

Billing for doula services

The Division of Medical Assistance Programs (DMAP) will reimburse licensed, DMAP-enrolled practitioners for certain services provided by doulas.

- Doulas must be certified and registered as Traditional Health Workers through the Oregon Health Authority, and enrolled with DMAP using the [DMAP 3113](#) form.
- Following DMAP reimbursement, practitioners then reimburse the doula as a practice expense.

This fact sheet is to help billing providers, clinics and licensed practitioners bill DMAP for labor, delivery and maternity case management (MCM) services provided by doulas as a practice expense.

Labor and delivery

DMAP will reimburse \$75 for face-to-face doula support provided concurrent with the licensed practitioner's (physician or advance practice nurse) labor and delivery services. This service is covered once per pregnancy for any woman whose benefit package covers labor and delivery.

- The patient's medical record must include the doula's name and the length of time that the doula provided services during the patient's labor and delivery.
- To bill, add an additional line using the same delivery code billed for the licensed practitioner services, and add modifier U9.
- For each birth, the rendering provider should be the licensed practitioner.
- For doula support provided before 11/1/2015, the rendering provider should be the practitioner.
- For doula support provided on or after 11/1/2015, the rendering provider should be the doula.

CMS-1500 Example 1 – Single birth

24. A.	DATE(S) OF SERVICE						B. PLACE OF SERVICE	C. EMG	D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES		E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER	F. \$ CHARGES	G. DAYS OR UNITS	H. EPSDT Family Plan	I. ID. QUAL.	J. RENDERING PROVIDER ID. #
	From MM DD YY	To MM DD YY	CPT/HCPCS	MODIFIER												
1	05	01	15	05	01	15			59409				1		NPI	Practitioner ID
2	05	01	15	05	01	15			59409	U9			1		NPI	Practitioner/Doula ID

CMS-1500 Example 2 - Multiple births (twins)

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3	05	01	15	05	01	15			59409	U9			1		NPI	Practitioner/Doula ID

Maternity Case Management (MCM) services

DMAP will reimburse for MCM services provided to patients that have an initial assessment and client support plan completed by the licensed practitioner (physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, certified nurse midwife, direct entry midwife, social worker or registered nurse). Doula services must be supervised and signed off by the licensed practitioner.

- For full documentation requirements, see OAR 410-130-0595 in DMAP's Medical-Surgical rules at www.oregon.gov/OHA/healthplan/pages/medical-surgical.aspx.
- For billing instructions, see the *Maternity Case Management Billing Guide* at <http://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyPeopleFamilies/Women/Pregnancy/MaternityCaseManagement/Pages/forms.aspx>.