310-M IMMUNIZATIONS

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EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/1994

DESCRIPTION

AHCCCS covers immunizations as appropriate for age, history and health risk, for adults and children.

AHCCCS follows recommendations as established by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). Covered immunizations for adults include, but are not limited to:

1. Diphtheria-tetanus
2. Influenza
3. Pneumococcus
4. Rubella
5. Measles
6. Hepatitis-B
7. Pertussis, as currently recommended by the CDC or ACIP
8. Zoster vaccine, for members 60 and older
9. HPV vaccine, for females and males up to age 26 years. Covered immunizations for children are identified in AMPM Chapter 400.

AMOUNT, DURATION AND SCOPE

Immunizations for passport or visa clearance are not covered by AHCCCS.

The AHCCCS Division of Fee-for-Service Management does not require prior authorization for medically necessary immunization services performed by FFS providers.