





To: AmeriHealth Caritas Next and First Choice Next Providers

Date: November 29, 2023

Subject: AmeriHealth Caritas Next and First Choice Next Lab Test Billing Reminder

Summary: Claims submission reminder for laboratory testing

This notification serves as a reminder regarding laboratory testing claims.

To help ensure proper claims processing, laboratory testing claims must include:

- 1. Provider's Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments (CLIA) identification number on all laboratory claims
- 2. Modifier QW on all CLIA-waived procedures

Claims submitted for laboratory services without the appropriate CLIA identification number will be denied.

Submission of provider's current CLIA certificate is also required as part of AmeriHealth Caritas Next's credentialing and re-credentialing requirements.

Questions:

Thank you for your participation in our network and your continued commitment to the care of our members. If you have questions about this communication, please contact your Provider Account Executive or the Provider Services Department for your state.

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