



## Provider communication

General information and system updates

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### Fee Setting For CMS C Codes

**Applicable to: Mercy Care Complete Care, Mercy Care ACC-RBHA, Mercy Care Long Term Care, Mercy Care DCS CHP, and Mercy Care DD**

C codes are temporary HCPCS Level II codes created by CMS for Medicare purposes to be reported for new technology devices, drugs, biologicals, and radiopharmaceuticals that have received transitional pass-through status under the Medicare Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS).

Mercy Care has reviewed CMS status C codes (C= Carriers price the code) for rate setting. Our research found that CPT codes 95710 thru 95719 ( Long-term EEG Monitoring) do not exist in the Physician Fee Schedule but do exist in the AHCCCS outpatient hospital fee schedule (OPFS).

Effective September 1, 2024, Mercy Care will be adding the OPFS rates to the Mercy Care fee schedule. For AHCCCS OPFS, please visit: [AHCCCS OPFS](#). Once the fee schedule is set, providers will be able to view it through Availity.

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