

RESOURCES AND REFERENCES ON BILLING AND REIMBURSEMENT

Building Capacity for 3rd Party Billing:

Shifting to Third Party Billing Practices for Public Health STD Services: Policy Context and Case Studies (National Coalition of STD Directors)

<http://www.ncsddc.org/third-party-billing-practices>

CDC's Immunizations Billables Project

<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/spec-grps/prog-mgrs/billables-project/default.htm>

This website includes many useful resources; including planning guides from some of the project participants. These guides generally cover billing basics, including rationale for billing, contracting, credentialing, coverage verification, fee setting, use of clearinghouses, use of billing services, billing private and public insurance, denials, and others. Although written specifically to guide billing for immunization services, most of the information is general and relevant across programs.

NACCHO toolkit

<http://www.naccho.org/toolbox/>

The toolbox includes a variety of types of documents related to implementation of billing in health department settings. Initially billed for Immunizations billing, the scope is broadening.

The National Academy for State Health Policy (NASHP): Tips on Enhancing Billing Capacities

<http://www.nashp.org/sites/default/files/SNP.tips.billing.capacities.pdf>

National Alliance of State and Territorial AIDS Directors (NASTAD)

[Issue Brief: Billing and Reimbursement](#)

This document includes a "checklist" to specifically assist health departments advance third-party billing and reimbursement in their jurisdictions.

<http://nastad.org/docs/NASTAD-Issue-Brief-Billing-April-2013.pdf>

STD-related Reproductive Health, Prevention, Training, and Technical Assistance Centers (STDRHPTTACs)

<http://www.cdc.gov/std/stdrhpttac/default.htm>