PROVIDER UPDATE No. 46

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TO: Providers

FROM: CalOptima Provider Network Management

SUBJECT: Procedure Code Updates

Based on recent Operating Instruction Letters (OILs) received from the Department of Health Care Services, CalOptima has updated the procedure codes for the subjects listed below:

- Rate Update for Laboratory and Pathology Services
- Delayed: Discontinuance of Select CPT-4 Split Billing
- 2014 CPT-4/HCPCS Annual Update: Policy Information Reminder
- Approved Code for RN Dispensing and Administration of Hormonal Contraceptives
- BRCA Testing Procedure Code Rate Update
- Policy Clarification of Silver Nitrate Products
- Change of Minimum Age for Ecallantide
- Tbo-Filgrastim is a New Medi-Cal Benefit
- Description and Diagnostic Restrictions Expanded for Bendamustine
- New Medi-Cal Benefit: Coagulation Factor IX (Recombinant), FC Fusion Protein
- Antihemophilic Blood Factor Rixubis Established as a Benefit

For CalOptima's prior authorization required list, please refer to the CalOptima website: **www.caloptima.org**. For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to the June 2014 General Medicine Bulletin on the Medi-Cal website at **Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine | June 2014 | Bulletin 480**.