

**MISSISSIPPI**  
**Division of Medicaid (DOM)** <sup>105, 106, 107</sup>

Assessment & Counseling	Pharmacotherapy	
<p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p><b>Preventive Counseling</b>            99401-99402, 99385-99387, 99395-99397</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- DOM covers annual health screenings/physical examinations for adults (21+).</li> <li>- Annual cardiovascular screening (cholesterol, lipids, triglyceride levels) and diabetes screening (labs and urine studies) will be reimbursed separately if performed during the exam.</li> <li>- DOM will not cover maintenance program/services related to the general welfare of the beneficiary, such as exercises to promote fitness and flexibility, training/conditioning, recreational programs, and holistic treatments.</li> </ul> <p><b>Behavioral Assessment/Intervention</b>            None</p> <p><b>Nutritional Consultation &amp; Therapy</b>            None*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- *Nutritional counseling is covered for high-risk pregnancies and hospice care only.</li> </ul>	<p><b>NOT COVERED</b></p> <p>MS Medicaid explicitly <u>excludes</u> coverage of drugs when used for anorexia, weight loss, or weight gain.</p> <hr/> <p align="center"><b>Bariatric Surgery</b></p> <p><b>NOT COVERED</b></p> <p>MS Medicaid explicitly <u>excludes</u> gastric surgery—including any technique or procedure for the treatment of obesity or weight control—regardless of medical necessity.</p>	<div data-bbox="1549 293 1822 570" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Adults with obesity: <b>36%</b> <sup>3</sup>            Adults with diabetes: <b>12%</b> <sup>3</sup></p> <p><b>23%</b> of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP  <b>\$5.2 billion</b> in total Medicaid spending (2015)</p> <p><b>70%</b> enrolled in managed care  <b>30%</b> enrolled in fee-for-service <sup>4</sup></p> <p><b>Resources &amp; Contacts:</b></p> <p><b>Mississippi Insurance Department</b>            Phone: 601-359-3569</p> <p><b>Mississippi State Department of Health</b>            Phone: 601-576-7400</p> <p><b>Mississippi Division of Medicaid</b>            Phone: 601-359-6050</p>