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TO: Physicians, Podiatrists, Physician Assistants, Advanced Practice Registered Nurses, and Certified Nurse Midwives

RE: 1. October 2022 Quarterly HIPAA Compliant Update - Physician Office and Outpatient Fee Schedule
2. Increasing the Reimbursement Rate for Select Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptive Device
3. Adding Procedure Codes for Monkeypox Vaccinations

1. October 2022 HIPAA Compliant Update:

Effective for dates of service October 1, 2022 and forward, the Department of Social Services (DSS) is incorporating the October 2022 quarterly updates of the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) changes (additions, deletions and description changes) to the physician office and outpatient fee schedule.

DSS is making these changes to ensure that the physician office and outpatient fee schedule remains compliant with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). These changes apply to the HUSKY Health Programs A, B, C and D.

2. Increasing the Reimbursement for Select Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptive Device:

Effective for dates of service October 1, 2022 and forward, DSS is increasing the reimbursement for the following long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC) device:

Code	Description	Old Rate	New Rate
J7307	Etonogestrel implant system	\$1030.64	\$1092.48

3. Adding Procedure Codes for Monkeypox Vaccinations:

Effective for dates of service October 1, 2022 and forward, the following procedure codes for monkeypox vaccinations will be added to physician office and outpatient fee schedule:

Procedure Codes	Description
90622	Vaccinia Vrs Vac 0.3 ML Perq
90611	Smallpox & Monkeypox Vac 0.5MLe

Please note that the procedure codes for monkeypox vaccinations should only be billed to the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program when the vaccinations are commercially purchased. If the vaccines are obtained free of charge procedure codes 90611 and 90622 should **not** be billed to the Connecticut Medical Assistance Program (CMAP).

Please note that at this time the Monkeypox vaccines (procedure codes 90611 and 90622) are only being supplied to medical providers by the CT Department of Public Health (CTDPH). Providers must visit the CT Department of Public Health Website ([CT Monkeypox](#)) for additional guidance regarding administration of Monkeypox vaccines.

Currently, there is not a valid separate vaccine administration procedure code for the monkeypox vaccination. Providers cannot use any of the existing vaccine administration procedure codes found on any of the CMAP fee schedules to bill for the administration of the monkeypox vaccine. Further, if the monkeypox vaccine is administered during a scheduled evaluation/management (E/M) visit, the reimbursement for the administration of the vaccine is considered part of the overall E/M reimbursement.

Providers must continue to monitor the CMAP Web site for additional guidance related to diagnostic testing and vaccinations for the monkeypox virus. Additionally, providers are responsible for monitoring and complying with all applicable CT DPH requirements and guidance, which are subject to change at any time.

Accessing the Fee Schedule:

The updated fee schedule can be accessed and downloaded by going to the CMAP Web site: 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”.

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