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<td>- 99401*, 99385-99387, 99395-99397, G0438-G0439</td>
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<td>- NV Medicaid covers healthy diet counseling and obesity screening/counseling for adults as part of an office visit, hospital visit or global fee—these services may not be billed separately.</td>
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**NOTE:** Nutritional services and home delivered meals are separately reimbursable only for adults with developmental disabilities.

### Bariatric Surgery

**COVERAGE** may include:

- Gastric Bypass, Gastric Band, Sleeve Gastrectomy
- Prior authorization is required.
- Benefit includes the initial work-up, surgical procedure, and routine postsurgical follow-up care.
- Procedure is indicated for recipients aged 21-55 years with a BMI \( \geq 35 \text{ kg/m}^2 \) and waist circumference > 40 in. (men)/ > 35 in. (women) for whom previous weight reduction therapies have failed.
- Candidates should have disabling obesity-related comorbidities, indicate a strong desire for substantial weight loss, be well-informed and motivated, demonstrate commitment to lifestyle change, and have no physiological or psychological contraindications to the procedure.

**Resources & Contacts:**

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**Adults with obesity: 28% ³**
**Adults with diabetes: 9% ³**

17% of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP
$3.1 billion in total Medicaid spending (2015)

77% enrolled in managed care ⁴
16% enrolled in fee-for-service
7% enrolled in primary care case management

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³ Source: NEVADA Department of Health & Human Services
⁴ Source: NEVADA Division of Insurance