### **Tobacco Cessation Benefits Information**



#### Nebraska Tobacco Quitline

English: 1-800-QUIT-NOW (784-8669)

Spanish: 1-855-DÉJELO-YA (335-3569)

Korean: 1-800-556-5564

Vietnamese: 1-800-778-8440

**Cantonese & Mandarin:** 1-800-838-8917

**TTY/TDD:** 877-777-6534

Web Coaching: www.QuitNow.ne.gov

# Quitline services offered free of charge to all Nebraskans:

- Web & phone coaching
- Text message-based coaching for Nebraskans under the age of 18
- CME/CNE for providers
- Nicotine Replacement Therapy (NRT)
- Free clinic resources

#### Three ways to refer patients:

- Fax Referral Form
- Provider Web Referral
- Live Referral

For more information on how to refer a patient to the Quitline, visit: www.QuitNow.ne.gov/providers

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## **Medicaid Tobacco Cessation Benefits**

The Nebraska Medicaid tobacco cessation program covers certain counseling and products to help patients voluntarily quit tobacco.

All seven FDA-approved nicotine replacement therapies are available to Medicaid patients when prescribed by their health care provider. Covered nicotine replacement therapies include:

- Nicotine Transdermal Patches
- Nicotine Gum
- Nicotine Lozenge
- Nicotine Inhaler
- Nicotine Nasal Spray
- Bupropion\*
- Varenicline\*

Enrollment in the free Nebraska Tobacco Quitline is not required but is encouraged. The Quitline provides free tobacco cessation coaching and quit medication to participants.

\*For medication, see each Plan's information for criteria and limitations

### Summary of Tobacco Cessation Coverage

### **Provider Bulletin 22-06**

- Beneficiary must be 18 years or older
- Products must be FDA-approved and used according to FDA dosing and age guidelines
- Prescription is required
- A maximum of eight counseling sessions per calendar year is allowed
- Licensed pharmacists who are trained as department-approved tobacco cessation counselors in Nebraska may bill for Tobacco Cessation Counseling (Title 471 NAC 16 Nebraska Medicaid Program Services)

#### NEBRASKA MEDICAID PROVIDERS

Nebraska Total Care 844-385-2192 TTY/TDD: 711 www.nebraskatotalcare.com

UnitedHealthcare®

Community Plan United Healthcare Community Plan of Nebraska 800-641-1902 TTY/TDD: 711 www.uhccommunityplan.com/ne



Molina Healthcare of Nebraska 1-844-782-2018 www.molinahealthcare.com/ne



Pharmacy Help Desk 800-368-9695 https://nebraska.fhsc.com

\*\*Providers should review specific Health Plans for quantity limits and copays which vary and are subject to change. This chart should only be used as a guide.

### Billing Guide for Tobacco Screening and Cessation\*\*

HCPCS/CPT	Type of service	Description
99406	Intermediate Counseling Cessation Treatment	Smoking and tobacco use intensive counseling visit 4-10 minutes long.
99407	Intensive Counseling	Smoking and tobacco use intensive counseling visit more than 10 minutes.
99407 HQ	Intensive Group	Group counseling session that is longer than 10 minutes.
99241- 99245	Office Consultation E/M	Time-based E/M, Levels 1 – 5 based on minutes, which can include tobacco E/M.
99201- 99205	New Patient	Time-based E/M, Levels 1 – 5 based on minutes, which can include tobacco E/M.
99211- 99215	Established Patient	Time-based E/M, Levels 1 – 5 based on minutes, which can include tobacco E/M.

### Diagnosis Coding Guide ICD-10 Diagnosis Code\*\*:

F17.200 Product unspecified, uncomplicated
F17.201 Product unspecified, in remission
F17.203 Product unspecified, with withdrawal
F17.209 Product unspecified, with unspecified nicotine-induced disorders
F17.210 Cigarettes, uncomplicated
F17.211 Cigarettes, in remission
F17.213 Cigarettes, with withdrawal
F17.218 Cigarettes, with other nicotine-induced disorders
F17.221 Chewing tobacco, in remission
F17.223 Chewing tobacco, with withdrawal
F17.228 Chewing tobacco, with other nicotine-induced disorder