

COVID-19 Specimen Collection Rate

New rate: In response to the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) established HCPCS code C9803 for specimen collection in a hospital outpatient, the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is establishing a reimbursement rate for the new code.

For complete details, please refer to the following link:

<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/gm202006.aspx#a3>