

Modifier for Dental General Anesthesia to Change Feb. 1, 2018 for the CSHCN Services Program

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Effective for dates of service on or after Feb. 1, 2018, the modifier to be submitted with procedure code 00170 for dental general anesthesia will change for the Children with Special Health Care Needs Services Program.

The required modifier will change from EP to U3.

For additional information about dental general anesthesia, providers may refer to the current *CSHCN Services Program Provider Manual*, sections 14.2.5.2, "Anesthesia Requirements for Clients who are Six Years of Age or Younger," and 14.2.6.3, "Dental General Anesthesia Provided in the Inpatient or Outpatient Setting (Medically Necessary Dental Rehabilitation or Restoration Services)"

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