



Driscoll Children's Health Plan CHIP Perinate – Provider Quick Reference Guide

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1-877-324-3627

Covered Benefits

PRENATAL CARE

Up to 20 Prenatal visits

- First 28 weeks of pregnancy: one visit every 4 weeks
- 28-36 weeks of pregnancy: one visit every 2-3 weeks
- 36 weeks to delivery: one visit every week
- Additional prenatal visits will be paid if medically necessary and with prior approval by DCHP.

Ultrasounds

- For routine pregnancies: up to 3 ultrasounds
- For high-risk pregnancies: unlimited ultrasounds with notification of diagnosis

PHARMACY

CHIP Formulary

Toll free: 1-877-451-5598

LABORATORY SERVICES

- LabCorp
- Clinical Pathology Laboratory
- In network Hospital Laboratory
- Regional Medical Laboratory (Victoria)

POSTPARTUM CARE

Two postpartum visits, within 60 days of birth, will be paid by DCHP. Family planning is not included.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Emergency ground, air and water transportation for labor and threatened labor directly related to the delivery of the unborn child is a covered benefit.

Authorization Requirements

- Cordocentesis, Fetal Intrauterine Transfusion (FUIT), >3 OB Ultrasounds, and Referral to Maternal Fetal Medicine (MFM) Physician require authorization.

Non-Covered Services

- Inpatient hospital care for the mother of the unborn child that is 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.
- Post-delivery services or complications resulting in the need for emergency services for the mother of the CHIP Perinate
- Durable medical equipment, prosthetic devices and disposable medical supplies
- Mental health, chemical dependency and any other care not related to pregnancy.

Billing

Income Level	Professional Claims	Facility Claims
Labor with Delivery charges at or below 185% FPL	Bill to DCHP	Bill to TMHP
Labor with delivery charges 186-200% FPL	Bill to DCHP	Bill to DCHP
All services subsequent to birth for newborns at or below 185% FPL	Bill to TMHP	Bill to TMHP
All services subsequent to birth for newborns 186-200% FPL	Bill to DCHP	Bill to DCHP

CHIP Perinatal Newborn Benefits

For Newborns at or below 185% FPL:

Newborn receives Medicaid benefits for 12 months.

Newborn will receive an enrollment package from the state to choose a Medicaid health plan. Call the Medicaid Helpline at:

1-800-964-2777

For Newborns 186-200% FPL:

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



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<p>Provider Inquiries Monday-Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Claims Inquiries • Questions/Concerns • Provider Changes • Contract Terms <p>Local: 361-904-0955 Fax: 361-881-1349 Toll-Free: 1-877-324-3627</p> <p>Provider Relations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inquiries regarding DCHP's policies and procedures • Change of address/phone number/tax identification number • EFT/ERA request • Contract clarification/interpretation • Provider education in-services <p>Provider Web Portal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check Claims Status • Verify Member Eligibility • Check Authorization Status • Check Authorizations and Notifications • Learn about Disease Management Programs • Request a Specialist • Locate a Provider • Check Appeal Status • Download EOPs <p>Website: www.dchpkids.com</p>	<p>Health Services 24-Hour Availability</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical Case Management • Prior Authorizations • Discharge Needs • Notification of Admission <p>Call for high-risk pregnancy and OB Services Fax: 1-866-741-5650 Toll-Free: 1-877-455-1053</p> <p>Eligibility CHIP Perinate benefits provide limited inpatient and outpatient benefits to expectant mothers in households with income up to 200% Federal Poverty Level (FPL) and who are not eligible for Traditional Medicaid or CHIP.</p> <p>For Newborns at or below 185% FPL: Newborns are deemed eligible for Medicaid from birth. Those residing in the STAR service area are required to select a STAR health plan via the state enrollment broker.</p> <p>For Newborns 186-200% FPL: Newborns will remain with DCHP and receive full CHIP benefits for the remainder of their CHIP Perinatal eligibility.</p>	<p>Claims There are two payment sources for the CHIP Perinate:</p> <p>For Newborns at or below 185% FPL:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professional fees related to mother's labor with delivery are paid by DCHP. • Facility fees are paid by Emergency Medicaid – TMHP • Newborn and professional facility charges are billed to TMHP <p>For Newborns 186-200% FPL: Professional and facility fees paid by DCHP. Please note that facility fees for the mother and newborn are limited to labor with delivery.</p> <p>Postpartum Care CHIP Perinate eligibility for mother ends with delivery. Bill postpartum with delivery date or bill CPT code 59430. All claims are subject to the benefit limitations as outlined in the schedule of benefits.</p> <p>Electronic Claims Filing DCHP Emedeon Payer ID: 74284</p> <p>Claim Submissions or Corrections Claims filing deadline: 95 days from date of service. Member ID cards will reflect correct information for claims submissions or call Member Services to verify. Corrected claims: Please mark as "Corrected Claim".</p>	<p>DCHP Claims: Driscoll Children's Health Plan P.O. Box 3668 Corpus Christi, TX 78463-3668</p> <p>TMHP Claims: Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership P.O. Box 200555 Austin, TX 78720-0555</p> <p>Complaints and Appeals Appeals deadline: 120 days from date of last disposition of claim.</p> <p>Mail to: Driscoll Children's Health Plan ATT: Appeals 615 N Upper Broadway, Suite 1621 Corpus Christi, TX 78401-0764</p> <p>Helping Women Apply Provider who want to supply applications in their office can order them in bulk at www.chipmedicaid.org/cbo/application.htm Applications are also available at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HHSC benefits offices – call 2-1-1 to find an office • Online at www.yourtexasbenefits.com <p>Submit completed applications to a local HHSC benefits office, by mail or by fax.</p>
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