



March 16, 2020

Re: Notification of CPT Coding and Pricing for LabCorp 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) NAA Test (Test Number 139900) for **Out-of-Network Plans**

Dear Payer,

To keep you updated as part of our emergency response to COVID-19 and to supplement our March 10, 2020 notification (the Notification), we advise you that a CPT Code (87635) and associated pricing (\$51.31) has been established for our [LabCorp 2019 Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\), NAA test](#) (test number: 139900). We continue to work closely with the government, other health care providers, and payers to expedite a national response to COVID-19.

**LabCorp will accept reimbursement of \$51.31 for the COVID-19 test using either CPT Code 87635 or HCPCS code U0002 (as applicable)** and all other ordered testing associated with specimens sent to LabCorp as **an out-of-network provider** at the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) 2020 National Limitation Amount (NLA) under all health plan products.

LabCorp is committed to improving health and improving lives, including our efforts during this time of COVID-19. We are posting updates on our [COVID-19 Information webpage](#) for our patients, valued clients, and the public to access the most up-to-date information from LabCorp related to COVID-19. We appreciate your collaboration during this time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James P. Whelan".

James P. Whelan  
SVP, Managed Care