

2 b. Rural Health Clinic Services

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With regard to services provided on or after October 1, 1988, rural health clinics will be allowed to secure drugs for specified immunizations from the Department for Public Health free to provide immunizations for Medicaid recipients. The specified immunizations are: diphtheria and tetanus toxoids and pertussis vaccine (DPT); measles, mumps, and rubella virus vaccine, live (MMR); poliovirus vaccine, live, oral (any types(s)) (OPV); and hemophilus B conjugate vaccine (HBCV).

Rural Health Clinic (RHC) Services are authorized in Medicaid under section 1905(a)(2)(B) of the Social Security Act (the Act) and defined in section 1861(aa) of the Act. RHC services include services provided by physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, nurse midwives, clinical psychologists, clinical social workers and visiting nurses and other ambulatory services included in the state plan. RHC services also include services and supplies that are furnished as an incident to professional services furnished by a physician, physician assistant, nurse practitioner, or nurse midwife, and, as applicable, for visiting nurse care, related medical supplies other than drugs and biologicals.

## 2) Limitations

- a) Other ambulatory services furnished in the FQHC have the same limitations as defined for those services in the state plan.
- b) One visit limit per day unless the beneficiary presents later in the day with a condition unrelated to the first visit.

## 3) Exclusions

The following services shall not be covered if provided by an RHC:

- a) Services provided in a hospital as defined in 42 U.S.C. 1395x(e);
- b) Institutional services;
- c) Housekeeping, babysitting, or other similar homemaker services;
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## 4) Assurances

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2 c. Federal Qualified Health Center Services

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3. Other Lab and X-Ray Services

Laboratory Services limited to a benefit schedule of covered laboratory procedures when ordered or prescribed by a duly-licensed physician or dentist.

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