

PAYMENT OPTIONS FOR REVIEW OF PREGNANCY SPECIMENS

If you have health insurance coverage it should cover our review of the slides from your pregnancy placenta(s) or placental tissue(s) themselves (if the entire placenta is sent to the Kliman Clinical Laboratories).

If you don't have health insurance, or prefer to pay for this review yourself, you may do so by credit card.

Whichever option you choose, the first step will be for you to contact our Patient Pre-Estimation Department to register at:

203-737-7692

Please communicate the following information to the Patient Financial Counselor:

1. You or your doctor wishes to send slides or specimens to Dr. Harvey Kliman, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences for his review.
2. Ask them to see if you are registered as a patient in the Yale Medicine system.
3. If not, ask them to register you.
4. If you wish to pay by insurance, ask them to start the preapproval process with your insurance carrier.
 - a. Typically, **only one of the following CPT codes** will be used for this review, depending on your specific situation. Please share one of these CPT codes with the financial counselor, based on the descriptions below.
 - i. **88325** (the code if we will be reviewing pathology slides)
 - ii. **88305** (if an entire first or second trimester placenta is sent to us)
 - iii. **88307** (if an entire third trimester placenta is sent to us)
 - iv. **88355** (this is added to either 88325 or 88307 if the review is being done to assess for the risk of a developmental delay)
 - b. There are many potential diagnostic (ICD-10) codes. The most likely will be one or more from this list:
 - i. **O02.1**: pregnancy loss prior to 20 weeks
 - ii. **Z37.1**: pregnancy loss at or after 20 weeks
 - iii. **N96**: recurrent pregnancy loss
 - iv. **Z3A.2**: 20-29 week live delivery
 - v. **Z3A.3**: 30-39 week live delivery
 - vi. **Z3A.4**: ≥ 40 week live delivery
 - vii. **P02.20**: newborn affected by abnormality of the placenta
5. If you wish to pay by credit card, let them know and they will collect the necessary information.