
Electronic Visit Verification (EVV)

EVV for Home Health Care Services (HHCS)

July 20, 2023

Introduction of Highmark Wholecare EVV Project Team

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Agenda

- Highmark Wholecare EVV Program Update.
- HHCS Stage 1 Service Code Required 8/1/2023.
- HHCS Stage 2 Service Code Required 10/1/2023.
- Alternate EVV Vendor Integration Status.
- Completing the Alternate EVV Vendor survey.
- Registration How To for Provider Admins.

Highmark Wholecare's EVV Vendor

- Netsmart and Highmark Wholecare went live with PCS 12/21/21.
- Netsmart is now implementing HHCS with Highmark Wholecare.
- Netsmart and Highmark Wholecare is rolling out the HHCS service codes in stages.
- Netsmart will be providing demos and trainings throughout the implementation.
- If using an Alternate EVV vendor, your EVV vendor will need to integrate with Netsmart.

HHCS Stage 1 Service Code Required 8/1/2023

➤ Providers are required to bill Stage 1 service codes through Netsmart for dates of service on or after 8/1/2023.

EVV Service Description (Used for reporting only in the MCO)	Procedure Code
Home Visit Prenatal (Non HBP) Assessment	99500
Aide In Home Care - Hr - UD	S9122
Home Health - Nursing (RN), Hr	S9123
Home Health - Nursing (RN), Hr - TT	S9123
Home Health - Nursing (LPN), Hr	S9124
Home Health - Nursing (LPN), Hr - TT	S9124
Private Duty/Independent Nursing	T1000
Private Duty/Independent Nursing - TT	T1000
Home Health - Nursing (RN), 15 Mins - SE	T1002
Home Health - Nursing (RN), 15 Mins	T1002
Home Health - Nursing (RN), 15 Mins - TT	T1002
Home Health - Nursing (LPN), 15 Mins	T1003
Home Health - Nursing (LPN), 15 Mins - TT	T1003
Home Health - Nursing (LPN), 15 Mins - SE	T1003

HHCS Stage 2 Service Code Required 10/1/2023

➤ Providers are required to bill Stage 2 service codes through Netsmart for dates of service on or after 10/1/2023.

EVV Service Description (Used for reporting only in the MCO)	Procedure Code
Social Work Visit, In the Home, Per Diem	S9127
Speech Therapy, In the Home	S9128
Occupational Therapy, In the Home	S9129
Physical Therapy, In the Home	S9131
Physical Therapy (Day 1-28) by a PT	G0151
Physical Therapy (Day 29 and beyond) by a PT	G0151
HHCP-SERV OF PT, EA 15 Mins	G0151
Occupational Therapy (Day 1-28) by a OT	G0152
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Speech Therapy (Day 1-28) by a ST	G0153
Speech Therapy (Day 29 and beyond) by a ST	G0153
HHCP - Svs of RN, EA 15 Mins	G0154
Speech/Language Therapy-15 Mins	T2025
Occupational Therapy-15 Mins	T2025
Home Health - Occupational Therapy Assist.	T2025
Physical Therapy-15 Mins	T2025
Physical Therapy Assistant -15 Mins	T2025
Home Visit Postnatal (Non HBP) Follow-up Care	99501
Home Visit Postnatal (Non HBP) Follow-up Care Audio/Video Social Worker	99501 G0155
HHA visit to patient's home (Day 1-28) by a HH Aide	G0156
HHA visit to patient's home (Day 29 and beyond) by a HH Aide	G0156
Aide in Home Health or Hospice - 15 Mins	G0156
Aide in Home Health or Hospice - 15 Mins - AT	G0156
Aide in Home Health or Hospice - 15 Mins - TT	G0156
Aide in Home Health or Hospice - 15 Mins - U9	G0156
Aide in Home Health or Hospice - 15 Mins - UD	G0156
Dir SNS RN HH/Hospice Set	G0299
Dir SNS RN HH/Hospice Set - UB	G0299
HHA visit to a patient's home (Day 1-28) by a RN	G0299
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Postpartum Home Nursing Care	G0299
HHA visit to a patient's home (Day 1-28) by a LPN	G0300
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Dir SNS LPN HH/Hospice Set	G0300
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Alternate EVV Vendor Update



Live Demo

Registering with an Alternate EVV Vendor

Live Demo

Self-Registration How To for Provider Admins

Key Dates

Event	Date
HHCS Stage 1 Service Code Required	August 1, 2023
HHCS Stage 2 Service Code Required	October 1, 2023
Required HHCS Go-Live	October 1, 2023

Highmark Wholecare HHCS Engagement Calendar

Event	Date	Time (ET)
EVV Stakeholder Meeting	July 20, 2023	11:30 AM to 12:30 PM
EVV Stakeholder Meeting	August 17, 2023	4:00 PM to 5:00 PM
EVV Stakeholder Meeting	September 13, 2023	2:30 PM to 3:30 PM

Event	Date	Time (ET)
Caregiver Training	August 1, 2023	9:15 AM to 10:30 AM
Provider Training	August 3, 2023	9:30 AM to 11:15 AM
Caregiver Training	August 15, 2023	2:30 PM to 3:45 PM
Provider Training	August 17, 2023	2 PM to 3:45 PM



QUESTION AND ANSWER

APPENDIX

Learn More about EVV and Contact Us

<https://www.dhs.pa.gov/providers/Billing-Info/Pages/EVV.aspx>

<https://highmarkwholecare.com/Provider/Provider-Resources/Electronic-Visit-Verification>

<https://mobilecaregiverplus.com/resources/21st Century Cures Act>

<https://www.medicaid.gov/medicaid/home-community-based-services/guidance/electronic-visit-verification-evv/index.html>

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