provider Services at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040.

Questions regarding MCO claims should be directed to the appropriate MCO.