



Provider Update

Provider Update No. 170

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To: Providers

From: CalOptima Health Provider Network Management

Subject: Procedure Code Updates

Based on Medi-Cal Bulletins and NewsFlashes, CalOptima Health has updated the procedure codes and other relevant information for the subjects listed below:

- Rebranding Presumptive Eligibility for Pregnant Women
- Justice-Involved (JI) Reentry Initiative: JI Going Live
- Policy Correction: CPT Codes 76811 and 76817 Not Reimbursable for Licensed Midwives
- Policy Correction: CPT Codes 76802, 76810 and 76813 Not Reimbursable for Licensed Midwives
- HCPCS Codes Q0224 and M0224 for COVID-19 Therapeutics Added as a Medi-Cal Benefit
- CPT Codes 97014 and 97022 Added for Licensed Midwives
- Updated Licensed Midwives Evaluation and Management Codes
- Physician-Administered Drugs Added as Benefits for the JI Reentry Initiative
- CPT Code 81412 Updated to a Medi-Cal Benefit
- Place of Service Added for CPT Codes 90832, 90834, 90837 and 90791
- CPT Code 76805 No Longer Reimbursable for Licensed Midwife and Certified Nurse Midwife Services
- Update to Licensed Midwife and Certified Nurse Midwife Categories of Services
- Pharmacy Providers May Supervise and Bill for Community Health Worker Services
- Policy Information for Biomarker and Pharmacogenomic Testing Coverage
- Rates Update for HCPCS Codes A4269, J3490 and J7304
- Updated Mental Health Plan Contact Information
- National Correct Coding Initiative Quarterly Update for October 2024
- Provider Manual Revisions
- 2025 Whole Child Model Transition
- Updated LEA Billing Option Program Reimbursement Rates for the Fiscal Year 2024-2025
- 2024 Freestanding Pediatric Subacute Facilities Reimbursement Rate Update
- 2024 Nursing Facilities – Level A Reimbursement Rate Update
- Coming Soon: Billing Clarification for Dyadic Services and Timeless Waiver for FQHC, RHC and THP Programs

- First Phase for Single Subscriber Eligibility and Share of Cost Applications Update
- Reminder for Split Billing Inpatient Services
- CPT Codes for Family PACT Updated for E&M Office Visits
- September 2024 SNF WQIP Update
- New Aid Codes for JI Initiative
- Telehealth Modifiers Update for FQHC, RHC, IHS-MOA and Tribal FQHC Providers

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to:

- General Medicine Bulletin 603
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=general-medicine>
- Medi-Cal Program & Eligibility Bulletin 26
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=medi-cal-program-and-eligibility>
- Local Educational Agency Bulletin 600
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=local-educational-agency>
- Long Term Care Bulletin 571
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=long-term-care>
- Medi-Cal NewsFlashes
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/news/33075>
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/news/33081>
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To access the updated Physician Administered Drug Prior Authorization List (PAD PA List), please refer to <https://www.caloptima.org/en/ForProviders/ClaimsandEligibility/PriorAuthorizations.aspx>.