

Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP)

Billing and Claims Cheat Sheet*

This cheat sheet provides the HCPCS G-codes and CY 2024 payment rates for each MDPP session. After each table, there are tips for submitting MDPP-related claims to your Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs).

Table 1: Core Sessions

MDPP HCPCS G-Code	CMS Claim Description	Payment
G9886+	Behavioral counseling for diabetes prevention, in-person, group, 60 minutes	\$25
G9887+	Behavioral counseling for diabetes prevention, distance learning, 60 minutes	\$25

Submit your claim to your MAC so beneficiary is registered into MDPP and future MDPP-related claims will not be rejected.

Table 2: Additional Codes

MDPP HCPCS G-Code	CMS Claim Description	Payment
G9880	5 percent weight loss (WL) achieved from baseline weight	\$145
G9881	9 percent WL achieved from baseline weight	\$25
G9888	Maintenance 5 percent WL from baseline in months 7-12	\$8
G9890	Bridge Payment	\$25

*Medicare pays up to 22 sessions billed with codes G9886 and G9887, combined, in a 12-month period: Months 1-6: 1 in-person or distance learning session every week (max 16 sessions), Months 7-12: 1 in-person or distance learning session every month (max 6 sessions)

Tips for Successfully submitting claims to your MACs

- Be sure to include the demo code, 82, on all claims.
- Make sure your coach roster is up-to-date to avoid claims being denied or rejected. Coaches are the “rendering provider” on the claims.
- Submit the 5% weight loss claim prior to the 9% weight loss claim.
- 5% weight loss and 9% weight loss claims can be submitted once and at any time during the MDPP performance period.

* This cheat sheet applies to MDPP suppliers furnishing services to beneficiaries with FFS Medicare, also known as Original Medicare. MDPP suppliers can use the MDPP Medicare Advantage Fact Sheet or contact the beneficiary’s Medicare Advantage plan for information on Medicare Advantage payment & billing.