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IHCP adds new Package B to expand benefits for qualified immigrants

Effective November 30, 2019, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will expand the benefits for certain qualified immigrants identified as a permanent resident. This new benefit package will be titled *Package B – Emergency Services Only Coverage with Pregnancy Coverage*. Services will be delivered on a fee-for-service (FFS) basis. Package B will cover prenatal and postpartum services, in addition to *Package E – Emergency Services Only*.

To qualify for Package B services, a member must have the following:

- Immigration status equal to "Lawful Permanent Resident"
- Eligibility for Package E
- Be pregnant or within the 60-day postpartum period



When billing for Package B members, providers must do one of the following:

- Indicate in the appropriate field on the claim that the service rendered meets the definition of an emergency service as defined in the <u>Emergency Services</u> provider reference module.
- Include a diagnosis code that indicates the service was related to prenatal or postpartum treatment.

Providers are responsible for maintaining documentation to support the claim and the appropriateness of the service.

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