



To: Carter BloodCare Transfusion Services Managers
From: Hospital Relations
Date: June 3, 2022
Re: Temporary Fuel Surcharge

Background

Historically, Carter BloodCare factors certain transportation related costs into the services provided to your facility. It is well known that fuel prices fluctuate periodically based on market conditions, with an exponential increase in recent months. Reluctantly, we have determined it is now necessary to implement a temporary fuel surcharge to address the volatility in fuel prices.

Impact to Client

Effective June 6, 2022, a **temporary fuel surcharge** will be applied per delivery based on the applicable delivery zone which is calculated by the mileage from the distribution center to your facility. Please refer to the table below for applicable billing codes and associated fees to be assessed. All clients are affected by this change.

B Codes	Description	Fee
Z3000	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 0	\$2.40
Z3001	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 1	\$4.95
Z3002	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 2	\$7.35
Z3003	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 3	\$9.75
Z3004	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 4	\$18.75
Z3005	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 5	\$25.05
Z3006	Fuel Surcharge, Zone 6	\$33.60

Questions and Additional Information

Your understanding is sincerely appreciated and we are grateful for the partnerships that we enjoy with you in the service of your patients.

Please contact Hospital Relations at hospitalrelations@carterbloodcare.org with any questions or concerns.