

S0257 Reimbursement Information 11/15/23

Shared from another NPO practice regarding Medicare Annual Wellness Visit and use of S0257 Advanced Care Planning code. This information is subject to change with fee schedule changes.

This fee information is being shared from another NPO practice's experience with billing these codes

Practice Billed Out:

G0439: \$135

G0444: \$20

S0257: \$34

Reimbursed To Practice

BCBSM MA Out of state

- Billed Together
 - G0439: ~\$125
 - G0444: ~\$17
 - S0257: ~\$0-\$34

BCBSM Medicare Plus Blue

- Billed Together
 - G0439: ~\$122
 - G0444: ~\$17
 - S0257: ~\$0

Bluecare Network Advantage

- Billed Together
 - G0439: ~\$122
 - G0444: ~\$17
 - S0257: ~\$28

Priority Medicare

- Billed Together
 - G0439: ~\$128
 - G0444: ~\$18
 - S0257: ~\$32

Other Medicare Payers

Mentioned Paying: *Payment may depend on the practice's individual contracts with other Medicare providers.*

- Aetna Medicare
- Humana Medicare
 - Medicare HCSC
- United Healthcare Medicare Advantage
- Cigna El Paso

Other Information:

- PH Commercials: Pays ~\$47
- BCBSM Commercial: Pays ~\$34
 - S0257 counts towards BCBSM PDCM targets.
- Refer to NPOs Care Plan for Care Management Templates with Billing Cues and Post Discharge Phone scripts for ideas and billing prompts related to S0257.
- Review the recording for NPOs PCMH User Group 11.15.23: <https://www.npoinc.org/committees/pcmh-user-group/highlights-resources/> and /or NPOs Care Manager Group 12.14.23: <https://www.npoinc.org/committees/care-management-user-group-2/care-management-user-group/>