
PROVIDER UPDATE No. 34

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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:

- 2013 CPT-4/HCPCS Annual Update: Implementation September 1, 2013
- Affordable Care Act Rate Increase for Certain Primary Care Services
- Family PACT and Medi-Cal Family Planning Code Conversions
- Age Restriction Update for Billing for Influenza Virus Vaccine
- Noninvasive Prenatal Testing for Fetal Aneuploidy: New Benefit
- Aripiprazole Extended Release Suspension is a New Medi-Cal Benefit
- Immunochemical Fecal Occult Blood Testing Rate Increase
- Diagnostic Restrictions Added to Transcatheter Therapy Policy
- Pemetrexed Billing Code Update
- DME 'By Report' Reimbursement and Documentation Update
- "Per Extremity" Reimbursement Update for Malleolus Pads
- Diagnosis Related Groups – Part 1: APR-DRG Reimbursement Implementation

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 2013 General Medicine Bulletin 468 on the Medi-Cal website at [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine | June 2013 | Bulletin 468](#) to the DME, June 2013 bulletin at [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - DME | June 2013 | Bulletin 453](#) or to the Inpatient Services, June 2013 bulletin at [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - Inpatient Services | June 2013 | Bulletin 465](#).