

| | |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| CMS Manual System | Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) |
| Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing | Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) |
| Transmittal 2824 | Date: November 22, 2013 |
| | Change Request 8473 |

SUBJECT: New Influenza Virus Vaccine Code

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: This Change Request (CR) provides instructions for payment and CWF edits to be updated to include influenza virus vaccine code 90673 for claims with of service on or after January 1, 2014, processed on or after April 7, 2014. This CR also removes vaccine code 90658, vaccine administration codes G9141 and G9142, and temporary vaccine codes Q2034, Q2035, Q2036, Q2037, Q2038, and Q2039 from chapter 18 sections 1.2, 10.2.1, 10.4.1, 10.4.2, and 10.4.3. In addition, this CR corrects the effective date of code Q2033 from 1/01/2013 to 7/01/2013.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013 - For code Q2033; January 1, 2014 - For code 90673

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 7, 2014

Disclaimer for manual changes only: The revision date and transmittal number apply only to red italicized material. Any other material was previously published and remains unchanged. However, if this revision contains a table of contents, you will receive the new/revised information only, and not the entire table of contents.

II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED

| R/N/D | CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| R | 18/1.2/Table of Preventive and Screening Services |
| R | 18/10.2.1/Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) and Diagnosis Codes |
| R | 18/10.4.1/CWF Edits on FI/AB MAC Claims |
| R | 18/10.4.2/CWF Edits on Carrier/AB MAC Claims |
| R | 18/10.4.3/CWF A/B Crossover Edits for FI/AB MAC and Carrier/AB MAC Claims |

III. FUNDING:

For Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs), Regional Home Health Intermediaries (RHHIs) and/or Carriers:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; Contractors activities are to be carried out with their operating budgets

For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC statement of Work. The contractor is not obliged to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

**Business Requirements
Manual Instruction**

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

| Number | Requirement | Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---|-------|-------------|-----|---------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | A/B MAC | | | D M E M A C | F I | C A R R I E R | R H H I | Shared-System Maintainers | | | | Other |
| | | A | B | H H H | | | | | F I S S | M C S | V M S | C W F | |
| | received before April 1, 2014. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8473.8 | Once the system changes described in this instruction are implemented, contractors shall release the held claims, appending condition code 15. | X | | X | | | | | | | | | |

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

| Number | Requirement | Responsibility | | | | | | | |
|--------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---|-------|-------------|-----|---------------|---------|-------|
| | | A/B MAC | | | D M E M A C | F I | C A R R I E R | R H H I | Other |
| | | A | B | H H H | | | | | |
| 8473.9 | MLN Article: A provider education article related to this instruction will be available at http://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNMattersArticles/ shortly after the CR is released. You will receive notification of the article release via the established "MLN Matters" listserv. Contractors shall post this article, or a direct link to this article, on their Web sites and include information about it in a listserv message within one week of the availability of the provider education article. In addition, the provider education article shall be included in the contractor's next regularly scheduled bulletin. Contractors are free to supplement MLN Matters articles with localized information that would benefit their provider community in billing and administering the Medicare program correctly. | X | X | X | | | | X | X |

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A

"Should" denotes a recommendation.

| X-Ref Requirement Number | Recommendations or other supporting information: |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| | |

Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A

V. CONTACTS

Pre-Implementation Contact(s): William Ruiz, 410-786-9283 or william.ruiz@cms.hhs.gov,
Joscelyn Lissone, 410-786-5116 or joscelyn.lissone@cms.hhs.gov

Post-Implementation Contact(s): Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR) or Contractor Manager, as applicable.

