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Payment Integrity and Recovery Program

Issue Number: 001

Issue Name: 001 CPT and Place of Service Invalid Combination

Date: 01/01/2022

Claim Type: Professional

Line(s) of Business: Medicaid, MMP/Duals

Description:

The Procedure and Place of Service Payment Integrity and Recovery Audit Program addresses the reimbursement of Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) and Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes that are reported in a Place of Service (POS) considered inappropriate based on the code's description or available coding guidelines when reported by a physician or other health care professional.

Molina will recover reimbursement for any claims previously reimbursed with CPT rendered under invalid place of service within allowable recovery timelines. Molina is currently working to improve claims systems logic to deny reimbursement for current and future claims.

Example Scenarios:

Office or other outpatient visit Evaluation & Management (E&M) codes when billed in POS 21 (Inpatient) are not reimbursable.

Office or other non-emergent outpatient visit E&M codes when billed in POS 23 (Emergency Room – Hospital) are not reimbursable.

References:

illinois.gov/hfs/MedicalProviders/cc/encountermanual/Pages/AppendixAEncounterClaimsCrosswalks.aspx

CPT® (Current Procedural Terminology) | AMA (ama-assn.org)