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TO: Medical Clinics and Rehabilitation Clinics

RE: 2017 Fee Schedules HIPAA Compliant Update

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2017 and forward, the Department of Social Services is incorporating the 2017 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) changes (deletions, additions and replacement codes) to select clinic fee schedules. The Department is making these changes to ensure that these fee schedules remain compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). The changes apply to services reimbursed under HUSKY A, B, C and D Health programs.

Medical Clinics

The updates to the medical clinics' fee schedule will include the addition of the Current Procedure Terminology (CPT) code, 90674 - Flucelvax, a vaccine for influenza for injection into muscle. Effective for dates of service January 1, 2017 and forward, the reimbursement rate for the Flucelvax vaccine will be \$22.94.

For members aged 18 years old and younger, the Flucelvax vaccine will be supplied by the Connecticut Department of Public Health (DPH), as part of the Connecticut Vaccine Program (CVP). When the Flucelvax vaccine is administered to eligible members aged 18 years old and younger, Medicaid enrolled providers will be reimbursed the administration fee only. Reimbursement for the actual vaccine occurs only when the vaccine is administered to members who are not eligible under the CVP. As a reminder, a separate administration fee is not reimbursed for HUSKY Health members 19 years and older.

Rehabilitation Clinic

In addition to the Department incorporating the applicable 2017 HCPCS changes to the rehabilitation clinic fee schedule; the following wound care codes will be added:

Procedure Code	Description	Rate
29580	Application of paste boot	\$53.67
29581	Apply multlay comprs lwr leg	\$63.95
29582	Apply multlay comprs upr leg	\$72.65
29583	Apply multlay comprs upr arm	\$44.93
29584	Apply multlay comprs arm/hand	\$72.65

Accessing the Fee Schedules:

The updated fee schedules will be available after December 23, 2016 and 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 appropriate 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.

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