VI. FUNDING

Section A: For Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs), Regional Home Health Intermediaries (RHHIs), and/or Carriers:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; Contractors activities are to be carried out with their operating budgets

Section B: For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS do not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

1.2 – Table of Preventive and Screening Services

(Rev. 2824, Issued: 11-22-13, Effective: 07-01-13, for code Q2033; January 1, 2014-for code 90673, Implementation: 04-07-14)

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Initial Preventive Physical Examination, IPPE | G0402 | Initial preventive physical examination; face to face visits, services limited to new beneficiary during the first 12 months of Medicare enrollment | *Not Rated | WAIVED |
| | G0403 | Electrocardiogram, routine ECG with 12 leads; performed as a screening for the initial preventive physical examination with interpretation and report | | Not Waived |
| | G0404 | Electrocardiogram, routine ECG with 12 leads; tracing only, without interpretation and report, performed as a screening for the initial preventive physical examination | | Not Waived |
| | G0405 | Electrocardiogram, routine ECG with 12 leads; interpretation and report only, performed as a screening for the initial preventive physical examination | | Not Waived |
| Ultrasound Screening for Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm (AAA) | G0389 | Ultrasound, B-scan and /or real time with image documentation; for abdominal aortic aneurysm (AAA) ultrasound screening | B | WAIVED |
| Cardiovascular Disease | 80061 | Lipid panel | A | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | 82465 | Cholesterol, serum or whole blood, total | | WAIVED |
| | 83718 | Lipoprotein, direct measurement; high density cholesterol (hdl cholesterol) | | WAIVED |
| | 84478 | Triglycerides | | WAIVED |
| Diabetes Screening Tests | 82947 | Glucose; quantitative, blood (except reagent strip) | B | WAIVED |
| | 82950 | Glucose; post glucose dose (includes glucose) | | WAIVED |
| | 82951 | Glucose; tolerance test (gtt), three specimens (includes glucose) | *Not Rated | WAIVED |
| Diabetes Self-Management Training Services (DSMT) | G0108 | Diabetes outpatient self-management training services, individual, per 30 minutes | *Not Rated | Not Waived |
| | G0109 | Diabetes outpatient self-management training services, group session (2 or more), per 30 minutes | | Not Waived |
| Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT) Services | 97802 | Medical nutrition therapy; initial assessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes | B | WAIVED |
| | 97803 | Medical nutrition therapy; re-assessment and intervention, individual, face-to-face with the patient, each 15 minutes | | WAIVED |
| | 97804 | Medical nutrition therapy; group (2 or more individual(s)), each 30 minutes | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| | G0270 | Medical nutrition therapy; reassessment and subsequent intervention(s) following second referral in same year for change in diagnosis, medical condition or treatment regimen (including additional hours needed for renal disease), individual, face to face with the patient, each 15 minutes | B | WAIVED |
| | G0271 | Medical nutrition therapy, reassessment and subsequent intervention(s) following second referral in same year for change in diagnosis, medical condition, or treatment regimen (including additional hours needed for renal disease), group (2 or more individuals), each 30 minutes | | WAIVED |
| Screening Pap Test | G0123 | Screening cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, screening by cytotechnologist under physician supervision | A | WAIVED |
| | G0124 | Screening cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, requiring interpretation by physician | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|----------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | G0141 | Screening cytopathology smears, cervical or vaginal, performed by automated system, with manual rescreening, requiring interpretation by physician | A | WAIVED |
| | G0143 | Screening cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, with manual screening and rescreening by cytotechnologist under physician supervision | A | WAIVED |
| | G0144 | Screening cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, with screening by automated system, under physician supervision | A | WAIVED |
| | G0145 | Screening cytopathology, cervical or vaginal (any reporting system), collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation, with screening by automated system and manual rescreening under physician supervision | A | WAIVED |
| | G0147 | Screening cytopathology smears, cervical or vaginal, performed by automated system under physician supervision | A | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | G0148 | Screening cytopathology smears, cervical or vaginal, performed by automated system with manual rescreening | A | WAIVED |
| | P3000 | Screening papanicolaou smear, cervical or vaginal, up to three smears, by technician under physician supervision | | WAIVED |
| | P3001 | Screening papanicolaou smear, cervical or vaginal, up to three smears, requiring interpretation by physician | | WAIVED |
| | Q0091 | Screening papanicolaou smear; obtaining, preparing and conveyance of cervical or vaginal smear to laboratory | | WAIVED |
| Screening Pelvic Exam | G0101 | Cervical or vaginal cancer screening; pelvic and clinical breast examination | A | WAIVED |
| Screening Mammography | 77052 | Computer-aided detection (computer algorithm analysis of digital image data for lesion detection) with further physician review for interpretation, with or without digitization of film radiographic images; screening mammography (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | B | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | 77057 | Screening mammography, bilateral (2-view film study of each breast) | B | WAIVED |
| | G0202 | Screening mammography, producing direct digital image, bilateral, all views | | WAIVED |
