

CHIP Perinate Quick Reference Tool February 2025





Driscoll Health Plan General Information

Address: 4525 Avers Street

Corpus Christi, Texas 78415

Hours of Operation: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. (CST), Mon – Fri

(Except State Holidays)

Eligibility Verification: Call Member Services or access web:

www.dhpproviderportal.com

Please submit authorizations online at:

www.dhpproviderportal.com

Claims Information

There are 2 types of payment sources for

CHIP Perinate: **DHP and TMHP**

Electronic claims are accepted through:

Change Healthcare Payer ID - 74284

For paper claims, send a completed claim

form (CMS 1500 or UB04) to:

Driscoll Health Plan

P.O. Box 3668

Corpus Christi, Texas 78463-3668

Claims must be submitted within 95 days of

the date of service.

THMP Claims:

Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership

P.O. Box 200555 Austin, Texas

Billing Information

Professional Claims Facility Claims Income Level Bill to DHP Labor with Delivery charges at or below 198% FPL Bill to TMHP Labor with delivery charges >198-202% FPL Bill to DHP Bill to DHP All services subsequent to birth for newborns at or below 198% FPL Bill to TMHP Bill to TMHP Bill to DHP Bill to DHP

All services subsequent to birth for newborns >198-202% FPL

Postpartum Care: Eligibility for mother ends with delivery. Bill postpartum with delivery date or bill CPT code 59430.

Bill to DHP

Contact Information

Provider Services

1-877-324-3627 option 1

Member Services

CHIP:

1-877-451-5598

Prior Authorization

1-877-455-1053

Fax: 1-866-741-5650

Pharmacy-Prior Authorization

Navitus: 1-877-908-6023

Authorization Status 1-877-324-3627 option 1

Urgent After Hours On-Call Nurse for Authorization 1-877-455-1053 option 2

Case and Disease Management 1-877-222-2759

Fax: 1-866-704-9824

Provider Complaints

Email:

DHP QM Complaints@dchstx.org

Nueces SA: 1-877-220-6376 Hidalgo SA: 1-855-425-3247 Waste, Abuse and Fraud Hotline

1-844-808-3170

Interpreter Services

1-866-421-3463

Note: When you use this service,

you will need to provide:

Language Needed

Member DHP ID Number

Physician's First and Last Name

Member Complaints

1-877-324-7543

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For Newborns at or below 198% FPL:

Call the Medicaid Helpline at: 1-800-964-2777

Newborn receives Medicaid benefits for 12 months.

Newborn will receive an enrollment package from the state to

choose a Medicaid Health Plan.

For Newborns >198-202% FPL:

Newborn will be enrolled with DHP and receive CHIP benefits for the remainder of the CHIP Perinatal coverage period.

Please submit authorizations online at www.dhpproviderportal.com or fax to 1-866-741-5650.

All services must be medically indicated, evidenced by supporting clinical documentation.

COB – Authorization is required for inpatient services and observation services (for diagnoses not related to pregnancy or stays greater than 2 days) regardless of if DHP is secondary payer. Some outpatient services/procedure codes may require prior authorization regardless of DHP as secondary payer. Providers should verify authorization requirements on the DHP Prior Authorization Portal at https://driscollhealthplan.com/priorauthcheck. In cases where DHP is secondary payer and no prior authorization is required, as based on directive within the DHP Prior Authorization Portal, providers should verify the services are a covered benefit by the primary payer. If the services are known to be a non-covered benefit by the primary payer, prior authorization is required by DHP and proof of non-coverage of benefit must accompany the claim submission.

Authorization requests received after hours or during holiday closures will be processed with a start date of the following business day. Office-based procedures rendered during extended hours will be processed with a start date of date of service, provided requests are submitted to DHP within one business day.

Elective surgical procedures unrelated to the primary reason for admission may not be a covered benefit and will require a prior authorization.

Unless otherwise specified below, all out-of-network services require prior authorization.

Unless otherwise specified below, authorization is required for ALL services which are either not a benefit or exceed the allowed benefit

SERVICES	NO AUTH REQUIRED	AUTH REQUIRED	NON- COVERED SERVICES
Prenatal Care: Up to 20 Prenatal visit			
First 28 weeks of pregnancy: one visit every 4 weeks	Х		
28-36 weeks of pregnancy: one visit every 2-3 weeks	х		
36 weeks to delivery: one visit every week	Х		
Additional prenatal visits will be paid if medically necessary and with prior approval by DHP		х	
Referrals to Participating Maternal Fetal Medicine (MFM)	Х		
Ultrasounds			
OB Ultrasounds ordered / performed by Maternal Fetal Medicine Specialists	Х		
Biophysical Profile (BPP) with or without NST (Fetal Non-stress tests)	Х		
Up to 4 OB ultrasounds per pregnancy	Х		
Greater than 4 OB Ultrasounds		х	
Transvaginal OB ultrasound for short cervix (CPT 76817)	Х		
Pharmacy			
CHIP Formulary: Navitus Toll free: 1-877-908-6023	Х		
Limited Pregnancy injections for iron, Rhogam, insulin, and Tdap vaccine: J1750, J2790, J2791, J2792, J1815, J1817, 90384, 90385, & 90715; no auth required if <\$300	х		
Laboratory Services			
Laboratory Services which directly relate to antepartum care and/or the delivery of the covered CHIP Perinate until birth done at any in-network laboratory	x		

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Postpartum Care			
Two postpartum visits, within 60 days of birth, will be paid by DHP. Family planning is not included	х		
Emergency Services			
Emergency ground, air and water transportation for labor and threatened labor directly related to the delivery of the unborn child	х		
Emergency Medical Conditions	х		
Inpatient Admissions/Observations			
Inpatient and observation hospital care for the mother of the unborn child for diagnoses unrelated to pregnancy, not related to labor with delivery, such as a broken arm, labor without delivery of the baby (false labor), PIH, and other medically complicating conditions			x
OB Observations for diagnoses related to pregnancy for up to 2 days	х		
Routine deliveries and well-baby admissions in and out of network	х		
Deliveries extending beyond 4 days vaginal/6 days cesarean-section (allows for 2 laboring days)		х	
Other Services			
Cordocentesis if not performed by MFM		х	
Fetal Intrauterine Transfusion (FUIT) if not performed by MFM		х	
Cervical cerclage placement (Inpatient, Observation, or Outpatient)		х	
Cervical cerclage removal in office or facility	х		
D&Cs related to miscarriages (57558, 59160, 59812, 59820-59830, 59870)	х		
Elective surgical procedures unrelated to the primary reason for admission may not be a covered benefit		х	
Post-delivery services or complications resulting in the need for emergency services for the mother of the CHIP Perinate			х
Limited Diabetic Supplies: A4245, A4253, A4206, A4250, A4258; no auth required if <\$300 paid per item	х		
Electric breast pump (non-hospital grade) E0603 – one per pregnancy or one per three years	х		
Other durable medical equipment, prosthetic devices, and disposable medical supplies			Х
Mental health, chemical dependency and any other care not related to pregnancy			Х
Sterilization and family planning services are not a benefit for CHIP Perinate members			Х

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