

COLORADO MEDICAID BILLING REFERENCE

Oral Health Services for Children

Medical Providers



Encounter-Based Reimbursement ¹

Billing Ages 0-2

D0145 Oral evaluation, counseling with primary caregiver of child < 3

D1206 Topical Fluoride Varnish

Z13.84 Screening for dental disorders (EPSDT ICD 10—Diagnosis codes)

- ◆ Pair with [Well Child Visit](#) and submit on electronic claim 837I
- ◆ Document formal [Caries Risk Assessment](#) in patient chart
- ◆ Reimbursable twice per year, two additional per year for high caries risk children

Billing Ages 3-4

D0190 Dental Screening

D1206 Topical Fluoride Varnish

Z13.84 Screening for dental disorders (EPSDT ICD 10—Diagnosis codes)

- ◆ Pair with [Well Child Visit](#) and submit on electronic claim 837I
- ◆ Document formal [Caries Risk Assessment](#) in patient chart
- ◆ Reimbursable twice per year, two additional per year for high caries risk children

Billing Ages 5-20

D0190 Dental Screening

D1206 Topical Fluoride Varnish

Z13.84 Screening for dental disorders (EPSDT ICD 10—Diagnosis codes)

- ◆ Reimbursable a maximum three times, regardless of risk
- ◆ Not required to pair with well child visit; submit on electronic claim 837I

High Caries Risk

- ◆ Documentation of risk using a [Pediatric Oral Health Screening form](#) must be part of the child member's medical and/or dental record



REQUIRED CERTIFICATION TRAINING

For Medical Providers

Oral Health Services for Children



Ages 0 - 12 years

- ◆ Complete Cavity Free at Three Training

Visit CavityFreeatThree.org for upcoming certification trainings or to request a training.

OR

- ◆ Complete *Smiles for Life* national curriculum online SmilesForLifeOralHealth.org

Complete course 2 (child oral health) and course 6 (fluoride varnish).

Contact CavityFreeAtThree.org for any additional hands on training or technical assistance.

Ages 12–20 years

- ◆ Complete *Smiles for Life* national curriculum online SmilesForLifeOralHealth.org

Course 3 (adult oral health) and Course 6 (fluoride varnish).

- ◆ Qualified Medical Personnel include Physicians (MDs), Osteopaths (DOs), Nurse Practitioners (NPs) and Physicians Assistants (PAs) with a focus on primary care, general practice, internal medicine or pediatrics and who have completed training.
- ◆ Qualified Medical Personnel who complete training must provide **documentation of training** when requested.

¹ For [Federally Qualified Health Centers \(FQHCs\)](#) and [Rural Health Centers](#) with encounter based reimbursement, no additional fee for oral health services provided by **medical personnel** at the well child visit may be submitted. Dental HCPCS should be included on the 837I electronic claim form with the [well child visit HCPC and ICD 10 code](#). Use appropriate revenue code.

