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Attention Provider Type 12: Reimbursement for ESRD Services Changing to a Bundled Prospective Payment Rate under New Provider Type 81

Effective April 6, 2015, in-state and catchment area Nevada Medicaid providers currently enrolled as provider type 12 (Hospital, Outpatient) will be automatically enrolled as a provider type 81 (Hospital Based ESRD), with no action required by providers, in order to bill outpatient ESRD services. All other out-of-state hospital providers that offer outpatient ESRD services will be required to enroll as a provider type 81.

Effective with claims with dates of service on or after April 6, 2015, hospital providers must bill outpatient ESRD services under the new provider type 81. Any hospital based ESRD services not billed with provider type 81 will be denied. Provider type 12 will no longer be reimbursed for hospital based outpatient ESRD services.

Provider type 81 must bill ESRD services using the following codes:

- CPT code 90945 (Dialysis procedure other than hemodialysis, with single evaluation by a physician or other qualified health care professional)
- CPT code 90999 (Unlisted dialysis procedure)

In addition, provider type 81 may bill CPT code 90688 (Influenza virus vaccine).

Pursuant to the Medicare Improvements for Patients and Providers Act of 2008 (MIPPA), Medicaid changed the process for its reimbursement of dialysis services to facilities to a bundled prospective payment system (PPS). Codes 90945 and 90999 are reimbursed per the bundled PPS and will include all treatment associated with ESRD services, with the exception of specific drugs identified by National Drug Codes (NDCs). Any drugs administered that are not included in the bundled PPS must be billed by NDC. For a list of drugs included in the PPS, refer to the CMS Manual System, Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing, Transmittal 2134. For more information regarding the new reimbursement system, please refer to Section 153(b) of the MIPPA and the Code of Federal Regulations Title 42 Part 413.171.

The rates for PT 81 for CPT codes 90945, 90999 and 90688 will be available on the DHCFP <u>Rates Unit</u> webpage by April 6, 2015.

For any questions, please contact the HP Enterprise Services Customer Service Center at (877) 638-3472.