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**Attention Provider Type 33 (Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics and Supplies):**

**List of Procedure Codes That No Longer Require NU Modifier Effective April 1, 2021**

Effective with claims with dates of service on or after April 1, 2021, the procedure codes listed in the table below that are submitted by provider type 33 (Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics and Supplies) do not require the NU modifier on the claim or on the prior authorization request.

PT 33 should **stop using the NU modifier immediately** on claims for the codes listed below with dates of service on or after April 1, 2021. Providers must submit a Prior Authorization Data Correction Form (FA-29) with the NU modifier removed for any prior authorization for these codes that was approved for April 1, 2021, and forward.

Claims submitted for the codes listed below with the NU modifier on or after April 1, 2021, that deny with error code 4257 (Modifier restriction for procedure billing rule) will be automatically reprocessed. Results of the reprocessed claims will be reported on a future remittance advice. Effective with claims processed on or after May 17, 2021, claims with the NU modifier will no longer deny with error code 4257.

The impacted procedure codes are listed in the following table:

A4611	E0250	E0462	E0740	E1029	E2313	K0004	K0854
A4612	E0251	E0470	E0779	E1031	E2321	K0006	K0855
A4613	E0255	E0471	E0781	E1035	E2322	K0007	K0856
A4639	E0256	E0480	E0784	E1037	E2325	K0008	K0857
A7025	E0260	E0482	E0791	E1038	E2326	K0009	K0858
B9002	E0261	E0483	E0855	E1161	E2327	K0010	K0859
B9004	E0277	E0550	E0910	E1232	E2328	K0011	K0860
B9006	E0290	E0565	E0940	E1233	E2329	K0012	K0861
E0117	E0291	E0570	E0955	E1234	E2330	K0015	K0862
E0140	E0292	E0572	E0984	E1235	E2368	K0070	K0863
E0144	E0293	E0585	E0985	E1236	E2369	K0108	K0864
E0149	E0294	E0600	E0986	E1237	E2370	K0195	K0868
E0165	E0295	E0601	E1002	E1238	E2373	K0455	K0869
E0181	E0300	E0606	E1003	E1700	E2374	K0552	K0870
E0182	E0303	E0618	E1004	E2000	E2375	K0669	K0871
E0186	E0305	E0619	E1005	E2227	E2376	K0835	K0877
E0187	E0316	E0620	E1006	E2228	E2377	K0841	K0878
E0190	E0371	E0630	E1007	E2291	E2378	K0843	K0879
E0196	E0372	E0635	E1008	E2292	E2398	K0848	K0880
E0197	E0373	E0637	E1010	E2293	E2609	K0849	K0884
E0198	E0430	E0638	E1012	E2294	E2617	K0850	K0885
E0221	E0445	E0656	E1014	E2310	K0001	K0851	K0886
E0240	E0457	E0657	E1020	E2311	K0002	K0852	K0890
E0245	E0459	E0700	E1028	E2312	K0003	K0853	K0891