

### CIPR Network Adequacy Project

Compensation of Travel Costs for In-Network Care in Mississippi

A Presentation to the NAIC's Health and Managed Care (B) Committee

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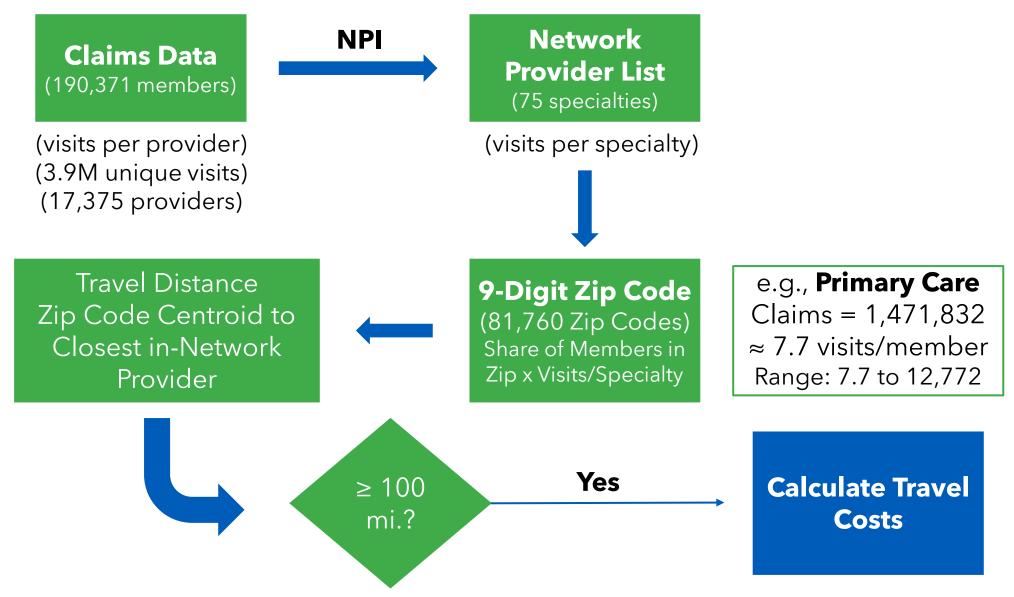


#### Compensating Patients for Inadequate Network Access in Mississippi



- A new regulation in the State of Mississippi would require payers to reimburse travel costs for patients who must travel 100 miles or more to access an in-network provider.
- New regulations require an Economic Impact Statement (EIS) that provides an estimate of the economic costs of the new regulation.
- The CIPR was requested by the Mississippi Department of Insurance to prepare an **estimate of the costs to insurers of the new regulation** (or benefits to policyholders) to be used in the regulation's EIS.







Elimination of Member Zip Codes Retail

Example:

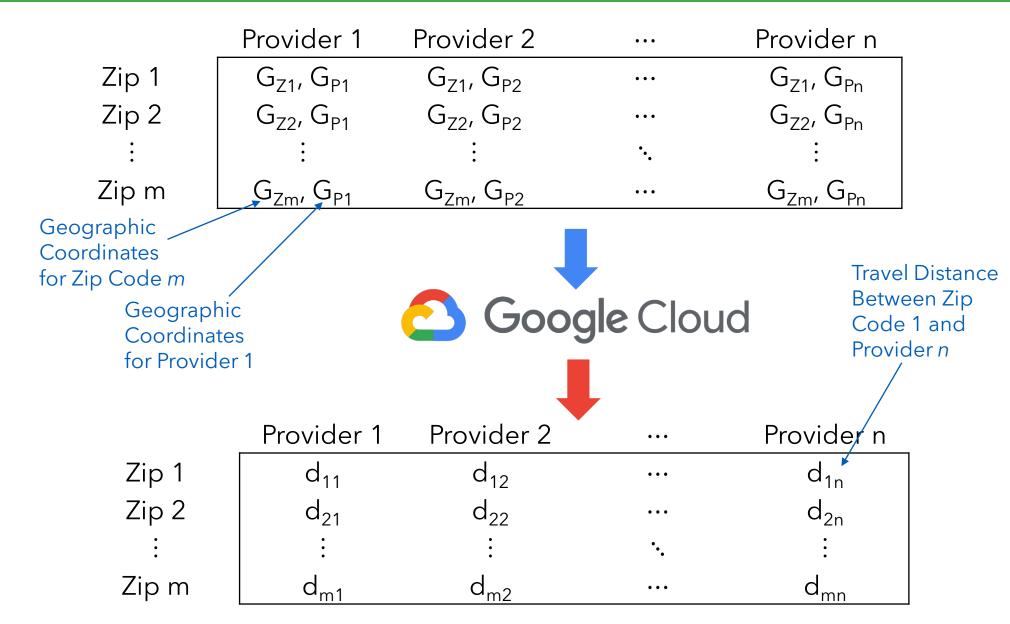
**Allergy & Immunology** 

Provider Retained Zip Codes (23,314)35-mile buffer` Allergy & Immunology State of Mississippi Allergy and Immunology Physicians Allergy and Immunology Buffer