| Bone Mass Measurement | G0130 | Single energy x-ray absorptiometry (sexa) bone density study, one or more sites; appendicular skeleton (peripheral) (e.g., radius, wrist, heel) | B | WAIVED |
| | 77078 | Computed tomography, bone mineral density study, 1 or more sites; axial skeleton (e.g., hips, pelvis, spine) | | WAIVED |
| | 77079 | Computed tomography, bone mineral density study, 1 or more sites; appendicular skeleton (peripheral) (e.g., radius, wrist, heel) | | WAIVED |
| | 77080 | Dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry (dxa), bone density study, 1 or more sites; axial skeleton (e.g., hips, pelvis, spine) | | WAIVED |
| | 77081 | Dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry (dxa), bone density study, 1 or more sites; appendicular skeleton (peripheral) (e.g., radius, wrist, heel) | | WAIVED |
| | 77083 | Radiographic absorptiometry (e.g., photo densitometry, radiogrammetry), 1 or more sites | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------|
| | 76977 | Ultrasound bone density measurement and interpretation, peripheral site(s), any method | | WAIVED |
| Colorectal Cancer Screening | G0104 | Colorectal cancer screening; flexible sigmoidoscopy | A | WAIVED |
| | G0105 | Colorectal cancer screening; colonoscopy on individual at high risk | | WAIVED |
| | G0106 | Colorectal cancer screening; alternative to G0104, screening sigmoidoscopy, barium enema | *Not Rated | Coins. Applies & Ded. is waived |
| | G0120 | Colorectal cancer screening; alternative to G0105, screening colonoscopy, barium enema. | | Coins. Applies & Ded. is waived |
| | G0121 | Colorectal cancer screening; colonoscopy on individual not meeting criteria for high risk | A | WAIVED |
| | 82270 | Blood, occult, by peroxidase activity (e.g., guaiac), qualitative; feces, consecutive | | WAIVED |
| | G0328 | Colorectal cancer screening; fecal occult blood test, immunoassay, 1-3 simultaneous | | WAIVED |
| Prostate Cancer Screening | G0102 | Prostate cancer screening; digital rectal examination | D | Not Waived |
| | G0103 | Prostate cancer screening; prostate specific antigen test (PSA) | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Glaucoma Screening | G0117 | Glaucoma screening for high risk patients furnished by an optometrist or ophthalmologist | I | Not Waived |
| | G0118 | Glaucoma screening for high risk patient furnished under the direct supervision of an optometrist or ophthalmologist | | Not Waived |
| Influenza Virus Vaccine | 90653 | Influenza virus vaccine, inactivated, subunit, adjuvanted, for intramuscular use | B | WAIVED |
| | 90654 | Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, for intradermal use, for adults ages 18-64 | | WAIVED |
| | 90655 | Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90656 | Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, when administered to individuals 3 years and older, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90657 | Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90660 | Influenza virus vaccine, live, for intranasal use | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|---------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| | 90661 | Influenza virus vaccine, derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90662 | Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, enhanced immunogenicity via increased antigen content, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90672 | Influenza virus vaccine, live, quadrivalent, for intranasal use | | WAIVED |
| | 90673 | <i>Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, derived from recombinant DNA (RIV3), hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use</i> | | <i>WAIVED</i> |
| | 90685 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90686 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90687 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | 90688 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | G0008 | Administration of influenza virus vaccine | | WAIVED |
| Pneumococcal Vaccine | 90669 | Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, polyvalent, when administered to children younger than 5 years, for intramuscular use | B | WAIVED |
| | 90670 | Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, 13 valent, for intramuscular use. | | WAIVED |
| | 90732 | Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine, 23-valent, adult or immunosuppressed patient dosage, when administered to individuals 2 years or older, for subcutaneous or intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | G0009 | Administration of pneumococcal vaccine | | WAIVED |
| Hepatitis B Vaccine | 90739 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adult dosage (2 dose schedule), for intramuscular use | A | WAIVED |
| | 90740 | Hepatitis B vaccine, dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage (3 dose schedule), for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90743 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adolescent (2 dose schedule), for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | 90744 | Hepatitis B vaccine, pediatric/adolescent dosage (3 dose schedule), for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90746 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adult dosage, for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | 90747 | Hepatitis B vaccine, dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage (4 dose schedule), for intramuscular use | | WAIVED |
| | G0010 | Administration of hepatitis B vaccine | A | WAIVED |
| HIV Screening | G0432 | Infectious agent antigen detection by enzyme immunoassay (EIA) technique, qualitative or semi-qualitative, multiple-step method, HIV-1 or HIV-2, screening | A | WAIVED |
| | G0433 | Infectious agent antigen detection by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) technique, antibody, HIV-1 or HIV-2, screening | | WAIVED |
| | G0435 | Infectious agent antigen detection by rapid antibody test of oral mucosa transudate, HIV-1 or HIV-2, screening | | WAIVED |
| Smoking Cessation | G0436 | Smoking and tobacco cessation counseling visit for the asymptomatic patient; intermediate, greater than 3 minutes, up to 10 minutes | A | WAIVED |

