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Important Message Regarding Medicare Part B Claims Submitted by Pharmacies

Effective May 24, 2018, pharmacies will be allowed to submit Medicare B drugs via the medical claim format, for automated crossover claims only when billing Medicaid secondary for Medicare Part B patient responsibility amounts. This is the result of a system fix to correct an error that occurred with the implementation of the April 21, 2016 reimbursement logic for Medicare B pharmacy claims.

For more information on Medicare Part B reimbursement please view the April 2016 *Medicaid Update* at: http://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/program/update/2016/april_16mu.pdf.

Pharmacy Providers will now receive the response returned on their electronic 835, PDF or paper Remittance Advice. eMedNY uses the Default Electronic Transmitter Identification Number (ETIN), linked to your Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Provider Number/National Provider Identifier, for reporting automated Medicare crossover claims on your electronic or PDF remittance. In order to receive these Medicare crossover claims on your remittance statements, you will need to verify you have selected a Default ETIN, and make sure the ETIN is current with its Certification.

Should you need to select or change the Default ETIN on file with eMedNY, you would submit the Default Electronic Transmitter Identification Number Selection Form. This form and the rest of our Provider Maintenance Forms can be found on our website: <https://www.emedny.org/info/ProviderEnrollment/allforms.aspx>.

Please contact the eMedNY Call Center at (800) 343-9000 for questions regarding this billing requirement or any billing issue.

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Additional Codes Added to the Nurse Practitioner Fee-for-Service Fee Schedule

Effective April 1, 2018, the following procedure codes have been added to the Nurse Practitioner fee-for-service (FFS) Medicaid fee schedule:

57454	Colposcopy of the cervix including upper/adjacent vagina; with biopsy(s) of the cervix and endocervical curettage
57455	with biopsy(s) of the cervix
57456	with endocervical curettage
57460	with loop electrode biopsy(s) of the cervix
57461	with loop electrode conization of the cervix

Questions regarding Medicaid FFS billing, please contact eMedNY Provider Services at (800) 343-9000. Policy questions regarding Medicaid FFS please contact the Office of Health Insurance Programs (OHIP), Division of Program Development and Management at (518) 473-2160.

All Providers

Coverage of Kymriah™ (Tisagenlecleucel) Expanded to Include Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma

The cellular-based gene therapy, Kymriah™ (tisagenlecleucel), was approved by the FDA in August 2017 for the treatment of patients under age 25 with refractory or relapsed acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL). On May 1, 2018, the FDA approved Kymriah™ for an additional indication, relapsed or refractory large B-cell lymphoma after two or more lines of systemic therapy including diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL) not otherwise specified, high grade B-cell lymphoma, and DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma in adults. Medicaid coverage of Kymriah™ will include this new indication and any future FDA approved indications.

For information related to the initial coverage of Kymriah™ and for fee-for-service (FFS) billing guidance, please see the November 2017 *Medicaid Update* article at the following link: https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/program/update/2017/2017-11.htm.

Questions

Medicaid FFS billing should be directed to eMedNY Provider Services at (800) 343-9000. Policy questions regarding Medicaid FFS may be directed to the Office of Health Insurance Programs (OHIP), Division of Program Development and Management at (518) 473-2160. Questions regarding Medicaid Managed Care (MMC) reimbursement and/or documentation requirements should be directed to the enrollee's MMC plan.

Important Reminder for Expedited/Priority and P.O. Box Mailing Addresses

Please use the following chart when sending mail to eMedNY. Identify the type of correspondence to be mailed, and mail to the address below using the appropriate P.O. Box and 4-digit ZIP Code extension:

eMedNY
P.O. Box (see below)
Rensselaer, New York 12144-

Please note: If you are sending priority/expedited mail (Fed Ex, UPS, USPS), use the physical address format below. **Forms sent priority delivery will still be processed in the standard timeframe.**

eMedNY
327 Columbia Turnpike
ATTN: Box ____ (use the corresponding Box number from the table below)
Rensselaer, NY 12144

P.O. Box	ZIP Code Extension	Description of Contents	Form Types
4600	4600	Prior Approval and Prior Authorization Requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EMEDNY-361402 (Dental) EMEDNY-361502 (Prescription Drugs, Physician, DME, PDN, Vision) EMEDNY-283202 (Hearing Aid) EMEDNY-126001 (Level of Care) PA Additional Information

4601	4601	Claims	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMEDNY-150003 (HCFA) • EMEDNY-000201 (Form A) • EMEDNY-000301 (Pharmacy) • UB-04
4602	4602	Threshold Override Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMEDNY-000105 (TOA)
4603	4603	Provider Enrollment Applications/Revalidation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Fee-For-Service and Rate-Based Enrollment Packets
4604	4604	Edit Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provider Submitted documentation (Medicare EOMBs) to support claims pending for MMIS Edits 00127 and 01283 only
4605	4605	Remittance Retrieval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provider Requests for copies of remittance statements
4606	4606	Additional Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provider Enrollment Additional Information Form with attachments
4610	4610	Provider Maintenance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provider maintenance (update) forms and related Correspondence ex: Change of Address
4614	8614	Electronic Form Requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic Certifications • ETIN Applications • Security Packet B • Electronic/PDF Remittance Request • Electronic Prior Approval Request • Remittance Sort Request • Pended Claim Recycle Request • Request to Disaffiliate/Delete an ETIN
4616	8616	Electronic Funds Transfer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic Funds Transfer Enrollment Forms

NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program Update

The [NY Medicaid Electronic Health Record \(EHR\) Incentive Program](#) promotes the transition to EHRs by providing financial incentives to eligible professionals and hospitals. Providers who demonstrate Meaningful Use of their EHR systems are leading the way towards Interoperability, which is the ability for healthcare providers to exchange and use patient health records electronically. The ultimate goal is to increase patient involvement, reduce costs and improve health outcomes. Since December 2011, over **\$913 million** in incentive funds have been distributed **through 34,248** payments to New York State Medicaid providers. Since 2011, Eligible Professionals & Eligible Hospitals have received:

Number of Payments 34,248	Distributed Funds \$913,732,140
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The 2017 attestation period will be opening soon, but let's talk about what you should be doing now for payment year 2018.

It's not too early to prepare for 2018 so are you doing everything you can?

We're almost halfway through the year and we know it's too early to attest for 2018, but it's not too early to prepare. We have some tips and resources that will help you right now to prepare your records so that when it's time for your 2018 attestation, you're ready.

Here are some easy tasks you can complete and check off of your to-do list.

- Update your registration for Public Health Reporting on the Meaningful Use Registration for Public Health (MURPH) application here: https://commerce.health.state.ny.us/public/hcs_login.html.
- Prepare and complete a Security Risk Analysis located here: https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/Downloads/MedicaidEPModStage2_2018_Obj1.pdf.
- Attend the Modified Stage 2 (https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/ehr/calendar/#ehr_i) or Stage 3 (https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/ehr/calendar/#ehr_ii) webinar for full details on payment year 2018.

What else can you do now to prepare for 2018 Attestation?

Visit our Website

You can find all of the information below, and more, on our website - www.health.ny.gov/ehr.

Some Information Includes

- Payment Year 2018 Requirements – [Modified Stage 2](#) and [Stage 3](#)
- [Eligible Hospital Requirements](#)
- [Public Health Reporting Objective Information](#)
- [Post-Payment Audit Guidance](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)](#)
- Materials and Information – [Document Repository](#)

Listserv – Have program announcements sent right to your inbox!

The NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program publishes listserv messages each month, and additional messages when there are important changes to the program that will impact eligible providers. In the listserv you will find:

- Updates regarding the NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program Administration
- Attestation system (MEIPASS) announcements and updates
- Attestation dates and deadlines
- Current quarter webinar schedule
- Program requirements
- Links to training resources and tutorials
- CMS final rule releases and programmatic changes

Register

To register for the NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program listserv:

- Send an email to: listserv@listserv.health.state.ny.us
- In the body of the message enter: SUBSCRIBE EHR_INCENTIVE-L Your Name
 - For example: SUBSCRIBE EHR_INCENTIVE-L John Doe

You can also register for the MU Public Health Reporting listserv for information on the Public Health Reporting Objective for the EHR Incentive Program:

- Send an email to listserv@listserv.health.state.ny.us
- In the body of the message enter: SUBSCRIBE PUBLIC_HEALTH-L your name
 - For example: SUBSCRIBE PUBLIC_HEALTH-L Jane Doe

Attend Webinars

The NY Medicaid EHR Incentive Program hosts webinars and we have several sessions over the next couple of months that are focused on preparing for payment year 2018. To sign up for the webinars and additional information, please visit our webinar calendar here: https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/ehr/calendar/.



Questions? We have a dedicated support team ready to assist.
Contact us at 877-646-5410, Option 2 or hit@health.ny.gov.

Provider Directory

Office of the Medicaid Inspector General:

For suspected fraud or abuse complaints/allegations, call 1-877-87FRAUD, (877) 873-7283, or visit www.omig.ny.gov.

Provider Manuals/Companion Guides, Enrollment Information/Forms/Training Schedules:

Please visit the eMedNY website at <https://www.emedny.org/>.

Providers wishing to listen to the current week's check/EFT amounts:

Please call (866) 307-5549 (available Thursday PM for one week for the current week's amount).

Do you have questions about billing and performing MEVS transactions?

Please call the eMedNY Call Center at (800) 343-9000.

Provider Training:

To sign up for a provider seminar in your area, please enroll online at <https://www.emedny.org/training/index.aspx>. For individual training requests, call (800) 343-9000.

Beneficiary Eligibility:

Call the Touchtone Telephone Verification System at (800) 997-1111.

Medicaid Prescriber Education Program:

For current information on best practices in pharmacotherapy, please visit the following websites: http://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/program/prescriber_education/presc-educationprog

<http://nypep.nysdoh.suny.edu/home>

Need to change your address? Does your enrollment file need to be updated because you have experienced a change in ownership? Do you want to enroll another NPI? Did you receive a letter advising you to revalidate your enrollment?

Visit <https://www.emedny.org/info/ProviderEnrollment/index.aspx> and choose the link appropriate for you (e.g., physician, nursing home, dental group, etc.).

Medicaid Electronic Health Record (EHR) Incentive Program questions?

Contact the New York Medicaid EHR Call Center at (877) 646-5410 for assistance.

Comments and Suggestions Regarding This Publication?

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