



# CPT Category II Codes Can Help Close Care Gaps

As of January 16, 2023, BCBSOK is allowing reimbursement for the CPT II: 0503F at \$10.00 where previously this code was zero priced.

Using the proper **Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) Category II codes** when filing claims can help streamline your administrative processes and ensure gaps in care are closed.

**Why it matters:** We use metrics to monitor and improve the quality of care our members receive.

**How CPT II Codes Can Help:** CPT II codes are more specific than CPT I codes. When submitted for services performed during office, lab or facility visits, CPT II codes can help:

- Provide more accurate medical data and decrease requests for members' records for review
- Track member screenings to help you monitor care and avoid sending unnecessary reminders

**How to Submit CPT II Codes:** CPT II codes may be submitted on claims with other applicable codes. See our Claims and Eligibility webpage for claims filing tips.

CPT II Coding Quick Reference		
Quality Metric	Description	Applicable Code
Postpartum Care Visit	Pregnant members who delivered live births and completed a postpartum visit from 1 week to 12 weeks after their delivery date	<b>Postpartum Visits</b> <b>CPT II: 0503F</b>

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