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Effective for dates and service on and after May 17, 2022, ForwardHealth will reimburse providers for administration of a single booster dose of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine for members aged 5 to 11 years old following guidance and recommendations by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. Refer to ForwardHealth Update [2021-01](#), titled "COVID-19 Vaccine Billing and Reimbursement," for more information.

Additional information is available on the federal [Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices webpage](#) and the [Wisconsin Department of Health Services COVID-19 webpage](#).

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