

To:	Passport Health Plan Pharmacies	From:	PerformRx
Date:	September 23, 2011	Pages:	2
Re:	2011 Seasonal Flu Vaccine Reimbursement		

NOTE: Please see page 2 of this communication for further details about referrals and contact information.

Effective September 1, 2011, Passport Health Plan (PHP) will reimburse pharmacies for administration of the injectable seasonal flu vaccine to all members between the ages of 19-65 (except Fluzone High-Dose, for members ages 65 and older only) and Flumist* to all members between the ages of 19-49. PHP members have a \$0 copay for the flu vaccine.

Flu vaccines for children ages 18 and under are provided through the Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program. **Pharmacies may not administer or bill for childrens' flu vaccines.**

Contracted pharmacies that process and administer the vaccines listed on page 2 will be reimbursed a dispensing fee of **\$14.06 per vaccine**.

Seasonal Flu Vaccines	
BRAND NAME	NDC
FLUMIST NASAL*	66019-0109-10
FLULAVAL VIAL	19515-0888-07
FLUVIRIN SYRINGE	66521-0114-02
FLUVIRIN VIAL	66521-0114-10
FLUZONE VIAL	49281-0011-10 (PF), 49281-0388-15
FLUZONE PEDI DISP SYRINGE	49281-0111-25
FLUZONE DISP SYRINGE	49281-0011-50
FLUZONE HIGH-DOSE**	49281-0389-65
FLUARIX	58160-0878-52
AFLURIA VIAL	33332-0011-10
AFLURIA SYRINGE	33332-0011-01

*Package insert states Flumist is only indicated for healthy persons between the ages of 2 and 49 years.

**Package insert states Fluzone High-Dose is only indicated for persons ages 65 years and older.



Referring Members:

Pharmacies not administering the flu vaccine should refer PHP members to their provider or local health department for the flu vaccine and Flumist.

CDC recommendations in regards to flu vaccines for the 2011-2012 flu season may be located:

<http://www.cdc.gov/flu/protect/vaccine/vaccines.htm>

Contact Us

Pharmacies experiencing any difficulties in processing flu related claims **MUST** call the PerformRx Pharmacy Help Desk for assistance at **(800) 578-0898**.

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