

BCBSM Physician Group Incentive Program Specialist Value-Based Reimbursement (SCP VBR)

The SCP VBR is a PGIP incentive program for specialist physicians based on Quality and Cost metrics. This program shows BCBSMs move from fee-for-service, to an approach that layers fee-for-value upon the fee-for-service foundation.

One of the goals of this program is to strengthen relationships between SCPs & PCPs through promoting the idea of shared responsibility. This program aims to improve continuity and quality of care while eliminating the duplication of services and reducing cost.

Through reviewing and following evidence-based care medicine guidelines when decision making on patient care, specialists can earn **up to a 13 percent VBR** on the base fee schedule applied to the RVU-based procedure codes- most procedure codes, except those for ambulance service, durable medical equipment, prosthetics and orthotics, immunizations, hearing, routine vision services, lab, dental and most injections and the time and base codes. The 2019 SCP VBR is effective **March 1, 2019 – February 29, 2020**.

BCBSM recently released the 2019 SCP VBR results. Beaumont ACO 2019 results show a 13 percent increase in SCP receiving a VBR compared to 2018.

Beaumont ACO 2019 SCP VBR Results	
Nominated Specialist	243
VBR	206 (85%)
No VBR	3715%

Results of the SCP VBR will be communicated via mail and/or email to each practice/provider.

If you are interested in learning more about this incentive program through the Beaumont ACO, please contact Beaumont ACO at 947-522-0037.