

Update to “Hospital Outpatient Observation Services Benefits to Change for the CSHCN Services Program May 1, 2014”

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This is an update to an article titled "[Hospital Outpatient Observation Services Benefits to Change for the CSHCN Services Program May 1, 2014](#)," which was published on this website on March 14, 2014. Some information about client status changes has been updated.

When a client’s status changes from observation to inpatient admission, the date of the inpatient admission must reflect the date that the client was admitted to the hospital as an inpatient, not the date that the client was placed on observation status. Both the outpatient observation service (revenue code 760, 761, 762, or 769) and the inpatient admission must be submitted as separate details on the same inpatient claim.

For more information, call the TMHP- CSHCN Services Program Contact Center at 1-800-568-2413.