
PROVIDER UPDATE No. 133

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TO: Providers

FROM: CalOptima Provider Network Management

SUBJECT: Procedure Code Updates

Based on the Medi-Cal Bulletins and Newsflashes, CalOptima has updated the procedure codes for the subjects listed below:

- CLIA-Waived Status Available to Certified Providers for COVID-19 Codes
- HPE Off-Premise Flexibilities
- Fumarate Hydratase Gene Test Added as a Medi-Cal Benefit
- Policy Update for Trodelvy™
- Exceptions to Reimbursement Cutbacks for Select Office Consultation Codes
- New DME Rental Benefit: Phototherapy Light for Infants
- Correction to HCPCS Codes E1065 and E0165
- Updates to the List of Medical Supplies Billing Codes, Units and Quantity Limits
- Update to Medi-Cal Rx Implementation Date
- Error with Aid Code A1 Message in AEVS

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to:

- August General Medicine Bulletin 566
<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/gm202108.aspx>
- Durable Medical Equipment and Medical Supplies Bulletin 551
<https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/bulletins/artfull/dme202108.aspx>
- Medi-Cal Newsflashes
https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/newsroom/newsroom_30429_34.aspx
https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/newsroom/newsroom_31272.aspx

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