

# North Dakota MEDICAID CODING GUIDELINE

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## FLUORIDE VARNISH

**CPT CODE: D1206** Topical fluoride varnish; therapeutic application for moderate to high caries risk patients

### CRITERIA:

- Patient must be – **age 6 months to 21 years**
- Recommend the fluoride varnish be applied at the time of a well child visit / Health Tracks screening
- Allow a maximum of two (2) applications per year, per patient
- Only the following professionals may perform the procedure **after receiving appropriate board approved training**
  - a. Physicians
  - b. Nurse Practitioners
  - c. Physician Assistants
  - d. Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses under the direct supervision of a physician (claim must be submitted with under the physician's PIN)
  - e. Registered Dental Hygienist or Registered Dental Assistant under the direct or general supervision of a licensed dentist.

NOTE: This service is currently covered when rendered by a dentist.

### COVERED DIAGNOSIS:

V07.31 Prophylactic fluoride administration

► This guideline supersedes previous Fluoride Varnish guideline(s).

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