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Indiana Statewide Standing Order for COVID-19 Home Testing Kits

CSO-22-07

Purpose: To ensure that all Hoosiers who want COVID-19 Self-Test kits covered by insurance can access the tests.

Policy: This standing order enables properly licensed pharmacists and pharmacies to provide COVID-19 Self-Test kits at no cost to the individual and to receive reimbursement from the insurance companies.

Eligible Providers: Any Indiana licensed pharmacy or licensed pharmacist.

Eligible Recipients: Any person who is eligible for COVID-19 Home Testing Kits through their insurance provider.

Eligible Test: Any self-test kit (also called "home tests" or "over the counter tests") which has been authorized by the Food & Drug Administration (FDA) through an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) or approved by the FDA. Eligible tests can be found on the FDA website.

Order: Any eligible provider may provide an eligible test to eligible recipients.

Geographic Region: This standing order is applicable statewide.

Standing Orders Authorization: This standing order is issued pursuant to § 16-19-3-9, which provides that IDOH may "[d]o what is reasonable and necessary for the prevention and suppression of disease."

This standing order is effective January 21, 2022 and shall remain in effect as long as the federal public health emergency is in effect. This standing order is in addition to, not as a replacement for, *Commissioner Standing Order CSO-20-06*.

SO APPROVED.

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To **promote**, **protect**, and **improve** the health and safety of all Hoosiers.