

Amerigroup Kansas, Inc. breastfeeding/breast pump information

Prior to calling on behalf of a member, please be prepared to provide the following member authentication information:

- Member name
- Member date of birth
- Member Medicaid ID number or Amerigroup ID number

Amerigroup breastfeeding/breast pump information		
Amerigroup member services		1-800-600-4441
Amerigroup provider services		1-800-454-3730
Benefit	CPT code	Coverage info
Manual breast pump	E0602	No prior authorization needed – covered benefit
Electric breast pump	E0603	No prior authorization needed – covered benefit
Hospital grade electric breast pump	E0604	Prior authorization needed – must meet criteria for medical necessity
Replacement parts for breast pump: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tubing • Adapters • Caps • Breast shield and splash protector • Bottles • Locking rings 	A4281 A4282 A4283 A4284 A4285 A4286	One time covered benefit per calendar year for each replacement part
Prenatal or breastfeeding classes		Not a covered benefit through KanCare
Certified lactation consultant	S9443	Not a covered benefit through KanCare
Human donor milk	T2101	Prior authorization needed – must meet criteria for medical necessity
Transportation to/from medical or walk in clinic (WIC) appointments	Access2Care 1-855-345-6943	Covered benefit – must call three days ahead of appointments to setup or one day ahead to utilize mileage reimbursement
Amerigroup breastfeeding support line	24/7 availability	1-800-231-2999
National breastfeeding support line	24/7 availability	1-800-994-9662
Amerigroup Nurse Helpline	24/7 availability	1-866-864-2544

Frequently asked questions

1. Are there free prenatal education classes or breastfeeding classes available?

Most local KS WIC departments offer free breastfeeding classes and support. Certain locations across the state have a free March of Dimes, Becoming a Mom program for prenatal education. Stormont Vail in Topeka also provides free breastfeeding education and support as beginning August 2015. Amerigroup offers a Warm Health telephonic/web/app system to provide weekly communication with prenatal and postpartum education for members. Please contact member services at 1-877-434-7579 and ask for a Kansas plan obstetrics registered nurse (OB RN) case manager for assistance to enroll a member in the program.

2. How does the member obtain a breast pump?

The member must obtain a prescription for a breast pump from their OB provider and contact an Amerigroup contracted durable medical equipment (DME) provider to obtain a pump (refer to the provider search engine or O:\Shared\Kansas\HCMS\PH\OB CM\OB CM Resources.) If a member prefers the pump to be shipped directly to their residence, please contact EdgePark DME at 1-800-321-0591.

3. Any additional resources in Kansas for breastfeeding support?

Members may contact the Kansas La Leche League during pregnancy or after delivery of infant for breastfeeding support – kansaslll.org. After delivery of infant, many hospitals across the state have walk-in breastfeeding clinics staffed with international board lactation consultants (IBLCs) or RNs to assist with breastfeeding. Please check with your delivering hospital for availability.

If additional information or referrals are needed regarding any of this information, please contact Amerigroup Kansas, Inc. at 1-877-434-7579 and ask to speak with a Kansas OB RN case manager. Currently, Amerigroup has four dedicated OB nurses who are available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. to answer antepartum/postpartum questions and to assist with appropriate referrals across the state. These nurses are available to case manage high risk OB members and provide the extra support and education for members and help coordinate care with their OB providers.