## GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Department of Health Care Finance



Office of the Senior Deputy Director and Medicaid Director

**Transmittal 23-66** 

**TO:** All D.C. Medicaid-Enrolled Doula Service Providers

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Senior Deputy Director and Medicaid Director

**DATE:** December 27, 2023

**SUBJECT:** CY 2024 Medicaid Doula Service Rates

## **Purpose**

The purpose of this transmittal is to inform all D.C. Medicaid-Enrolled Doula Service Providers that the rates for Medicaid Doula Services are updated effective January 1, 2024.

The rates for Medicaid Doula services are inflated by 4.6% in accordance with the Medicaid State Plan Amendment (SPA) approved by CMS on September 28, 2022. These new rates will be effective from January 1, 2024, until December 31, 2024.

The new rates for Medicaid HSS payment rates are listed below:

CPT Code & Modifier	CPT Code Description	CY 2023 Rate	New CY 2024 Rate
99600 – HD	Perinatal Doula Support Visit	\$97.04	\$101.50
59400 – HD	Doula Support at Delivery HD – Vaginal Delivery	\$686.23	\$717.80
59514 - HD	Doula Support at Delivery HD -c-section	\$686.23	\$717.80
59612 - HD	Doula Support at Delivery HD -V-BAC	\$686.23	\$717.80
99199 - HD	Postpartum Doula Support-15 Minute Increment	\$12.13	\$12.69
99199 - HD - U8	Doula Incentive Payment for Obstetric Postpartum Visit 7 to 84 Days After Labor and Delivery	\$100.00	\$100.00

## **Contact**

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