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**Texas Department of State
Health Services**

Dear Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) Program Providers,

Effective September 1, 2022, the maximum administration fee TVFC Program providers may charge for TVFC-eligible children is \$13.75 per dose. This fee represents the administration fee reimbursement rate set by Texas Medicaid.

Medicaid and CHIP-enrolled children must not be directly charged the administration fee for receiving vaccines; reimbursements will be received from Medicaid and CHIP. Providers may charge an administration fee to uninsured, American Indian/Alaskan Native, and underinsured children who are not enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP. However, services cannot be denied for any TVFC-eligible children due to the parent's or guardian's inability to pay the administration fee. The parent or guardian must not be sent to collections. Penalties for the inability to pay administration fees must not be charged.

For additional information on Texas Medicaid reimbursement and procedure codes, please refer to the [Texas Medicaid and Healthcare Partnership \(TMHP\) website](#) and the [TMHP Provider Support Services website](#).

Thank you for your continued support of the TVFC Program.

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