> Eliminated Zip Codes Retained Zip Codes



# Code Calculating Between



Specialty	Reimb. Visits	Reimb. (%)	Reimb. (\$)		
Allergy & Immunology	1,057	1.8%	\$117,845		
Reproductive Endocrinology	139	37.7%	\$20,628		
TOTAL	9,769	0.3%	\$1,256,882		

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2	1	ACUTE GENERAL MED/SURG HOSF	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3	2	ADDICTIONOLOGY	63.7	16.0%	\$5,422.80	20%	\$1,363.87	\$1,128.06	\$7,914.73
4	3	ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY	1,057.4	1.8%	\$76,499.80	20%	\$22,628.57	\$18,716.15	\$117,844.52
5	4	AMBULANCE - EMERGENCY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6	5	AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER	301.7	3.7%	\$21,908.84	60%	\$19,368.30	\$16,019.58	\$57,296.72
7	6	ANESTHESIOLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8	7	BEHAVIOR ANALYST	553.5	5.1%	\$71,214.82	20%	\$11,845.12	\$9,797.13	\$92,857.08
9	*	CARDIO/THORACIC SURGERY	30.7	3.6%	\$2,227.31	20%	\$657.98	\$544.22	\$3,429.51
10	9	CARDIOLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11	10	CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
12	11	CHIROPRACTOR	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
13	12	CRITICAL CARE	73.3	17.3%	\$5,955.67	60×	\$4,708.47	\$3,894.39	\$14,558.53
14	13	DERMATOLOGY	461.8	1.1%	\$35,085.13	20%	\$9,882.90	\$8,174.17	\$53,142.20
15	14	DIAGNOSTICIMAGING	118.8	1.3%	\$8,894.25	20%	\$2,541.56	\$2,102.13	\$13,537.94
16	15	EMERGENCY MEDICINE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
17	16	ENDOCRINOLOGY	332.3	1.8%	\$25,859.52		\$11,845.12	\$5,882.58	\$43,587.22
18	17	ENDOCRINOLOGY-REPRODUCTIVE	139.1	37.7×	\$15,188.42	20%	\$2,977.19	\$2,462.44	\$20,628.05
19	18	GASTROENTEROLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
20	19	HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
21	20	HOME INFUSION SERVICES	387.2	5.1%	\$28,128.13	20%	\$8,286.53	\$6,853.81	\$43,268.47
22	21	INFECTIOUS DISEASE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
23	22	INTERNAL MEDICINE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
24	23	LABORATORY	440.9	1.6%	\$30,967.54	20%	\$9,435.09	\$7,803.79	\$48,206.42
25	24	LICENSED COUNSELOR	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
26	25	LICENSED MARRIAGE & FAMILY THE	97.9	8.3%	\$7,974.30	20%	\$2,095.48	\$1,733.18	\$11,802.96
27	26	MATERNAL AND FETAL MEDICINE	476.6	34.9%	\$49,242.65	20%	\$10,200.09	\$8,436.52	\$67,879.26
28	27	MULTISPECIALTY CLINIC	671.8	9.0%	\$50,677.02	20%	\$14,376.59	\$11,890.92	<b>\$</b> 76,944.53
29	28	NEONATAL & PERINATAL MEDICINI	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00	20%	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
30	29	NEPHROLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
31	30	NEUROLOGY	127.8	0.5%	\$9,432.25	20%	\$2,735.60	\$2,262.62	\$14,430.47
32	31	NURSE MID-WIFE	213.2	31.5×	\$7,432.25 \$19,869.65	20%	\$4,563.23	\$2,202.02 \$3,774.26	
	32					20%			\$28,207.14
33	32	NURSEPRACTITIONER	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
34		OB/GYN	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
35	34	OCCUPATIONAL MEDICINE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
36	35	ONCOLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
37	36	ONCOLOGY - GYNECOLOGIC	440.0	35.1%	\$42,454.62	20%	\$9,417.01	\$7,788.83	\$59,660.46
