
Banner Messages for the 11-04-2022 and 11-11-2022 Reports

This file contains abbreviated messages meant to provide timely notifications that affect all provider groups (physicians, dentists, and so forth). Additional current and historic information affecting the Medicaid, Medicaid Managed Care, and Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Services Program provider community may be found in the earlier postings of these files in the TMHP banner library at www.tmhp.com.

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1 (11/11/22 through 11/18/22) *****Attention All Providers*****

Friday, November 11, 2022, is Veteran's Day (observed), which is a bank holiday. As a result, electronic funds transfer (EFT) payments may be delayed by one business day. Providers that receive EFT payments can expect funds by Monday, November 14, 2022.

For more information, call the TMHP Contact Center at 800-925-9126 or the TMHP-CSHCN Services Program Contact Center at 800-568-2413. [\[link\]](#)

2 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) *****Attention All Providers*****

Effective for dates of service on or after October 12, 2022, in accordance with the FDA's amended Emergency Use Authorization, COVID-19 vaccine administration codes 0144A and 0154A are benefits of Medicaid and the Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Services Program. Effective for dates of service on or after October 12, 2022, the age range for COVID-19 vaccine administration code 0134A has changed from 18 years of age or older to 12 years of age or older.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

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3 10/28/22 through 11/18/22) ***Attention All Providers*******

On October 11, 2022, for dates of service on or after August 31, 2022, TMHP will implement reimbursement rates for COVID-19 vaccine administration procedure codes 0124A and 0134A for Texas Medicaid, Healthy Texas Women (HTW), the Family Planning Program (FPP), and the Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Services Program.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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4 (08/26/22 through 11/16/22) ***Attention All Providers*******

On August 15, 2021, TMHP implemented updates to the 835 Explanation of Benefits (EOB) Crosswalk table.

Providers can access the crosswalk table under HIPAA Reference Codes in the Technical Information section on TMHP's Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) web page. [[link](#)]

For more information, call the TMHP Contact Center at 800-925-9126 or the TMHP-CSHCN Services Program Contact Center at 800-568-2413.

5 (11/11/22 through 12/02/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

Beginning November 2, 2022, Updates will be made to the Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) Proprietary System web page on the Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) website.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

For more information, contact the TMHP EVV Mailbox at evv@tmhp.com.

6 (11/11/22 through 12/02/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

On November 22, 2022, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission will revise the clinical prior authorization criteria for calcitonin gene-related peptide (CGRP) antagonist prophylaxis.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

7 (11/18/22 through 12/09/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

On November 21, 2022, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission will modify the prior authorization criteria for Bylvay in the Cholestatic Pruritis Agents clinical prior authorization criteria guide for clarification purposes to ensure that the criteria approve patients with the appropriate diagnosis and comply with Food and Drug Administration-approved indications.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

8 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention Medicaid Providers*******

Effective for dates of service on or after December 1, 2022, prior authorization criteria will be added for ciltacabtagene autoleucl (Carvykti) procedure code Q2056.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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

9 (11/11/22 through 12/07/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

On November 22, 2022, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will revise Cosentyx in the Cytokine and CAM Inhibitor prior authorization to comply with the recent age indications approved by the Food and Drug Administration. The revised age criteria are for persons 2 years of age or older with psoriatic arthritis.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

10 (11/11/22 through 12/07/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

The quarterly Texas National Drug Codes (NDC) to Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Crosswalk is now available for clinician-administered drug (CAD) processing.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

11 (11/18/22 through 12/09/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

Texas Medicaid is conducting a utilization review of inpatient claims with dates of service from September 28, 2020, through August 21, 2022, to determine whether the claims were paid outside the spell-of-illness limitation, which is 30 days of inpatient hospital care.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

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12 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

Effective March 1, 2020, through November 30, 2022, to help ensure continuity of care during the COVID-19 (coronavirus) response, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is authorizing Healthy Texas Women (HTW) providers to bill procedure codes with modifier 95 for medical (physician-delivered) evaluation and management services delivered by telephone (audio-only).

