

TO: Our Valued Clients and Brokers

FROM: Health Plans, Inc.
DATE: May 22, 2023
RE: State Assessments

Periodically, HPI sends our clients and brokers an update of the fees assessed by the various states. The chart below summarizes the information on state assessments as of May 2023, showing how they are calculated – either based on members in the specific state or claims paid within the state – and when they are effective.

- HPI collects these amounts and remits them to the applicable jurisdictions on behalf of our clients.
- The assessments applicable to each client are shown on that client's *Claims Awaiting Funding Report*. Each assessment can be identified by its Funding Report Code.

State	Assessment	Current rates	Effective date	Prior rates	Funding Report Code	NOTES
Connecticut	Childhood Immunization Vaccine Assessment	\$41.29 per CT member as of prior May 1 per year	Annual payment due by following February 1	\$42.22 per CT member as of prior May 1	HPI – CT Vaccine Fee	2022 was amended by the state and refunds issued.
Idaho	Immunization Assessment	FY 2021 \$70 per ID child member per year; 2023/24	Annual payment due June 15	\$50 per ID child member per year	HPI – Idaho Surcharge	
Maine	Universal Child Immunization Program	\$7.82 per ME child member	First quarter payment due May 15, 2023	\$ 9.45 per ME child member	HPI – ME Vaccine Fee	
Maine	Health Data Assessment	Approximately 0.009% of applicable claims; 2023 <i>TBD</i>	Data Due April 30, 2023, Payment Due July 2023	Approximately 0.009% of applicable claims	Maine Health Data Organization	
Maine	Maine Guaranteed Access Reinsurance Program	\$4pmpm	January 1, 2023 payable monthly	\$4pmpm	MGARA	
Massachusetts	Health Safety Net (HSN) Assessment	1.22% of claims paid to acute care hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers in MA	Applicable to claims October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023; payable monthly	1.40% of claims paid to acute care hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers in MA	HPI – MA Surcharge Account	

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Massachusetts	Pediatric Immunization Program Assessment (PIPA)	3.65% of HSN claims	January 1, 2023; payable for first 3 months of the year; due February 2023; March 2023; April 2023	3.88% of HSN claims	HPI – MA Surcharge Account	
Massachusetts	FY 2023 Behavioral Health Access and Crisis Intervention Trust Fund Surcharge	0.29% of total payments made to hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers	Annual payment due May	N/A	HPI – MA Surcharge Account	
Massachusetts	Centers for Health Information and Analytics	December 2023; Proportion of HSN charge % x 50% of CHIA expenses	December 2023; payable in one payment in Jan 2024	0.16 % of claims subject to HSN surcharge	HPI – MA Surcharge - CHIA	
Massachusetts	Health Policy Commission	1.22% of claims subject to HSN surcharge	January 2023, payable by March 5, 2023	0.5% of claims subject to HSN surcharge	HPI – MA Surcharge – Health Policy Commission	
Massachusetts	EOHHS Child Psychiatry Access (MCPAP)	0.08% of HSN claims paid January 2022 through March 2022;	Due late April 2023	0.07% of HSN claims paid January 2021 through March 2021	МСРАР	
New Hampshire	Vaccine Association (NHVA)	\$8.50 per NH child member per quarter	January 1, 2023; first quarter payment due May 15, 2023	\$6.85 per NH child member per quarter	HPI – NH Vaccine Fee	
New York	Public Goods Pool covered lives assessment	Varies by region of residence	Monthly, plus annual January 30 filing	Varies by region of residence	HPI NY Surcharge Account	The New York fees are combined and paid together.
New York	Indigent care initiative	9.63% of NY claims if the client elects to have HPI file and 28.27% if the client opts out	Monthly, plus annual January 30 filing	9.63% if the client elects to have HPI file and 37.90% if the client opts out	HPI NY Surcharge Account	The New York fees are combined and paid together.
Rhode Island	Vaccine Assessment Program	FY 2024 \$24.83 per RI child member \$ 6.24 per RI adult member per month	First payment for FY 2024 due July 30, 2021	FY 2023 \$14.78 per RI child member \$ 3.56 per RI adult member per month	HPI – RI Vaccine Fee	

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Rhode Island	Children's Health Account (funding certain children's home health, diagnostic and treatment services)	FY 2024 - \$9.55 per RI child member per month; FY 2024	Quarterly	FY 2023 \$9.03 per RI child member per month	HPI RI – Children's Health Account Fee	
Vermont	Vaccine Purchasing Program	FY 2023 \$9.98 per child VT member \$1.68 per adult VT member; FY 2023 May 15, 2023	January 1, 2023; fourth quarterly payment due May 15, 2023	\$12.02 per child VT member \$ 1.70 per adult VT member	HPI – VT Vaccine Fee	
Vermont	Health Care Claims Tax	.999 x 1% of claims for VT members	Applies to claims for FY 2022; due January 2023	.9999 x 1% of claims for VT members	HPI – VT Surcharge	
Washington	Washington Partnership Access Lines (WAPAL)	\$0.06 per covered life per month	Quarterly payment	\$0.07 per covered life per month	HPI – WA Surcharge	

For best service, please contact your HPI Account Service Team directly if you have any questions.

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