Florida Medicaid Health Care Alert
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Provider Type(s): All

Medicaid Coverage of Coronavirus Antibody Testing

The Agency for Health Care Administration communicated on April 27, 2020 that Florida Medicaid covers the COVID-19 antibody test. The purpose of this alert is to provide additional guidance related to Florida Medicaid coverage requirements for the antibody test.

Coverage Requirements

Florida Medicaid covers the following procedure codes related to antibody testing:

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In order to be reimbursed by Florida Medicaid, the test must be:

- Ordered by a Florida licensed physician.
- Performed by a laboratory that has CLIA certification or a certificate of waiver.

In accordance with the Food and Drug Administration guidance, serological tests for COVID-19 are used to detect antibodies against the SARS-CoV-2 virus and are intended for use in the diagnosis of the disease or condition of having current or past COVID-19 infection, but such tests should not be used as the sole basis for diagnosis.
Additional Information

For more information on the Agency's efforts related to COVID-19, please visit: http://ahca.myflorida.com/covid-19_alerts.shtml.

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