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			Z Codes Applicable and Payment Method	Min.% of Unique Seen Members Required	Other Requirements	
Priority Health	Performance Improvement Plan (PIP)	Medicaid, Medicare Advantage	Z 55-65 (paid via PMPM)	5%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be recognized as a Patient-Centered Medical Home Use an approved tool to screen patients seen by the practice Complete the SDoH survey attestation (waived for 2022) Paid at annual settlement 	Exploring an HIE-based incentive for future years
Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan	Value Partnership's Social Determinants of Health initiative design	Commercial, Medicare Advantage PPO	Z 55-65 (paid via VBR)	2% of preventive well visits (for dates of service Jan – June 2022) 5% of preventive well visits (for dates of service Jan-Dec 2022)	Practice has the alternative to include its screening data in PO file submission to MiHIN (paid via VBR)	Three pathways: <i>Pathway 1. SDoH Use Case Submission – Version 3.0 Specification</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Startup –Prospective payment made after PO returns opt-in form. Participation – Additional payment made after PO submits first files to MiHIN

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						<p>that meets updated specifications and file is loaded into MiHIN data.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continued submission and maintenance – Additional payment after 6 consecutive months of file submissions. <p><i>Pathway 2. SDOH use case submission – Version 2 specification (only available to POs in progress)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participation – Payment made after PO returns opt-in form and at least one valid data submission has been loaded into MiHIN data. Continued submission and maintenance – Additional payment after 6 consecutive months of file

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						<p>submissions.</p> <p><i>Pathway 3. Infrastructure development and SDOH use case submission – Version 3.0 specification</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prospective payment after PO returns opt-in form, design plan and project timeline. • Additional payment after PO can demonstrate that all data elements required to participate in MiHIN’s SDOH use case – Version 3.0 specification are stored digitally and able to be extracted and PO has completed the legal requirements to participate in

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						MiHIN's SDOH use case. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional payment made after PO submits first file to MiHIN that meets updated specifications and file is loaded into MiHIN data. • Additional payment paid after 6 consecutive months of file submissions.
Blue Cross Complete (MHP)	Perform PLUS value-based model offering	Medicaid	Z 55-65 (paid via PMPM)	No minimum %	Paid annually, incentive is based on submission of z-codes for the assigned patient population	N/A
United Health Care MHP	Z Code Submission Incentive (part of Care Mgt. and Quality)	Medicaid	Z 55-65 and Z 75 (paid via PMPM)	5% with higher PMPM for 10%	Paid annually; Incentive based on provider's entire assigned membership for year; Must be PCMH-certified	N/A

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	Incentive Program)				(NCQA, PGIP PCMH, URAC, AAAHC, Joint Commission Primary Medical Home, CARF, other MDHHS accepted certification); Minimum of 50 UHC members	
HAP	Best Practice Incentive Program	Commercial and MA	Z 55-65	1.5% at PO level		N/A
HAP Empowered	PCP Incentive Program	Medicaid and Medicaid/Medicare (dual eligible)	Z 55-65	1.5% at PO level	Minimum of 100 Medicaid members	N/A
McLaren Medicaid Health Plan*	None					
Meridian Medicaid*	None					
Molina Medicaid*	None					

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UPHP Medicaid*	None					

** These Michigan Medicaid Health Plans permit Z code submission by providers, but do not offer specific social care incentives to providers.*

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