



PROVIDER UPDATE No. 33

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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:

- Neurostimulator Codes Now Primary Surgeon Benefits
- Paclitaxel Protein-Bound Particles Policy Update
- Overactive Bladder Treatment Added to OnabotulinumtoxinA Benefits
- Quantity Update for Unilateral Procedures Billed
- Diagnosis Codes Required for Nerve Block Injections
- National Correct Coding Initiative Quarterly Update for April 2013

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 May 2013 General Medicine Bulletin 467 on the Medi-Cal website at [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine | May 2013 | Bulletin 467](#).