



Benefits

COVID-19 Testing Update



The Flash

At-Home COVID Test Coverage Starting Jan. 15; Immediate Coverage for Antiviral Therapeutic Drugs

Beginning January 15 and continuing through the Coronavirus period of public health emergency, the government has issued a public notice requiring health insurance plans to cover up to eight at-home over-the-counter (OTC) tests every month for diagnostic purposes. Certain COVID antiviral drugs are also covered at 100% effective immediately. If you are currently covered under any of BorgWarner's medical plans, you are eligible for these updates.



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The COVID-19 at-home tests may be reimbursed to Cigna medical coverage members up to eight times per covered individual per 30-day period (or per calendar month) without a clinical assessment or an order from a health care provider.

OTC COVID-19 at-home tests purchased without the involvement of a health care provider are subject to this quantity limit, however, COVID-19 tests administered by health care providers are not subject to this maximum.

Claims Submission

In order to be reimbursed, customer claims can be submitted by following the directions on the back of the customer's Cigna ID card. The submission needs to include:

- The purchase receipt documenting the date of purchase and the price
- UPC code for the OTC COVID-19 test
- Signed, completed attestation ([click here](#)) stating the test:
 - is not for employment purposes;
 - has not and will not be reimbursed by another source, and
 - is not for resale.

Claims Reimbursement

According to the federal mandate, Cigna will reimburse the costs of diagnostic OTC testing, regardless of where it was obtained (in- or out-of-network). Cigna has established a process to comply with the mandate to reimburse customers for the OTC tests purchased on or after Jan. 15, 2022.

The Shine

Coverage for COVID Antiviral Oral Therapeutic Drugs

In late December 2021, the FDA approved COVID-19 antiviral therapeutic medications, Paxlovid (Pfizer) and Molnupiravir (Merck), to help reduce the severity of the virus. The government has purchased these therapies and is distributing them free of charge. As a result, Cigna will immediately cover the medications on all formularies. Cigna medical plan members will pay a \$0 ingredient cost when supplied and funded by the government, but may pay up to a \$6 dispensing fee when obtained at a pharmacy. No Prior Authorization will be required.

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- The mandate does **NOT** cover workplace-required testing.
- To help better understand the difference in testing types, please visit the CDC web site for more information: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/testing.html>
- Paxlovid and Molnupiravir help to reduce the severity of COVID-19. Cigna medical plan members will now pay \$0 when supplied and funded by the government.
- No Prior Authorization is needed for these medications.