| Service | CPT/ HCPCS Code | Long Descriptor | USPSTF Rating | Coins./ Deductible |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | G0437 | Smoking and tobacco cessation counseling visit for the asymptomatic patient intensive, greater than 10 minutes | | WAIVED |
| Annual Wellness Visit | G0438 | Annual wellness visit, including PPPS, first visit | *Not Rated | WAIVED |
| | G0439 | Annual wellness visit, including PPPS, subsequent visit | | WAIVED |

10.2.1 - Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) and Diagnosis Codes

(Rev. 2824, Issued: 11-22-13, Effective: 07-01-13, for code Q2033; January 1, 2014-for code 90673, Implementation: 04-07-14)

Vaccines and their administration are reported using separate codes. The following codes are for reporting the vaccines only.

HCPCS Definition

- 90653 Influenza virus vaccine, inactivated, subunit, adjuvanted, for intramuscular use
- 90654 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative-free, for intradermal use, for adults ages 18 – 64;
- 90655 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, for children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use;
- 90656 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, for use in individuals 3 years and above, for intramuscular use;
- 90657 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, for children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use;
- 90660 Influenza virus vaccine, live, for intranasal use;
- 90661 Influenza virus vaccine, derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use
- 90662 Influenza virus vaccine, split virus, preservative free, enhanced immunogenicity via increased antigen content, for intramuscular use
- 90669 Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, polyvalent, for children under 5 years, for intramuscular use

| HCPCS | Definition |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 90670 | Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine, 13 valent, for intramuscular use |
| 90672 | Influenza virus vaccine, live, quadrivalent, for intranasal use |
| 90673 | <i>Influenza virus vaccine, trivalent, derived from recombinant DNA (RIV3), hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use</i> |
| 90685 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use |
| 90686 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, preservative free, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use |
| 90687 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, when administered to children 6-35 months of age, for intramuscular use |
| 90688 | Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, split virus, when administered to individuals 3 years of age and older, for intramuscular use |
| 90732 | Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine, 23-valent, adult or immunosuppressed patient dosage, for use in individuals 2 years or older, for subcutaneous or intramuscular use; |
| 90739 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adult dosage (2 dose schedule), for intramuscular use |
| 90740 | Hepatitis B vaccine, dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage (3 dose schedule), for intramuscular use; |
| 90743 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adolescent (2 dose schedule), for intramuscular use; |
| 90744 | Hepatitis B vaccine, pediatric/adolescent dosage (3 dose schedule), for intramuscular use; |
| 90746 | Hepatitis B vaccine, adult dosage, for intramuscular use; and |
| 90747 | Hepatitis B vaccine, dialysis or immunosuppressed patient dosage (4 dose schedule), for intramuscular use. |

