



Reimbursement and Billing Information Medicaid Information

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<p>Who can bill for early intervention services?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providers certified as Early Intervention Providers by the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) may bill for early intervention services. Agencies employing Certified Early Intervention Providers may bill for the early intervention services provided by those certified providers.
<p>What do providers need to do to participate in Medicaid?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be enrolled with DMAS as Early Intervention Providers. CSBs, outpatient rehab providers, and home health providers who currently have a provider agreement with DMAS have the option of enrolling with DMAS and (1) obtaining a specialty code or (2) obtaining a new provider class type and using the early intervention taxonomy code: 252Y00000X. These providers will not have to submit an application to DMAS to "re-enroll". They are allowed to submit an attestation letter that notifies DMAS of their choice of how to enroll. • New providers in one of the above categories can select either option 1 or option 2 above. • New providers who are not in one of the categories listed above (as well as any hospital) must submit an application to DMAS to obtain a new provider class and must bill using the early intervention taxonomy code. • Providers must have a National Provider Number (NPI) or API. Agencies that have an NPI number will not need a new NPI number unless they choose to obtain the new provider class type.
<p>What are the early intervention rates?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See Early Intervention Rates - Table A for specific information about rates. • Rates reflect the full cost of providing a unit of Early Intervention services, including not only salary and benefit costs but also administrative and support costs. • The rate also accounts for supervision costs for assistant-level practitioners.
<p>How do providers receive Medicaid reimbursement?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providers bill Medicaid using a CMS 1500 form and the codes listed in Table D. • For children with Medicaid and commercial insurance coverage, providers must bill the commercial insurance first.
<p>How Can I learn more?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • View information on the Infant & Toddler Connection website: www.infantva.org • Contact the Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia at 804-786-3710 • Email Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia staff: http://www.infantva.org/Contactus.htm • Contact the Local System Manager for the area in which you provide services. • Check the Department of Medical Assistance Services Website: www.dmas.virginia.gov.

Table A: Medicaid Early Intervention Services Reimbursement Information

Code	Rate	Who bills	When is This Used	Location	Limits
T1023	27.50/unit	Reimbursement Category 2 Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initial Assessment for Service Planning Development of IFSP Annual IFSP 	NE or Center-based	24 units/day and 36 units/year
T1023 U1	37.50/unit	Reimbursement Category 1 Providers			
T1024	27.50/unit	Reimbursement Category 2 Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team Treatment activities (more than one professional providing services during same session for an individual child/family) Team Meetings child or family present Assessments that are done <u>after</u> the initial Assessment for Service Planning 	Natural Environments*	The maximum daily units/per child/ per code/ per provider agency is 12 units with a maximum of 18 units (for any combination of codes) per day per child for all providers
T1024 U1	37.50/unit	Reimbursement Category 1 Providers			
T1027	18.43/unit	Reimbursement Category 2 Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developmental Services and other early intervention services provided for more than one child by one Early Intervention Certified Specialist (congregate) 	Natural Environments*	
T1027 U1	27.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developmental Services and other early intervention services provided for one child by one Early Intervention Certified Specialist 		
T1026	7.43/unit	Reimbursement Category 1 Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Center-based group early intervention services 	Center-based	
T1026 U1	22.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Center-based individual early intervention services 	Center-based	
T1015	5.44/unit	Reimbursement Category 2 Providers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Center-based group early intervention services 	Center-based	
T1015 U1	16.49/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Center-based individual early intervention services 	Center-based	
G0151	25.13/unit	Physical Therapists (RC 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congregate PT 	Natural Environments*	
G0151 U1	37.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual PT 		
G0152	25.13/unit	Occupational Therapists (RC 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congregate OT 	Natural Environments*	
G0152 U1	37.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual OT 		
G0153	25.13/unit	Speech Language Therapists (RC 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congregate SLP 	Natural Environments*	
G0153 U1	37.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual SLP 		
G0154	25.13/unit	RN or RNP (RC 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congregate Nursing Services 	Natural Environments*	
G0154 U1	37.50/unit		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual Nursing Services 		

* May include rare situations where services are provided in a center with acceptable justifications AND for which travel by the provider is required. See Infant & Toddler Connection of Virginia Practice Manual for information.