



## Lab Testing for COVID-19

In accordance with the guidelines published by the Maryland Insurance Administration (<https://insurance.maryland.gov/Insurer/Documents/bulletins/20-06-Covid-19-FollowUp.pdf>) and the Maryland Department of Health, (<https://mmcp.health.maryland.gov/Pages/home.aspx>) MedStar Family Choice will reimburse for COVID-19 when the services are billed with the following procedure codes:

| <b>HCPCS Code- Eff 2/4/20</b> | <b>Description</b>   |
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| U0001                         | Reimbursement for using the CDC 2019 Novel Coronavirus Real Time RT-PCR Diagnostic Test Panel  |
| U0002                         | Reimbursement for the 2019-nCoV Coronavirus, SARS-CoV-2/2019-nCoV testing using any technique, multiple types or subtypes (includes all targets) |

MedStar Family Choice will continue to closely monitor all communications from MDH. We will communicate with our provider community as quickly as possible to any changes that may impact what has been outlined in this provider alert. If you have any questions, please call 800-905-1722, option 5. You may also email us questions at [MFC-ProviderRelations2@medstar.net](mailto:MFC-ProviderRelations2@medstar.net).