The following codes are for reporting administration of the vaccines only. The administration of the vaccines is billed using:

| HCPCS | Definition |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------|
| G0008 | Administration of influenza virus vaccine; |
| G0009 | Administration of pneumococcal vaccine; and |
| *G0010 | Administration of hepatitis B vaccine. |

- *90471 Immunization administration. (For OPSS hospitals billing for the hepatitis B vaccine administration)
- *90472 Each additional vaccine. (For OPSS hospitals billing for the hepatitis B vaccine administration)

*** NOTE:** For claims with dates of service prior to January 1, 2006, OPSS and non-OPSS hospitals report G0010 for hepatitis B vaccine administration. For claims with dates of service January 1, 2006 until December 31, 2010, OPSS hospitals report 90471 or 90472 for hepatitis B vaccine administration as appropriate in place of G0010. Beginning January 1, 2011, providers should report G0010 for billing under the OPSS rather than 90471 or 90472 to ensure correct waiver of coinsurance and deductible for the administration of hepatitis B vaccine.

One of the following diagnosis codes must be reported as appropriate. If the sole purpose for the visit is to receive a vaccine or if a vaccine is the only service billed on a claim the applicable following diagnosis code may be used.

| Diagnosis Code | Description |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| V03.82 | Pneumococcus |
| V04.81** | Influenza |
| V06.6*** | Pneumococcus and Influenza |
| V05.3 | Hepatitis B |

**Effective for influenza virus claims with dates of service October 1, 2003 and later.

***Effective October 1, 2006, providers may report diagnosis code V06.6 on claims for pneumococcus and/or influenza virus vaccines when the purpose of the visit was to receive both vaccines.

If a diagnosis code for pneumococcus, hepatitis B, or influenza virus vaccination is not reported on a claim, contractors may not enter the diagnosis on the claim. Contractors must follow current resolution processes for claims with missing diagnosis codes.

If the diagnosis code and the narrative description are correct, but the HCPCS code is incorrect, the carrier or intermediary may correct the HCPCS code and pay the claim. For example, if the reported diagnosis code is V04.81 and the narrative description (if annotated on the claim) says "flu shot" but the HCPCS code is incorrect, contractors may change the HCPCS code and pay for the flu vaccine. Effective October 1, 2006, carriers/AB MACs should follow the instructions in Pub. 100-04, Chapter 1, Section 80.3.2.1.1 (Carrier Data Element Requirements) for claims submitted without a HCPCS code.

Claims for hepatitis B vaccinations must report the I.D. Number of the referring physician. In addition, if a doctor of medicine or osteopathy does not order the influenza virus vaccine, the intermediary claims require:

- UPIN code SLF000 to be reported on claims submitted prior to May 23, 2008, when Medicare began accepting NPIs, only
- The provider's own NPI to be reported in the NPI field for the attending physician on claims submitted on or after May 23, 2008, when NPI requirements were implemented.

10.4.1 - CWF Edits on FI/AB MAC Claims

(Rev. 2824, Issued: 11-22-13, Effective: 07-01-13, for code Q2033; January 1, 2014-for code 90673, Implementation: 04-07-14)

In order to prevent duplicate payment by the same FI/AB MAC, CWF edits by line item on the FI/AB MAC number, the beneficiary Health Insurance Claim (HIC) number, and the date of service, the influenza virus procedure codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688 and the pneumococcal procedure codes 90669, 90670, or 90732, and the administration codes G0008 or G0009.

