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TO: Behavioral Health Clinics and Outpatient Hospitals

RE: 1. Updating Physician Administered Drugs on the Behavioral Health Clinic Fee Schedule
2. Addition of J0575 - Buprenorphine/naloxone

1. Update to Physician Administered Drugs

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2023, and forward, the Department of Social Services (DSS) will update the rates for physician administered drugs on the Behavioral Health Clinic fee schedule to be consistent with the January 2023 Medicare Average Sales Price (ASP) Drug Pricing file.

The rates for physician-administered drugs, immune globulins, vaccines, and toxoids will be revised to equal 100% of the January 2023 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 behavioral health clinic fee schedule for codes eligible for reimbursement and January 2023 reimbursement updates.

2. Addition of Procedure Code J0575 - Buprenorphine/naloxone

Effective for dates of service January 1, 2023 and forward, to ensure coverage of Naltrexone, Buprenorphine, and Methadone and all of the forms of these drugs for Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) that are approved under section 505 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 355) and all biological products licensed under section 351 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 262), DSS is adding procedure code *J0575 (Buprenorphine/naloxone, oral, greater than 10 mg buprenorphine)* to be billed by Behavioral

Health clinics and outpatient hospital behavioral health clinic, as appropriate. All the changes outlined in this provider bulletin apply to services reimbursed under the HUSKY Health A, B, C and D programs.

Accessing the Fee Schedule

The updated fee schedule can be accessed and downloaded by going to the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (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 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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