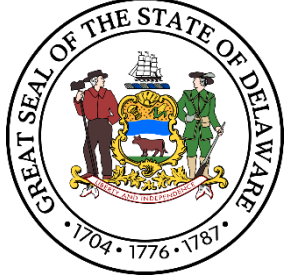


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 Delaware Medical Assistance Program (DMAP) ^{32, 33, 34}

Assessment & Counseling	Pharmacotherapy	
<p>COVERAGE may include:</p> <p><i>No mention of obesity services for adults</i></p> <p>Preventive Counseling 99385-99387, 99395-99397</p> <p>Behavioral Assessment/Intervention 96150-96155</p> <p>Nutritional Consultation & Therapy S9470*</p> <p><u>NOTE:</u> <i>Preventive, treatment and follow-up services—including dietary counseling*, nutrition education, and laboratory services—are covered for children whose routine EPSDT screening suggest dietary inadequacy, obesity, or other nutritional problems.</i></p>	<p>COVERAGE may include:</p> <p>DMAP does not <i>routinely</i> cover drugs indicated for the treatment of obesity; coverage for FDA-approved drugs may be provided with prior authorization:³⁵</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Patient must have a BMI > 27 kg/m², be diagnosed with diabetes mellitus or hyperlipidemia, and be on placed on a medically-supervised calorie-restricted diet and exercise program. - See the approval guidelines for additional coverage criteria. 	
	Bariatric Surgery	<p>COVERAGE may include:</p> <p>Gastric Bypass, Gastric Band, Sleeve Gastrectomy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Prior authorization is required for all requests; must be submitted in writing - DMAP may cover bariatric surgery for treatment of obesity in adults when the patient’s obesity is causing significant illness and incapacitation and when all more conservative treatment options have failed.

Adults with obesity: **31%** ³
 Adults with diabetes: **10%** ³

18% of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP
\$1.9 billion in total Medicaid spending (2015)

94% enrolled in managed care
6% enrolled in fee-for-service ⁴

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