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Title: **Blue Cross Complete In-Office Laboratory Testing**

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Effective July 1, 2022, Blue Cross Complete will allow reimbursement of in-office laboratory testing for immediate management of a medical emergency or an urgent condition.

Lab testing rendered in-office is considered for reimbursement when a physician or other qualified healthcare professional determines diagnostic lab testing is necessary to establish a diagnosis or to select the best treatment option to help manage a patient’s care. Providers conducting in-office lab testing must meet applicable CLIA certification requirements (or hold a CLIA Certificate of Waiver for CLIA-waived testing.)

When medically necessary and accompanied by documentation of medical necessity, the lab tests listed below are reimbursable in an office setting. **All other lab testing must be performed by a participating laboratory.** The inclusion of a code doesn’t guarantee claim payment. Other policies may apply.

CPT-HCPCS Code				
36416	82947	85049	87220	0167U
80047 - 80048	82948	85610	87270	0202U
80051	82950 - 82952	85651	87301	0223U - 0226U
80305 - 80307	82962	86308	87400	0240U - 0241U
80324 - 80377	83036 - 83037	86318	87426	C9803
81000 - 81005	83655	86328	87428	G0480 - G0481
81015	83986	86408 - 86409	87430	G0659
81025	83992	86413	87490 - 87492	G2023
82043	84132	86580	87635 - 87637	G2024
82044	84295	86756	87802 - 87804	P9612
82247 - 82248	84703	86769	87806 - 87808	P9615
82270 - 82272	84830	87070	87811	Q0111 - Q0115
82465	85013 - 85014	87168 - 87169	87880	U0001 - U0005
82565	85018	87172	87905	
82570	85025	87205	88720	
82731	85027	87210	89220	



Questions

If you have any questions, please contact your Blue Cross Complete provider account executive or Provider Inquiry at **1-888-312-5713**.

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