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TO: Independent Laboratories, Physicians, Advanced Practice Registered Nurses, Physician Assistants and General Hospitals

RE: The Addition of COVID-19 Proprietary Laboratory Analyses Codes to the Independent Laboratory Fee Schedule

Effective for dates of service listed below until the Department of Social Services (DSS) declares COVID-19 to no longer be a public health emergency, the following COVID-19 Proprietary Laboratory Analyses (PLA) codes are being added to the Independent Laboratory fee schedule.

Retroactive to the dates listed below, the following PLA codes will be reimbursed 100% of the Medicare rate:

PLA Code	Desc.	Rate	Eff Date
0202U	NFCT DS 22 TRGT SARS-COV-2	\$416.78	5/20/20
0223U	NFCT DS 22 TRGT SARS-COV-2	\$416.78	6/25/20
0224U	ANTIBODY SARS-COV-2 TITER(S)	\$42.13	6/25/20
0225U	NFCT DS DNA&RNA 21SARSCOV 2	\$416.78	8/10/20
0226U	SVNT SARSCOV2 ELISA PLSM SRM	\$42.28	8/10/20
0240U	NFCT DS VIR RESP RNA 3 TRGT	\$142.63	10/6/20
0241U	NFCT DS VIR RESP RNA 4 TRGT	\$142.63	10/6/20

As dictated by the American Medical Association (AMA), the analyses performed must fulfill the code descriptor and must be the test represented by the proprietary name.

Outpatient Hospitals

The procedure codes listed above that have been updated on the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program’s (CMAP’s) laboratory fee schedule have also been updated on CMAP’s Addendum B. Outpatient Hospitals should continue to follow CMAP Addendum B for coverage and payment of all outpatient hospital services.

Accessing CMAP Addendum B (Outpatient Hospitals)

CMAP’s Addendum B for outpatient hospital services can be accessed via the www.ctdssmap.com Web site by selecting the “Hospital Modernization” Web page. CMAP’s Addendum B (Excel) is located under “Important Messages – Connecticut Hospital Modernization”.

Accessing the Fee Schedule

The updated fee schedule can be accessed and downloaded by going to the CMAP Web site at www.ctdssmap.com. From this Web page, go to “Provider”, then to “Provider Fee Schedule Download”, scroll to the bottom of the page and click on “I Accept”, then select the applicable 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 CMAP 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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