

Smallpox and Monkeypox Vaccines

The smallpox and monkeypox vaccine (CPT 90611) will be covered for dates of service on and after July 26, 2022. The vaccine is currently provided at no cost to providers by the federal government and therefore the vaccine code shall be reimbursed at \$0. Claims will only be reimbursed when the vaccine and vaccine administration are performed, documented, and coded appropriately.

United HealthCare will reprocess claims that are impacted by this coverage update.

For more information, view the LDH informational bulletin 22-26 regarding smallpox and monkeypox vaccines.

Questions?

For answers to specific coverage or claims questions, please call the Provider Call Center at 866-675-1607.