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Claims Denied with Abortion Certificate Error Codes 3381 or 3382

Claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2020, for the following ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes have denied in error with error codes 3381 (Abortion certificate required, header) or 3382 (Abortion certificate required, detail). Error code 3381 audits inpatient and outpatient claims. Error code 3382 audits professional claims. Effective with dates of service on or after March 21, 2022, these codes will no longer deny in error with error codes 3381 and 3382.

ICD-10-CM diagnosis code	Description
O04.5	Genital tract and pelvic infection following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.6	Delayed or excessive hemorrhage following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.7	Embolism following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.81	Shock following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.82	Renal failure following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.87	Sepsis following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.88	Urinary tract infection following (induced) termination of pregnancy
O04.89	(Induced) termination of pregnancy with other complications

Claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2020, through March 21, 2022, for the ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes listed above that denied with error codes 3381 and 3382 will be reprocessed automatically. A future remittance advice will report the results of the reprocessed claims.

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.