

ALLERGY TESTING

Per the <u>Texas Medicaid Provider Procedures Manual, Medical and Nursing Specialists,</u> <u>Physicians, and Physician Assistants Handbook, Section 9.2.5.2</u>, evaluation and management (E/M) services will not be reimbursed on the same date of service as allergy testing. Allergy testing will be paid by Community First Health Plans and the E/M service will be denied as part of another procedure on the same date of service. Effective for claims received on and after April 1, 2024.

E/M codes include 99242, 99245, 99202-99205, and 99211-99215.

When billed with any of the following CPT allergy testing codes, the E/M service will be denied.

CPT Code	Allergy Test Description
95004	Percutaneous tests (scratch, puncture, prick) with allergenic extracts, immediate
	type reaction, including test interpretation and report, specify number of test
95017	Allergy testing, any combination of percutaneous (scratch, puncture, prick) and
	intracutaneous (intradermal), sequential and incremental, with venoms, immediate
	type reaction, including test interpretation and report, specify number of tests
95018	Allergy testing, any combination of percutaneous (scratch, puncture, prick)
	and intracutaneous (intradermal), sequential and incremental, with drugs or
	biologicals, immediate type reaction, including test interpretation and report,
	specify number of tests
95024	Intracutaneous (intradermal) tests with allergenic extracts, immediate type
	reaction, including test interpretation and report, specify number of tests
95027	Intracutaneous (intradermal) tests, sequential and incremental, with allergenic
	extracts for airborne allergens, immediate type reaction, including test
	interpretation and report, specify number of tests
95028	Intracutaneous (intradermal) tests with allergenic extracts, delayed type reaction,
	including reading, specify number of tests
95044	Patch testing
95052	Photo patch test(s) (specify number of tests)
95056	Photo tests
95060	Ophthalmic mucous membrane tests
95065	Direct nasal mucous membrane tests
95070	Inhalation bronchial challenge testing (not including necessary pulmonary
	function tests), with histamine, methacholine, or similar compounds
95199	Unlisted allergy/clinical immunologic service or procedures