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**TO:** Independent Radiologists

RE: 2016 Independent Radiology Fee Schedule HIPAA Compliant Update

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2016 and forward, the Department of Social Services is incorporating the 2016 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. The changes apply to services reimbursed under all the HUSKY Health programs.

In addition, the Department will be adding the following codes, which are new for 2016, on the independent radiology fee schedule, effective January 1, 2016:

CPT Code	Description
77061	Digital breast tomosynthesis; unilateral
77062	Digital breast tomosynthesis; bilateral
77063	Screening digital breast tomosynthesis, bilateral

## **Accessing the Fee Schedules:**

The updated fee schedules can be accessed and downloaded by accessing the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program Web site: <a href="https://www.ctdssmap.com">www.ctdssmap.com</a>. 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.

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

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