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Announcement 808

Claims for Cesarean Section Diagnosis or Procedure Codes

Claims for Cesarean section diagnosis or procedure codes with dates of service on or after April 15, 2013, and processed before November 18, 2013, that were cut back inappropriately from 4 to 3 days (on hospital claims) or were cut back with edit code 0175 (on physician claims paying lower vaginal delivery rate) are being automatically reprocessed. The affected diagnosis codes are 054.1-054.12, 642.5-642.63, 644.2-644.21, 646.2-646.24, 653-654.23, 660-660.93. The affected CPT procedure codes are 59510, 59514 and 59515. The adjudication of the reprocessed claims will appear on remittance advices dated September 26, 2014.