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TO: Independent Radiologists

RE: 2017 Independent Radiology Fee Schedule HIPAA Compliant Update

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2017 and forward, the Department of Social Services (DSS) is incorporating the 2017 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) changes (additions, deletions and description changes) to its independent radiology fee schedule. The Department is making these changes to ensure that the Independent Radiology fee schedule remains compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). The changes apply to services reimbursed under all the HUSKY Health programs.

The 2017 HCPCS update requires the deletion of the codes listed below from the Independent Radiology fee schedule.

CPT Code	Description
75791	Av dialysis shunt imaging
75962	Repair arterial blockage
75964	Repair artery blockage each
75966	Repair arterial blockage
75968	Repair artery blockage each
75978	Repair venous blockage
77051	Computer dx mammogram add-on
77052	Comp screen mammogram add-on
77055	Mammogram one breast
77056	Mammogram both breasts
77057	Mammogram screening

In addition to the deletion of the codes above, the following codes will be added to the Independent Radiology fee schedule:

CPT Code	Description
76499	Unlisted diagnostic radiographic procedure
76706	Us abdl aorta screen aaa
77065	Dx mammo incl cad uni
77066	Dx mammo incl cad bi

77067	Scr mammo bi incl cad
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Accessing the Fee Schedules:

The updated fee schedule will be available after December 23, 2016 and it can be accessed and downloaded from the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site: www.ctdssmap.com. From this Web page, go to "Provider", then to "Provider Fee Schedule Download". Click on the "I accept" button and proceed to click on the "Independent Radiology" fee schedule. To access the CSV file, press the control key while clicking the CSV link, then select "Open".

For questions about billing or if further assistance is needed to access the fee schedule on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site, please contact the Provider Assistance Center, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 1-800-842-8440.

Posting Instructions: Policy transmittals can be downloaded from the Web site at www.ctdssmap.com. Holders of the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Provider Manual should replace their existing fee schedule with the new schedule.

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