Claims Reprocessing for Cochlear Device Procedure Code L8614

Information posted February 11, 2015

**Note:** This article applies to claims submitted to TMHP for processing. For claims processed by a Medicaid managed care organization (MCO), providers must refer to the MCO for information about benefits, limitations, prior authorization, and reimbursement.

TMHP has identified an issue that impacts cochlear device procedure code L8614. A percent reduction was incorrectly applied to the rate that was effective October 1, 2014.

The following rate was effective for dates of service on and after October 1, 2014 and no percent reduction should be applied:

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<th>Type of Service (TOS)*</th>
<th>Procedure Code</th>
<th>Age Range</th>
<th>Non-Facility (N)/Facility (F)</th>
<th>Provider Type (PT)/ Provider Specialty (PS)**</th>
<th>Current Medicaid Fee</th>
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**Type of Service (TOS)**: 9 = Other Durable Medical Equipment (DME), J = DME Purchase - New
**Provider Type (PT)/ Provider Specialty (PS)**: 51 = Ambulatory Surgical Center- Independent, 52 = Ambulatory Surgical center - Hospital Based

Affected claims with dates of service on or after October 1, 2014, through February 10, 2015, will be reprocessed. Providers may receive additional payment which will be reflected on Remittance and Status (R&S) Reports.

For more information, providers can refer to the article titled "Update to 'Update to Proposed Reimbursement Rate Changes and Updates for Some Procedure Codes to Be Effective October 1, 2014, for Texas Medicaid," which was published on this website October 22, 2014.

For more information, call the TMHP Contact Center at 1-800-925-9126.