

PROVIDER UPDATE No. 74

DATE: October 19, 2016

TO: Providers

FROM: CalOptima Provider Network Management

SUBJECT: Procedure Code Updates

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

- Revisions to 2016 CPT-4/HCPCS Annual Update
- New Functional MRI Brain Mapping Benefits
- Rates Established for Select Drug Screening and Drug Testing Codes
- Termination of Local Codes for Some Chronic Dialysis Services
- Termination of Several Audiology Codes
- Modifier 33 Allowable When Billing Laboratory Codes
- National Correct Coding Initiative Quarterly Update for October 2016
- Billing Requirements for Cough Stimulating Device Supplies
- HPV9 Vaccine is a New CHDP Benefit
- CHDP Notice: Upcoming HIPAA Code Conversion and Claim Form Transition

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to the October 2016 General Medicine bulletin on the Medi-Cal website at Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine | October 2016 | Bulletin 508, the Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - DME | October 2016 | Bulletin 493 or the Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - CHDP | October 2016 | Bulletin 144.

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