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Nevada Medicaid Web Announcement 3262

Recipient Eligibility for Postpartum Care Services

During the 82nd Nevada Legislative Session (2023), Senate Bill (SB) 232 passed requiring the State Plan for Nevada Medicaid to include coverage for postpartum care services for a certain period of time following a pregnancy. Per Omnibus Bill Section 5113, the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services (DWSS) must provide 12 months of recipient eligibility for postpartum care after the month of birth. The previous eligibility period was two months after the month of birth.

Effective on claims processed on or after December 18, 2023, the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) has been updated to incorporate the new aid category (CHG) reflecting eligibility for 12 months for postpartum care after the month of birth.

No claims will be reprocessed automatically as this update is a go-forward change.