



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES  
Bureau for Medical Services

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Cabinet Secretary

Cynthia E. Beane  
Commissioner

MEMORANDUM

TO: WV Medicaid Members, Providers and Plans

FROM: Cynthia Beane, MSW, LCSW Commissioner

DATE: January 28, 2022

RE: Medicaid coverage of COVID-19 self-testing kits  
Effective January 26, 2022

WV Medicaid is providing coverage for the following four (4) approved at-home COVID-19 self-test kits:

BinaxNOW COVID-19 Antigen Self Test	(NDC 11877001140)
CareStart COVID-19 Antigen Home Test	(NDC 50010022431)
InteliSwab COVID-19 Rapid Test	(NDC 08337000158)
QuickVue At-Home COVID-19 Test	(NDC 14613033972)

**Members paying for test kits out of pocket cannot be reimbursed.**

These tests require a prescription written by an enrolled WV Medicaid Prescriber or Provider type and MUST be billed through the pharmacy to be covered by Medicaid. Pharmacists may write these prescriptions using their own enrolled NPI or their enrolled Pharmacy NPI.

WV Medicaid will cover one (1) test kit per member, per week. The pharmacist is responsible for observing the approved age limits for each kit.