
PROVIDER UPDATE No. 86

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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 2017 CPT-4/HCPCS Annual Update
- HIV Screening and Infectious Agent Detection Codes Added to CLIA-Waived List
- New Benefit for Pathogen(s) Test for Platelets
- New Immunization and Vaccines FAQs
- Identifying Surgical Follow-Up Time Periods
- Update to Reimbursement Rates for Skin Lesion Surgery Codes
- National Correct Coding Initiative Quarterly Update for October 2017
- Night Call Conditions Clarified

For detailed information regarding these changes, please refer to the October 2017 General Medicine bulletin on the Medi-Cal website at [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine | October 2017 | Bulletin 520](#) or the [Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal Update – Medical Transportation | October 2017 | Bulletin 505](#).

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