

## **Medicaid**

## \*REVISED\* Doula Billing and Reimbursement Guidelines

Molina Healthcare of Florida reimburses Doula services to provide our members physical, emotional, and informational support during prenatal through postpartum care.

Revised to clarify that as of 4/1/2022, no authorization is required for Doula services, and services must be billed on a CMS1500 claim form for reimbursement. *Please refer to the Provider Handbook for additional information*.

## **Billing and Special Criteria**

## \*\*\*No Authorization required for Doula Services\*\*\*

Below are the CPT codes performed by Doulas				
CPT Code	Modifier	Description	Limitations	
S9442		Birth classes, non-physician provider, per session	8 classes *	
S9443		Lactation classes, non-physician, per session	8 classes *	
S9444		Parenting classes, non-physician, per session	8 classes *	
S9445		Prenatal education (patient education non classified, non-physician)	8 classes *	
S9445	TS	Postpartum education (patient education non- classified, non-physician)	8 classes *	
S9446		Prenatal patient education, not otherwise classified, non-physician provider, group, per session	8 classes *	
S9446	TS	Postpartum patient education, not otherwise classified, non-physician provider, group, per session	8 classes *	

<sup>\*</sup>Benefit limitation is a total of 8 classes per pregnancy. For example: 3 in home prenatal visits, two postpartum vistis, 2 lactation classes and 1 parenting class.



Below procedures are not performed by Doulas. Doulas may indicate their services performed at delivery using the modifier XU					
CPT Code	Modifier	Description	Limitations		
59400	XU	Routine obstetric care including postpartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy, and/or forceps) and postpartum care -This code is used for Third-Party billing	1 per delivery		
59409	XU	Doula support for vaginal delivery only	1 per delivery		
50540		Standard doula benefit with support at cesarean delivery; Global rate: routine obstetric including antepartum care, C- section delivery, and postpartum. – This code is used for Third-			
59510	XU	party delivery only	1 per delivery		
59514	XU	Doula support for Cesarean delivery only	1 per delivery		
59610	XU	Standard doula benefit with support at VBAC delivery; routine obstetric including antepartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy and/or forceps), and postpartum after previous cesarean delivery	1 per delivery		
59612	XU	Doula support for VBAC delivery only, with or without episiotomy and/or forceps	1 per delivery		
59618	XU	Routine obstetric care including postpartum care, vaginal delivery (with or without episiotomy, and/or forceps) and postpartum care -This code is used for Third Party Billing	1 per delivery		
59620	XU	Doula support for Cesarean delivery only, following attempted vaginal delivery after previous Cesarean delivery	1 per delivery		