

Provider Alert

Opioid Treatment Program (OTP)

Beginning January 1, 2023, MassHealth will be moving to the Medicare G-Code Structure for payment of OTP Services. [cms.gov - Opioid Treatment Programs \(OTPs\) Medicare Billing & Payment](https://www.cms.gov/medicare/coverage/policies/2022/simply-services/medicare-billing-payment-otp)

| Code | Description |
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| G2067 | Medication assisted treatment, methadone; weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing, if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program) |
| G2068 | Medication assisted treatment, buprenorphine (oral); weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program) |
| G2073 | Medication assisted treatment, naltrexone; weekly bundle including dispensing and/or administration, substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program) |
| G2074 | Medication assisted treatment, weekly bundle not including the drug, including substance use counseling, individual and group therapy, and toxicology testing if performed (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program) |
| G2076 | Intake activities, including initial medical examination that is a complete, fully documented physical evaluation and initial assessment by a program physician or a primary care physician, or an authorized healthcare professional under the supervision of a program physician or qualified personnel that includes preparation of a treatment plan that includes the patient's short-term goals and the tasks the patient must perform to complete the short-term goals; the patient's requirements for education, vocational rehabilitation, and employment; and the medical, psycho- social, economic, legal, or other supportive services that a patient needs, conducted by qualified personnel (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure |
| G2078 | Take-home supply of methadone; up to 7 additional day supply (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure. |
| G2079 | Take-home supply of buprenorphine (oral); up to 7 additional day supply (provision of the services by a Medicare-enrolled Opioid Treatment Program); list separately in addition to code for primary procedure.] |

Important: Only OTP Providers can bill Medicare using the specific codes for OTP services. No other provider or supplier type can bill for OTP services.

Please Note: The following codes are no longer available for Opioid Treatment Programs:

- H0020-TF
- H0020-HQ
- H0020-HR
- H0033-U2
- H0033-U3

OTP Providers must:

- Get full certification from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration [SAMHSA](#)
- Get accreditation from an accrediting body that SAMHSA approves
- Meet additional conditions necessary for the health and safety of patients

If you have any questions specific to this correspondence, please contact Optum Provider Services at 1-**877-614-0484**