



Provider Update

Provider Update No. 159

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To: Providers

From: CalOptima Health Provider Network Management

Subject: Procedure Code Updates

Based on Medi-Cal Bulletins and NewsFlashes, CalOptima Health has updated the procedure codes and other relevant information for the subjects listed below:

- 2023 Third Quarter Rate Updates for HCPCS Code J3490
- HCPCS Code J7214 Added as a Medi-Cal Benefit
- CCS Whole Child Model (WCM) Kaiser Permanente Transition
- Ages 26 through 49 Adult Full Scope Medi-Cal Expansion
- ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Code Required for Designated CPT Codes
- TAR Requirement Removed for HCPCS Code J9325
- HCPCS Code J9308 Policy Update
- Updated Exemption from Assembly Bill 97 Payment Reductions
- Skin Substitute Reimbursement Rates Update for 2023
- Skin Substitute Reimbursement Rate Update for 2022
- Rate Update for HCPCS Codes J7304
- Billing Tips for Doula Providers
- Provider Manual Revisions
- San Mateo County FQHC/RHC Dental Services Update
- Family PACT Laboratory Services Update
- 2023–24 Commercialized COVID-19 Vaccines Medi-Cal Policy Update
- Implementation Delay for 2023 HCPCS Quarter 4 Update
- LTC Code and Claim Conversion: TAR, Crossover and Claim Completion Instructions
- Reminder: National Drug Code for Nexplanon
- Forthcoming EPC for CCS Claims for Low Protein Therapeutic Foods
- Updated Reimbursement Rates for LEA Medi-Cal Billing Option Program
- Long Term Care: Subacute Care (Adult and Pediatric) Services
- Long Term Care Enrollment

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to:

- September General Medicine Bulletin 592
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=general-medicine>
- Clinics and Hospitals Bulletin 589
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=clinics-and-hospitals>
- Family PACT Bulletin 193
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/publications/bulletin?community=family-pact>
- Medi-Cal NewsFlashes
<https://mcweb.apps.prd.cammis.medi-cal.ca.gov/news/32469.01>
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To access the updated Physician Administered Drug Prior Authorization List (PAD PA List), please refer to <https://www.caloptima.org/en/ForProviders/ClaimsandEligibility/PriorAuthorizations.aspx>.