# **Connecticut Medical Assistance Program**

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TO: Family Planning Clinics, Medical Clinics and Behavioral Health Clinics

RE: (1) January 2025 Quarterly HIPAA Compliant Updates - Family Planning Clinic, Medical Clinic & Behavioral Health Clinic Fee Schedules

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## (1) January 2025 Quarterly HIPAA Compliant Updates - Family Planning Clinic, Medical Clinic & Behavioral Health Clinic Fee Schedules

Effective for the dates of service January 1, 2025, and forward, the Department of Social Services (DSS) is incorporating the January 2025 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) changes (additions, deletions, and description changes) to the family planning clinic, medical clinic, and behavioral health clinic fee schedules.

DSS is making these changes to ensure that the family planning clinic and medical clinic fee schedules remain compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). The changes apply to the services reimbursed under the HUSKY Health programs (A, B, C, and D).

Please note: DSS will be updating the CMAP Telehealth Table and issuing a separate provider bulletin updating the procedure codes used to bill for audio-only and audio/visual services based on HIPAA updates.

### (2) Updating Physician Administered Drugs on the Family Planning Clinic, Medical Clinic & Behavioral Health Clinic Fee Schedules

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2025, and forward, the Department of Social

Services (DSS) will update the reimbursement rates for select physician administered drugs on the family planning clinic, medical clinic, and behavioral health clinic fee schedules to be consistent with the January 2025 Medicare Average Sales Price (ASP) Drug Pricing file.

The reimbursement rates for select physicianadministered drugs. immune globulins. vaccines, and toxoids will be revised to equal 100% of the January 2025 Medicare ASP Drug Pricing file. Providers should continue to review *PB* 2018-10 Updates to the Reimbursement Methodology for Physician-Administered Drugs, Immune Globulins, Vaccines and Toxoids for more information on billing physician administered drugs. Please refer to the family planning clinic, medical clinic, and behavioral health clinic fee schedules for codes eligible for reimbursement and the January 2025 reimbursement updates.

#### **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 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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