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Long-acting reversible contraception device inventory for separate inpatient reimbursement

Indiana Health Coverage Programs allows separate reimbursement for long-acting reversible contraception (LARC) devices implanted during inpatient hospital or birthing center stays for delivery. Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield provides separate reimbursement for these devices when implanted immediately postpartum.

To help ensure devices are accessible to providers and immediately available to patients who request this procedure postpartum, hospitals are encouraged to stock OB units with the LARC devices listed below:

LARC devices
Intrauterine copper contraceptive, 10-year duration
Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 13.5 mg, three-year duration
Etonogestrel (contraceptive) implant system including implant and supplies, three-year duration
Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 52 mg, three-year duration
Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 52 mg, five-year duration
Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 19.5 mg, five-year duration

We appreciate your assistance in providing reliable contraceptive options for your patients — our members. We look forward to working with you to ensure the success of this program.

If you have questions regarding reimbursement for these services, contact Provider Services:

- Hoosier Healthwise: **1-866-408-6132**
- Healthy Indiana Plan: **1-844-533-1995**
- Hoosier Care Connect: **1-844-284-1798**

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