

To: AmeriHealth Caritas Providers

Date: April 25, 2022

**Subject: COVID-19 Over the Counter At-Home Test Kits-AHCA Policy
Transmittal Communication**

Thank you for your continued participation in our network and your commitment to our members. Our Provider Network Team is dedicated to keeping our providers informed of important news and updates. Please read the latest communication from AHCA. The following highlights are taken directly from AHCA's Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) Policy Transmittal: 2022-05 dated 03/29/2022.

The full PT can be found at the following link:

https://ahca.myflorida.com/medicaid/statewide_mc/pdf/2018-23_plan_comm/2022/PT_2022-05_Community.Pharmacy.Dispensed.Over.the.Counter.OTC.COVID-19.Home.Tests_03.29.2022.pdf

Please refer to AHCA's guidance on Community Pharmacy Dispensed Over-the-Counter (OTC) COVID-19 Home Tests:

- Enrollees must have a prescription to obtain an eligible OTC COVID-19 home test kit.
- Prescriptions can be prescribed by primary care provider or pharmacist.
- Approved COVID-19 over-the-counter at-home test kits covered by AmeriHealth Caritas Florida are those available in package sizes of one (1) or two (2) home tests only. The list of FDA approved test kits are available here: <https://www.fda.gov/medical-devices/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19-emergency-use-authorizations-medical-devices/in-vitro-diagnostics-euas-antigen-diagnostic-tests-sars-cov-2#iaft1>
- Only community pharmacies are eligible to dispense the eligible OTC COVID-19 home test kits.
- A maximum of four (4) eligible OTC COVID-19 home tests (individual units) per month per recipient are covered; maximum unit overrides are available for medical necessity through the prior authorization process.
- The at-home test kits are provided at \$0.00 copay for members.

If you have any questions, please contact your Provider Network Account Executive or call Provider Services at **1-800-617-5727**.

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