

# **Provider Newsflash**

## November 2024

## Florida Blue MA PPO Blood Glucose Monitors and Medical Supplies Carve-out

#### Purpose of this communication:

• To notify providers that blood glucose monitors and supplies for Florida Blue Medicare Advantage PPO members will no longer be coordinated by CareCentrix.

#### What do I need to know?

- **Effective January 1, 2025**, CareCentrix will no longer coordinate blood glucose monitors and supplies for Florida Blue Medicare Advantage PPO members.
  - Important! Claims for these services will be denied if the dates of service are on or after January 1, 2025.
- CareCentrix will continue to coordinate blood glucose monitors and supplies for out-of-state Blues Plan Medicare Advantage, Florida Blue Medicare Advantage HMO, and Florida Blue commercial members.
- Florida Blue has advised prescribers to send prescriptions for blood glucose monitors and testing supplies for Florida Blue Medicare Advantage PPO members to retail pharmacies starting December 1, 2024.
- Please see the grid below for additional details on which services will be carved out for Florida Blue Medicare Advantage PPO members.

HCPCS:	Description:	HCPCS:	Description:
A4235	BATTERY LITHIUM FOR OWNED HOME BLOOD GLUCOSE	J1817	INSULIN FOR ADMIN THU DME (INSULIN PUMP) PER 50
	MONITOR, EA		UNITS
S8490	INSULIN SYRINGES (100 SYRINGES, ANY SIZE)	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS
A4236	REPLACEMENT BATTERY, SILVER OXIDE	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, APIDRA
A4234	REPLACEMENT BATTERY, ALKALINE, J CELL	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, APIDRA (SOLOSTAR)
A4233	REPLACEMENT BATTERY, ALKALINE (OTHER THAN J CELL)	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG
A4256	NORMAL, LOW AND HIGH CALIBRATOR SOLUTION/CHIPS	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG (CARTRIDGE)
A4259	LANCETS, PER BOX OF 100	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG (KWIKPEN)
A4258	SPRING POWERED DEVICE FOR LANCET, EA	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG MIX 50-50
A4253	BLOOD GLUCOSE TEST/BAYER OR ABBOTT TEST STRIPS, PER 50	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG MIX 50-50 (KWIKPEN)
SQ	STRIPS		
A4253	BLOOD GLUCOSE TEST OR REAGENT STRIPS, PER 50 STRIPS	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG MIX 75-25
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A4255	PLATFORMS FOR HOME BLOOD GLUCOSE MONITOR, 50 PER BOX	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG MIX 75-25 (KWIKPEN)
E0607	MONITOR, BLOOD GLUCOSE	J1815	INSULIN, PER 5 UNITS, HUMALOG MIX 70-30
E2100	BLOOD GLUCOSE MONITOR WITH INTEGRATED VOICE	E2101	BLOOD GLUCOSE MONITOR WITH INTEGRATED
	SYNTHESIZER		LANCING/BLOOD SAMPLE

### What do I need to do?

- For additional information on glucose monitors and supplies, please review this FAQ.
- For any questions related to this change, please reach out to your <u>Provider Relations contact</u> who will be happy to assist you!