

# CROSSWALK OF IDAHO MEDICARE AND MEDICAID TELEHEALTH COVERAGE

Telehealth criteria	Idaho Medicaid (current coverage as of 5/4/20)	Medicare Fee-for-Service (current coverage as of 5/4/20)
Standard office visits	Live Video Visits	Telehealth visits
Technology	Two-way video (not audio-only)	Two-way video (not audio-only)
Services	Primary care, specialty, behavioral health, therapy services, various psychiatric services, pharm mgmt, tobacco cessation, and other services billable through the following codes: 90791, 90792, 90832, 90833, 90834, 90836, 90837, 90838, 96150, 96151, 96152, 96153, 96154, 99354, 99355, 99406, 99407, 99495, 99496, 99201, 99202, 99203, 99204, 99205, 99211, 99212, 99213, 99214, 99215, H2011, H2019, T1015	171 codes which include primary care, specialty care, behavioral health, therapy services, home visits, hospice visits, PT/OT/SP, diabetes services, ESRD services, annual wellness visits, ED services, and other services.  RHCs bill as G2025 (make sure the service maps to one of the 171 codes)
Billing modifiers	Place of service = location of the patient, do not use '02' Modifier = 'GT'	Place of service = '02' Modifier = 'CG' (1/27 to 6/30) '95' (after 7/1)
Store-and-forward	No	Yes, E-visits can be conducted through an online portal, where the patient asks a question and the clinician responds later. RHCs bill as G0071.
Remote patient Monitoring	Two codes (99457 and 99458)	RHCs bill G0071.
Audio-only telephone	Three telephone-based evaluation codes. For physicians and other clinicians who can independently bill for E&M services 99441, 99442, 99443.	A) Telephone-based evaluation codes: For physicians and other clinicians who can independently bill for E&M services 99441, 99442, 99443. RHCs bill G2025. B) Virtual check-ins: Can be conducted with audio-only telephone calls. RHCs bill as G0071
E-consults	No	UNCLEAR.... Interprofessional telephone/internet/EHR consultations between two clinicians is permitted and billable through the following codes: 99446, 99447, 99448, 99449, 99451, 99452.
Patients	Established and New patients	Established and New patients
Providers	Physicians and non-physicians, psych-NPs, PT/OT/SP, assistant PTs and OTs	Physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurse midwives, clinical nurse specialists certified registered nurse anesthetists, clinical psychologists, social workers, registered dietitians, nutrition professionals, PT/OT/SP therapists, LCSWs, clinical psychologists, hospice nurses, home health nurses
Geographic limits	None (urban and rural)	None (urban and rural)
Originating/distant sites	Anywhere, including the patient's home or clinician's home	Anywhere, including the patient's home or the clinician's home
Consent	Can be obtained during a virtual/telehealth visit	Can be obtained during a virtual visit
Licensure	Out-of-state providers must be licensed by the IBM, and Idaho's participation interstate licensure compacts is strong	No federal licensure