38	37	ONCOLOGY/RADIATION	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
39	38	OPHTHALMOLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
40	39	OPTOMETRIST	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
41	40	OTOLARYNGOLOGY	179.2	0.5%	\$13,120.14	20%	\$3,834.94	\$3,171.89	\$20,126.97
42	41	PAINMANAGEMENT	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
43	42	PATHOLOGY	238.4	0.9%	\$17,375.31	20%	\$5,100.99	\$4,219.04	\$26,695.33
44	43	PEDIATRIC ALLERGY	19.9	33.7%	\$1,805.52	20%	\$425.12	\$351.62	\$2,582.26
45	44	PEDIATRIC CARDIOLOGY	94.9	9.8%	\$7,215.24	20%	\$2,029.97	\$1,678.99	\$10,924.20
46	45	PEDIATRICENDOCRINOLOGY	259.7	19.6%	\$25,148.43	20%	\$5,557.34	\$4,596.50	\$35,302.27
47	46	PEDIATRIC GASTROENTEROLOGY	408.0	22.0%	\$33,034.99	20%	\$8,731.35	\$7,221.73	\$48,988.07
48	47	PEDIATRICHEMATOLOGY/ONCOL(	251.3	39.8%	\$25,308.63	20%	\$5,377.14	\$4,447.45	\$35,133.22
49	48	PEDIATRIC NEUROLOGY	19.4	38.8%	\$1,754.21	20%	\$415.91	\$344.00	\$2,514.12
50	49	PEDIATRIC ORTHOPEDIC	92.4	52.5%	\$9,958.26	20%	\$1,977.19	\$1,635.34	\$13,570.79
51	50	PEDIATRICS	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
52	51	PHYSICAL MEDICINE & REHAB	136.4	1.8%	\$10,289.12	20%	\$2,918.90	\$2,414.23	\$15,622.25
53	52	PHYSICAL THERAPIST	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00	274	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
54	53	PODIATRY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
55	54	PRIMARY CARE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
56	55	PROSTHETICS/ORTHOTICS	21.4	36.3%	\$2,381.38	20%	\$458.29	\$379.05	\$3,218.72
57	56	PSYCHIATRIC FACILITY	94.6	4.8%	\$7,140.36	60%	\$6,074.94	\$5,024.58	\$18,239.88
58	57	PSYCHIATRY	0.0	0.0%	\$1,140.36	60%	\$0,014.54	\$5,024.50	\$10,237.00
59	58	PSYCHOLOGY	0.0						
	58 59			0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
60		PULMONARY DISEASE	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
61	60 61	PULMONARY/CRITICAL CARE RADIOLOGY	23.3 338.6	1.5%	\$1,654.59	60%	\$1,494.12	\$1,235.79	\$4,384.50 *30.070.75
62				0.3%	\$24,839.37	20%	\$7,246.11	<b>\$5,993.27</b>	\$38,078.75
63	62	RADIOLOGY - DIAGNOSTIC	783.1	0.5%	\$57,285.73	20%	\$16,757.40	\$13,860.09	\$87,903.22
64	63	RADIOLOGY-THERAPEUTIC	55.0	52.9%	\$5,920.02	20%	\$1,177.04	\$973.53	\$8,070.59
65	64	REHABILITATION FACILITY	20.2	1.3%	\$1,482.57	60%	\$1,299.75	\$1,075.05	\$3,857.37
66	65	RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT	230.3	21.4%	\$22,087.15	60×	\$14,786.82	\$12,230.22	\$49,104.19
67	66	RHEUMATOLOGY	141.6	1.3%	\$10,131.93	20%	\$3,030.70	\$2,506.70	\$15,669.32
68	67	SLEEPLABS	38.6	6.0%	\$2,801.58	20%	\$825.99	\$683.18	\$4,310.75
69	68	SOCIAL WORKER	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
70	69	SURGERY-GENERAL	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
71	70	SURGERY-GENERAL VASCULAR	29.8	1.2%	\$2,156.74	20%	\$637.14	\$526.98	\$3,320.86
72	71	SURGERY-NEUROLOGICAL	218.9	3.7%	\$15,830.77	20%	\$4,684.80	\$3,874.81	\$24,390.38
73	72	SURGERY-ORAL	11.8	5.7×	\$867.19	20%	\$253.04	\$209.29	\$1,329.52
74	73	SURGERY-ORTHOPEDIC	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
75	74	SURGERY-PLASTIC	74.6	1.6%	\$5,429.49	20%	\$1,597.26	\$1,321.10	\$8,347.84
76	75	UROLOGY	0.0	0.0%	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
- 77		TOTAL	9.769	0.3×	\$\$12.021		\$245.621	\$199.239	\$1.256.##2

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