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Circular 011/21

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## Re: Reminder in relation to COVID-19 Vaccination Programme

Dear Doctor,

I refer to supports for general practitioner services during the current National Public Health Emergency and the COVID-19 vaccination programme, in particular Circular NCO-02-2021.

The rate payable for vaccinations administered by GPs in their own surgeries, or in alternative premises used to facilitate greater numbers, is  $\leq 25$  per dose i.e.  $\leq 50$  per patient where two doses are given. In addition, a once-off administration fee of  $\leq 10$  per vaccinated patient will apply. This is a composite fee and no other claims such as Out of Hours, Temporary Resident, Emergency or other Special Item of Service can be claimed in respect of the vaccination consultation.

CB claims are payable for the provision of a remote consultation to patients who may have contracted COVID-19 infection, including referral for testing. They should not be claimed for making telephone calls to patients in relation to the COVID-19 vaccination programme or for any other issues, including the management of post vaccination symptoms.

If you have any queries on what constitutes a valid claim please contact pcrs.doctorsqueries@hse.ie

Yours faithfully,

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