

**KMAP GENERAL BULLETIN 22119**

## **COVID-19 Testing for Same Date of Service**

Effective with dates of service on and after January 1, 2022, the following Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes may be performed and billed on the same date of service for eligible members. This will allow an initial result and treatment while waiting for the Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) results.

- 87811 - Rapid test
- U0001 - PCR test

For the most current and up-to-date information, please refer to Kansas Medical Assistance Program website [here](#).

Correct coding guidelines, Food and Drug Administration (FDA), and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) recommendations must be followed. View the CDC recommendations [here](#).

**Note:** The effective date of the policy is January 1, 2022. The implementation of State policy by the KanCare managed care organizations (MCOs) may vary from the date noted in the Kansas Medical Assistance Program (KMAP) bulletins. The **KanCare Open Claims Resolution Log** on the KMAP [Bulletins](#) page documents the MCO system status for policy implementation and any associated reprocessing completion dates once the policy is implemented.

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