If CWF receives a claim with either HCPCS codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same FI/AB MAC number, same date of service, and any one of those HCPCS codes, the second claim submitted to CWF rejects.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS codes 90669, 90670, or 90732 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same FI/AB MAC number, same date of service, and the same HCPCS code, the second claim submitted to CWF rejects when all four items match.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS administration codes G0008 or G0009 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same FI/AB MAC number, same date of service, and same procedure code, CWF rejects the second claim submitted when all four items match.

CWF returns to the FI/AB MAC a reject code "7262" for this edit. FIs/AB MACs must deny the second claim and use the same messages they currently use for the denial of duplicate claims.

10.4.2 - CWF Edits on Carrier/AB MAC Claims

(Rev. 2824, Issued: 11-22-13, Effective: 07-01-13, for code Q2033; January 1, 2014-for code 90673, Implementation: 04-07-14)

In order to prevent duplicate payment by the same carrier/AB MAC, CWF will edit by line item on the carrier/AB MAC number, the HIC number, the date of service, the influenza virus procedure codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688; the pneumococcal procedure codes 90669, 90670, or 90732; and the administration code G0008 or G0009.

If CWF receives a claim with either HCPCS codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same carrier/AB MAC number, same date of service, and any one of those HCPCS codes, the second claim submitted to CWF will reject.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS codes 90669, 90670, or 90732 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same carrier/AB MAC number, same date of service, and the same HCPCS code, the second claim submitted to CWF will reject when all four items match.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS administration codes G0008 or G0009 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, same carrier/AB MAC number, same date of service, and same procedure code, CWF will reject the second claim submitted.

CWF will return to the carrier/AB MAC a specific reject code for this edit. Carriers/AB MACs must deny the second claim and use the same messages they currently use for the denial of duplicate claims.

In order to prevent duplicate payment by the centralized billing contractor and local carrier/AB MAC, CWF will edit by line item for carrier number, same HIC number, same date of service, the influenza virus procedure codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688; the pneumococcal procedure codes 90669, 90670, or 90732; and the administration code G0008 or G0009.

If CWF receives a claim with either HCPCS codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, **90673**, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688 and it already has on record a claim with a **different** carrier/AB MAC number, but same HIC number, same date of service, and any one of those same HCPCS codes, the second claim submitted to CWF will reject.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS codes 90669, 90670, or 90732 and it already has on record a claim with the same HIC number, different carrier/AB MAC number, same date of service, and the same HCPCS code, the second claim submitted to CWF will reject.

If CWF receives a claim with HCPCS administration codes G0008 or G0009 and it already has on record a claim with a different carrier/AB MAC number, but the same HIC number, same date of service, and same procedure code, CWF will reject the second claim submitted.

CWF will return a specific reject code for this edit. Carriers/AB MACs must deny the second claim. For the second edit, the reject code should automatically trigger the following Medicare Summary Notice (MSN) and Remittance Advice (RA) messages.

MSN: 7.2 – “This is a duplicate of a claim processed by another contractor. You should receive a Medicare Summary Notice from them.”

Claim adjustment reason code 18 – duplicate claim or service

10.4.3 - CWF A/B Crossover Edits for FI/AB MAC and Carrier/AB MAC Claims

(Rev. 2824, Issued: 11-22-13, Effective: 07-01-13, for code Q2033; January 1, 2014-for code 90673, Implementation: 04-07-14)

When CWF receives a claim from the carrier/AB MAC, it will review Part B outpatient claims history to verify that a duplicate claim has not already been posted.

CWF will edit on the beneficiary HIC number; the date of service; the influenza virus procedure codes 90653, 90654, 90655, 90656, 90657, 90660, 90661, 90662, 90672, *90673*, 90685, 90686, 90687, or 90688; the pneumococcal procedure codes 90669, 90670, or 90732; and the administration code G0008 or G0009.

CWF will return a specific reject code for this edit. Contractors must deny the second claim and use the same messages they currently use for the denial of duplicate claims.