

H1N1 Action

Coverage for H1N1 Flu Vaccine

American Medical Security Life Insurance Company is currently covering administration of the H1N1 vaccine with no deductible, copayment or coinsurance for all of our health insurance customers (insured persons), whether or not their plan covers preventive care or outpatient services.

The actual vaccine and related supplies are funded by the government, so there is no cost to the provider or customer for the vaccine itself.

Claims for treatment of suspected or confirmed cases of H1N1, or for the seasonal flu vaccine, are subject to normal plan coverage.

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) have made recommendations as to who should initially receive the vaccine with others to follow as the vaccine becomes more widely available:

- pregnant women;
- caregivers for children younger than 6 months of age;
- health care and emergency medical services personnel;
- children and young adults from 6 months through 24 years old; and
- adults from 25 through 64 years old who have underlying health conditions that might increase their risk for flu-related complications.

Where to Get the Vaccine

When available, the vaccine will be administered through local public health clinics, pharmacies and physicians. We encourage our customers to check with specific providers ahead of time to ensure they will be administering the vaccine.

For Up-to-Date Information

For the most up-to-date information on H1N1, please visit the CDC's Web site at www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu.