

Missouri Medicaid doula billing guide



MO HealthNet doula services

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Payment model: Prenatal support session, 60 minutes or more: \$75; Postpartum support session, 60 minutes or more: \$75

No-PHI reminder: do not add client names, Medicaid IDs, dates of birth, service dates, claim numbers, or visit notes to public tools or shared PDFs.

Service	Code	Modifier	Rate / unit
Prenatal support session, 60 minutes or more	S9445	TH	\$75 flat
Postpartum support session, 60 minutes or more	S9445	TS	\$75 flat
Lactation education and support session	S9443	-	\$50 flat
Community navigation service	S9482	-	\$25 flat
Attendance at labor and delivery, up to 24 hours	T1033	-	\$800 flat

Documentation checklist

- MO HealthNet doula services require a physician or other licensed practitioner recommendation.
- Support sessions are limited to six combined prenatal and postpartum sessions per pregnancy/postpartum period.
- S9443 lactation education/support is limited to two visits, 30 minutes or more each.
- S9482 community navigation services are separate from billable visits and may be billed up to ten times.
- T1033 is the usual birth-attendance code for up to 24 hours; T1032 may be used above 24 hours, for backup doula support, or false labor on a prior date.

Common denial check	Next action
Missing recommendation	Obtain and retain the recommendation letter before billing.
Support session cap exceeded	Confirm prior S9445 TH/TS sessions before billing.
Lactation visit cap exceeded	Confirm prior S9443 billing before submission.

Official source: MO HealthNet Doula Program - <https://mydss.mo.gov/mhd/doulas>

Use the state guide for live links and updates: <https://doulapaid.com/states/mo>. This is a planning handout, not a reimbursement promise or agency endorsement.