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

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

13 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

To help ensure continuity of care during the COVID-19 (coronavirus) response, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is authorizing providers to bill procedure codes for telephone (audio-only) medical (physician-delivered) evaluation and management services delivered from March 20, 2020, through November 30, 2022.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

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

14 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention Medicaid Providers*******

Beginning January 1, 2023, providers of Collaborative Care Model (CoCM) services must attest that they have an established CoCM program prior to delivering CoCM services.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [\[link\]](#)

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

15 (10/28/22 through 11/18/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

This is a reminder that all providers of laboratory services must comply with the rules and regulations of the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendment (CLIA). Providers must submit their CLIA certifications and can bill only for services for which they have an appropriate CLIA certification on file. Providers that do not comply with CLIA are not reimbursed for laboratory services.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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16 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention Medicaid Providers*******

The Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) has identified an issue with claims submitted for dates of service from March 1, 2022, through October 25, 2022, with diagnosis code R111 and procedure codes 92517, 92518, and 92519 for Medicaid clients. Diagnosis code R111 is invalid.

Diagnosis codes R1111 and R1110 are appropriate and should be used when submitting claims with procedure codes 92517, 92518, and 92519.

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

17 (10/21/22 through 11/11/22) ***Attention Medicaid Providers*******

Signature requirements for Title XIX (Medicaid) Home Health Services have recently changed. Medicaid-enrolled physicians and allowed practitioners can now sign prior authorizations and order covered Medicaid Home Health Services, including skilled nursing, home health aide services, durable medical equipment and supplies, and adult physical and occupational therapy services.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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

18 (10/21/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

On November 9, 2022, the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will implement the clinical prior authorization criteria updates for Orkambi (lumacaftor/ivacaftor). The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has approved Orkambi for children one year through two years of age with cystic fibrosis with two F508del mutations. This change follows the recent approval for age expansion.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

19 (10/21/22 through 11/11/22) ***Attention All Medicaid Providers*******

The ProAir HFA inhaler was discontinued by the manufacturer on October 1, 2022. Alternative preferred asthma inhalers on the Texas Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL) include the Proventil HFA and Ventolin HFA inhalers.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

20 (10/21/22 through 11/11/22) ***Attention Medicaid Providers*******

Effective for dates of service on or after December 1, 2022, prior authorization criteria will change for crizanlizumab-tmca (Adakveo) procedure code J0791.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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

21 (10/28/22 through 11/18/22) ***Attention All Medicaid and CSHCN Services Program Providers*******

Since the deployment of the Provider Enrollment and Management System (PEMS), the Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) has heard from many providers and used their feedback to enhance the provider user experience.

The topics listed in this notification highlight the most frequent issues that providers have indicated they need additional support for. This is the eighteenth edition of this list, following the first edition that was posted on February 28, 2022.

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22 10/28/22 through 11/18/22) ***Attention All Medicaid and CSHCN Services Program Providers *******

On October 11, 2022, for dates of service on or after August 15, 2022, TMHP will implement reimbursement rates for COVID-19 procedure code Q0222 for Texas Medicaid and the Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Services Program.

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For more information, call the TMHP Contact Center at 800-925-9126 or the TMHP-CSHCN Services Program Contact Center at 800-568-2413.

23 (11/04/22 through 11/25/22) ***Attention All CSHCN Services Program Providers*******

The Texas Medicaid & Healthcare Partnership (TMHP) has identified an issue with claims submitted for dates of service from June 1, 2022, through October 25, 2022, with diagnosis code R111 and procedure codes 92517, 92518, and 92519 for Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Services Program clients. These claims might have been processed with diagnosis code R111 in error. Diagnosis code R111 is invalid.

Diagnosis codes R1110 and R1111 are appropriate and should be used when submitting claims with procedure codes 92517, 92518, and 92519.

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

24 10/21/22 through 11/11/22) *** Attention School Health and Related Services (SHARS) Providers *******

Beginning November 1, 2022, interim claims for School Health and Related Services (SHARS) physical therapy (PT), occupational therapy (OT), speech therapy (ST), and audiology services will be rejected if the billing provider does not include the referring or prescribing provider's National Provider Identifier (NPI) on the claim.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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

25 (10/21/22 through 11/11/22) ***Attention SHARS Providers*******

There is an update to the article titled "SHARS Benefits to Change for Texas Medicaid October 1, 2022," which was published on the TMHP website August 12, 2022.

Details are available on the TMHP website at www.tmhp.com. [[link](#)]

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