KidsCare Is Re-Instated
Effective September 1, 2016
AHCCCS offers health insurance through KidsCare for eligible children (under age 19) who are not eligible for other AHCCCS health insurance. For those who qualify, there are monthly premiums.

Applications for KidsCare are being accepted beginning July 26, 2016 for coverage that will begin effective September 1, 2016.

Further details are available on the AHCCCS website at:
https://www.azahcccs.gov/Members/GetCovered/Categories/KidsCare.HTML
Verify eligibility and enrollment for KidsCare children to determine where to submit the claim. Claims for children eligible in KidsCare must be submitted to the enrolled health plan.

If the child is enrolled in a managed care plan and receives services from an IHS/638 provider, then the IHS/638 provider must bill the service to the managed care health plan, not to AHCCCS Fee-For Service or the American Indian Health Program (AIHP).

If the child is enrolled in FFS or AIHP, then submit the KidsCare claim to AHCCCS.
How To Bill

Claims for KidsCare must be submitted to the enrolled health plan:

• CMS 1500 (837P for electronic claims) with appropriate HCPCS/CPT coding for physician and practitioner services
• ADA 2012 form (837D) with CDT-4 coding for dental services
• UB-04 (837I for electronic claims) with appropriate revenue codes, HCPCS codes and attending provider for outpatient hospital services

Refer to IHS/Tribal Provider Billing Manual Chapter 9 Hospital and Clinic Services, page 12.

• Prescription medication claims must be submitted electronically at the point-of-sale to the AHCCCS contracted Pharmacy Benefits Manager (PBM), currently OptumRx

Refer to IHS/Tribal Provider Billing Manual Chapter 10 Pharmacy
Questions?
Thank You.

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