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(Clarification) Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptive Inpatient Reimbursement (Fee-for-Service Delivery System)

In the fee-for-service delivery system, Florida Medicaid reimburses for immediate postpartum placement of long-acting reversible contraceptives (LARCs) separate from the inpatient hospital labor and delivery Diagnosis Related Group (DRG) payments. Medicaid health plans have the flexibility to negotiate mutually agreed upon reimbursement arrangements with their network providers. For more information on reimbursement of LARC devices immediate postpartum for health plan enrollees, please contact each health plan directly.

Providers rendering services through the fee-for-service delivery system can seek reimbursement for LARCs by utilizing the codes listed below. This reimbursement policy change became effective October 1, 2016 and was communicated to Medicaid providers via the updated [Inpatient Hospital Services](#) coverage policy, effective July 11, 2016. This system change was implemented to support the Agency's goal of improving birth outcomes. Research shows that LARCs are effective in reducing unintended pregnancies, premature and low birth weight births, and prenatal drug exposure.

Device Insertion and Removal Procedure Codes

CPT CODE	DESCRIPTION
11981	Insertion, non-biodegradable drug delivery implants
11982	Removal, non-biodegradable drug delivery implants
11983	Removal with reinsertion, non-biodegradable drug delivery implant
58300	Insertion of IUD

CPT CODE	DESCRIPTION
58301	Removal of IUD

LARC Device:

HCPCS CODE	DESCRIPTION	NDC
J7297	LEVONORGESTREL-RELEASING INTRAUTERINE CONTRACEPTIVE SYSTEM (LILETTA), 52 MG	52544003554; 00023585801
J7298	LEVONORGESTREL-RELEASING INTRAUTERINE CONTRACEPTIVE SYSTEM (MIRENA), 52 MG	50419042101; 50419042301; 50419042308
J7300	INTRAUTERINE COPPER CONTRACEPTIVE (Paragard)	51285020401
J7301	LEVONORGESTREL-RELEASING INTRAUTERINE CONTRACEPTIVE SYSTEM (SKYLA), 13.5 MG	50419042201
*Q9984	LEVONORGESTREL-RELEASING INTRAUTERINE CONTRACEPTIVE (KyleEna), 19.5 MG	50419042401
J7307	ETONOGESTREL (CONTRACEPTIVE) IMPLANT SYSTEM, INCLUDING IMPLANT AND SUPPLIES (Nexplanon)	00052433001

* systems are currently being updated to include this temporary code

Note: National Drug Codes (NDC) should be included. The only limit on these products is 1 unit per claim, up to 3 claims per year.

The Agency's effort to facilitate access to LARCs immediately postpartum is in collaboration with community partners, Medicaid health plans and other state partners, which include the Florida Perinatal Quality Collaborative (FPQC). The FPQC has established the "Access LARC" Initiative to provide training and resources in efforts to help Florida hospitals set up delivery and billing systems needed for immediate postpartum placement of LARC implementation. If a hospital is interested in participating in this initiative, then visit the [Access LARC website](#) for more information.

Send an email to the Florida Perinatal Quality Collaborative at FPQC@health.usf.edu to obtain a list of recruited hospital contacts participating in this initiative.

If you need assistance, please contact a Medicaid representative at [1-877-254-1055](tel:1-877-254-1055).