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ATTENTION PROVIDERS

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Billing for Eligible Alien Services

EqualityCare has recently determined that FQHC/RHC'S are billing for prenatal and postpartum care to clients that are only eligible for emergency alien services. Please refer to page 6-8 of the General Provider Manual.

Aliens are eligible for emergency services defined as; after sudden onset, a medical condition manifesting itself by acute symptoms of sufficient severity that the absence of immediate attention could reasonably be expected to result in:

- Placing the patient's health in serious jeopardy; or
- Serious impairment to bodily functions (**includes labor and deliver only**); or
- Serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part.

Emergency services will not pay for services related to either an organ transplant procedure or **routine prenatal or post-partum care**.



If your facility has provided these services, you will be receiving a notice for recovery.

If you have additional questions regarding billing or covered services, please contact the ACS Provider Relations Unit at (307) 772-8401 or toll free at (800) 251-1268.
Call center hours are Monday through Friday from 9am-5pm.





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