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Attention Provider Type 22 (Dentist):

Claims for Dental Procedure Code D1354

Dental procedure code D1354 (Interim caries arresting medicament application, per tooth) is payable only for recipients age 0 to 20 and for 21 and older with a pregnancy benefit and an approved prior authorization (PA). Effective with claims with dates of service on or after February 7, 2022, claims that do not meet these criteria will deny for recipients age 21 and older with error code 4748 (Current benefit plan restriction on procedure billing rule).

Claims for procedure code D1354 with dates of service on or after April 1, 2020, through February 7, 2022, that did not meet the above criteria and paid in error will be reprocessed automatically. A future remittance advice message will notify providers when the claims are reprocessed.

When claims are reprocessed, please be aware that all system and clinical claim editor edits are applicable. As a result, there may be no additional payment, and other claim denials may be received. Providers have the right to appeal denied claims, including those denied upon reprocessing. Please refer to [Medicaid Services Manual Chapter 100](#) and the [Billing Manual](#) for information concerning the claim appeal process and time frames.