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INFORMATION UPDATE

- **TO:** WV Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program Cytology Labs
- FROM:Charlene Hickman, Program DirectorWV Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program

DATE: June 15, 2022

RE: PY 2022-2023 Cytology Lab Payment Rates

EFFECTIVE: June 30, 2022

The West Virginia Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program (WVBCCSP) has updated the payment rates for cytology services. These rates are the current Medicare rates. The program will pay up to the amount listed below and any amount up to the listed amount may be charged.

	CPT Code	<u>Allowable</u>	Medicare
Service Description/Procedure		Rate	Rate
Cytopathology requiring interpretation by physician	88141 (G0124)	\$20.70	\$20.70
Cytopathology (liquid-based pap test), collected in			
preservative fluid, automated thin layer prep; manual	88142 (G0123)	\$20.26	\$20.26
screening under physician supervision.			
Cytopathology, collected in preservative fluid, automated			
thin layer prep; manual screening and rescreening under			
physician supervision.	88143	\$23.04	\$23.04
Pap Test Liquid Based (Reported in Bethesda System)	88174	\$25.37	\$25.37
Cytopathology, collected in preservative fluid, automated			
thin layer prep; screening by automated system and			
manual rescreening, under physician supervision.	88175	\$26.61	\$26.61
Human Papillomavirus, high-risk types	87624	\$35.09	\$35.09
Human Papillomavirus, types 16 & 18 only	87625	\$40.55	\$40.55

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