

## Fee-for-service (FFS) maximum allowable rates

This sheet lists Oregon Medicaid's maximum allowable payment rate methodology for the main types of service listed in the FFS medical/dental fee schedule.

## Relative Value Unit (RVU) weight-based rates

RVU weight-based rates are based on Medicare's 2024 Non-Facility or Facility RVU weights, depending on Place of Service. These weights are multiplied by the Geographic Practice Cost Indices (GPCIs) and base rates below.

To download the RVU weights, go to <u>Medicare's Release of the Physician Fee Schedule Relative</u> <u>Value File</u>. Click the RVU24A folder and unzip file; open the file named PPRRVU24\_Jan. The RVUs for the rate calculations are found in columns F, G, I, and K.

| Type of service  | Base rate                | GPCIs (used statewide)                                      |
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| Labor and delivery codes (59400-59622)   | \$40.79                  | Work = 1.001  Practice Expense = 0.996  Malpractice = 0.647 |
| Neonatal and pediatric intensive care service codes (99468-99480)                        | \$38.76                  |   |
| Oregon primary care codes – When rendered by a primary care provider (Oregon definition) | \$28.50                  |   |
| All other RVU weight-based professional services (default rate)                          | \$25.48                  |   |
| Surgical assist  | 16% of the surgical rate |   |

## Non-RVU weight-based rates

| Type of service                         | Rate description   |  |
|---|--|--|
| Ambulatory Surgical Center              | 80% of Medicare's 2024 fee schedule  |  |
| Anesthesia services (codes 00100-01996) | American Society of Anesthesiologists Relative Value multiplied by \$20.78  Note: Payment = The above rate + time when                             |  |
|   | appropriate. Refer to <u>Professional Claims Instructions</u> for specific billing details.  |  |
| Clinical lab                            | 70% of the 2024 Medicare clinical lab fee schedule   |  |
| Dental                                  | A percentage of commercial insurers' fees, provider usual and customary fees, or through comparison with other state Medicaid reimbursement rates. |  |

| Type of service  | Rate description   |  |
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| Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics,<br>Orthotics and Supplies (DMEPOS) | Medicare-covered codes: A percentage of Medicare's 2012 fee schedule.  Unspecified item codes ( <i>e.g.</i> , K0108 and E1399) and codes that require manual pricing: 75% of MSRP or acquisition cost plus 20% if MSRP is not available.   |  |
| Physician-administered drugs   | <ul> <li>100% of the current quarter's published Medicare reimbursement rate (Average Sale Price - ASP) plus six percent), when available.</li> <li>When no ASP rate is available, the Division bases reimbursement on the Wholesale Acquisition Price (WAC).</li> <li>Pricing information for WAC is provided by First Data Bank.</li> <li>If no WAC is available, then the drug will be reimbursed at Acquisition Cost.</li> </ul> |  |
| Vision materials and supplies  | Contracted rates, which include acquisition cost plus shipping and handling.   |  |