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**To:** Coordinated care organizations (CCOs)

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**Subject:** Fee-for-service (FFS) rates for 99483

This communication is about procedure code 99483 for cognitive assessment and care plan services. It is a [diagnostic](#) procedure code that has been covered by the Oregon Health Plan (OHP) since at least 2018. CCOs already reimburse their providers for this code, but it has not been open to FFS providers. This misalignment has resulted in uneven coverage of this service for OHP members.

Retroactively effective to January 1, 2024, OHA has opened this code to FFS providers. OHA's FFS reimbursement rates use resource-based relative value scale (RBRVS) pricing, which will vary as the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) updates relative value units (RVUs). Currently, the FFS rates are:

- \$168.02 for non-facility
- \$117.31 for facility

OHA will communicate these rates to FFS providers in the very near future and add them to the [FFS fee schedule](#) by the end of March.

### What should you do?

CCOs should evaluate the operational impact of the FFS rates on activities such as claim processing and provider contracting and make any necessary updates.

### Questions?

If you have general questions about this communication, please contact Cheryl Henning, CCO Contracts Administrator, at [Cheryl.L.Henning@oha.oregon.gov](mailto:Cheryl.L.Henning@oha.oregon.gov).

If you have questions about this procedure code, please contact Jason Daniels, Medicaid Medical/Surgical Policy Analyst, at [Jason.H.Daniels@oha.oregon.gov](mailto:Jason.H.Daniels@oha.oregon.gov).

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