

## Washington H1N1 Vaccine Administration Fee Matrix

Patient	Public Sector Providers	Private Sector Providers (Not contracted or otherwise affiliated with public health *)
<u>Washington Medicaid</u>	\$12.94	\$12.94
<u>Washington Medicare</u> CMS 2009 flu vaccine administration rate—effective 1/1/2009 – 12/31/2009	\$22.12 King County \$20.43 Rest of Washington	\$22.12 King County \$20.43 Rest of Washington
<u>Uninsured</u>	Applies to Local Health Jurisdictions or Affiliated Clinics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No out-of-pocket fee allowable</li> <li>Cannot turn away any individuals</li> </ul>	Four Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Waive fee; or</li> <li>Offer a sliding scale fee; or</li> <li>Fee that does not exceed the WA Medicare rate (see above); or</li> <li>Refer to public sector</li> </ul>
<u>Underinsured</u>	Applies to Local Health Jurisdictions or Affiliated Clinics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No out-of-pocket fee allowable</li> <li>Cannot turn away any individuals</li> </ul>	Usual and customary for the insurance policy—many insurances may provide coverage for H1N1 for underinsured beneficiaries
<u>Insured</u>	Applies to Local Health Jurisdictions or Affiliated Clinics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bill only if billing capacity is already established</li> <li>Usual and customary for the insurance policy</li> <li>No out-of-pocket allowable, including co-pay or cost-sharing</li> </ul>	Usual and customary for the insurance policy
<u>Patients at Commercial Community Vaccinators**</u> (includes pharmacies, retail-based clinics, urgent care centers, and medical services firms)	Applies to Local Health Jurisdictions Affiliated/Contracted Clinics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No out-of-pocket fee allowable, including co-pay or cost-sharing</li> <li>Cannot turn away any individuals</li> <li>Permissible to bill Medicaid/Medicare rates (see above) or private insurance the usual and customary amount</li> <li>Cannot bill both insurance and receive public health federal funds for the same patient</li> </ul>	Four Options <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Waive fee; or</li> <li>Offer a sliding scale fee; or</li> <li>Fee that does not exceed the WA Medicare rate (see above); or</li> <li>Refer to public sector</li> </ul>
<u>Veterans Affair</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enrolled veterans only</li> <li>No administration fee</li> </ul>	Not applicable

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<u>TRICARE</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enrolled beneficiaries in <u>military treatment facility</u></li> <li>• Cost-sharing allowed but will vary by type of TRICARE plan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enrolled beneficiaries in <u>authorized</u> private provider setting</li> <li>• Cost-sharing allowed but will vary by type of TRICARE plan</li> </ul>
<u>Indian Health Service/ WA Tribal Health Clinics</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eligible tribal members               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ No charge</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Non-eligible tribal members               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Waive fee; or</li> <li>• Offer a sliding scale fee; or</li> <li>• Fee that does not exceed the WA Medicare rate (see above); or</li> <li>• Refer to public sector</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Not applicable
<u>Section 330-funded Health Centers</u> ( FQHC-federally qualified health center; public or private)	Established patients <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Small fee allowable</li> </ul> Non-established uninsured patients*** <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Small fee allowable</li> </ul>	Not applicable

**\*Public Health Clinic definition:** For the H1N1 Vaccination Program, a public health clinic is defined as a clinic that is conducted by or on behalf of a local health jurisdiction who is receiving or will receive Public Health Emergency Response federal funds. People vaccinated at a public health clinic cannot be not charged any out-of-pocket amounts at the time of the vaccine administration.. It is permissible for public health or their affiliated vaccinator who has current billing capacity to bill insurance, Medicaid, or Medicare. Public health or their affiliated vaccinator cannot refuse to vaccinate any individuals seeking H1N1 vaccine in their setting.

**\*\*In no case will commercial community vaccinators be permitted to receive both federal monies provided to public health departments and bill insurance for vaccine administration for the same patient.**

**\*\*\*Public health is encouraged to cover the costs of vaccinating uninsured persons who are not health center patients, but want to get the H1N1 vaccination at these clinics as an alternative to other vaccination providers.**

<b>American Medical Association CPT Codes for H1N1—September 28, 2009</b>	
Vaccine—influenza virus vaccine, pandemic formulation H1N1	90663
Administration of H1N1 immunization—intramuscular or intranasal, including counseling when performed	90470