

Adult Immunization Coding Guide

IMMUNIZATION	COST	HOW OFTEN	BILLING CODES	IN CONJUNCTION
HEPATITIS B	The Medicare deductible & co-payment must be paid.	Once a lifetime with a series of 3 shots for high- or intermediate-risk individuals.	HCPCS/CPT code–90740, 90746, or 90747 (vaccine) G0010 (administration) 90471 or 90472 (administration–OPPS hospitals only) ICD 9 CM code–V05.3	
HERPES ZOSTER (shingles)	Vaccine and administration is covered under Medicare Part D only.	A single dose for patients 60 years and older for a lifetime.	HCPCS/CPT code–90471 (vaccine) G0377 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V04.89 or V05.8	
INFLUENZA (flu)	No out-of-pocket cost (free)	Once a year during flu season	HCPCS/CPT code–90658 (vaccine) G0008 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V04.81	V06.6 (when purpose of visit was to receive both flu and pneumonia vaccines)
PNEUMOCOCCAL PNEUMONIA (bacterial pneumonia)	No out-of-pocket cost (free)	One vaccine at age 65 generally lasts a lifetime. High-risk persons: booster vaccine needed 5 years later.	HCPCS/CPT code–90732 (vaccine) G0009 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V03.82	V06.6 (when purpose of visit was to receive both flu and pneumonia vaccines)
Tdap (TETANUS, DIPHTHERIA, acellular PERTUSSIS)	The Medicare deductible & co-payment must be paid.	As medically necessary	HCPCS/CPT code–90715 (vaccine) 90471 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V06.1	
ADULT Td (TETANUS, DIPHTHERIA)	The Medicare deductible & co-payment must be paid.	As medically necessary	HCPCS/CPT code–90718 (vaccine) 90471 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V06.5	
VARICELLA	The Medicare deductible & co-payment must be paid.	As medically necessary	HCPCS/CPT code–90716 (vaccine) 90471 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V05.4	
MENINGOCOCCAL	The Medicare deductible & co-payment must be paid.	As medically necessary	HCPCS/CPT code–90733 (vaccine) 90471 (administration) ICD 9 CM code–V03.89	

NOTE: Use CPT code 90471 when administering a single vaccine. Use CPT code: 90472 if multiple vaccines are administered (Td, VARICELLA, MENINGOCOCCAL and SHINGLES). INFLUENZA and PNEUMOCOCCAL PNEUMONIA are an exception.



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