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### *Resubmission of Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities (IPF) Prospective Payment System (PPS) Claims with Chronic Renal Failure Comorbid Condition*

#### Key Words

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#### Provider Types Affected

Inpatient psychiatric facilities

#### Key Points

- The effective date of the instruction is October 1, 2005.
- The implementation date is April 3, 2006.
- The Inpatient Psychiatric Facility Prospective Payment System (IPF PPS) provides a comorbidity adjustment for certain comorbid conditions.
- Comorbidities are specific patient conditions that are secondary to the patient's primary diagnosis, and that require treatment during the stay.
- The intent of the comorbidity adjustments was to recognize the increased cost associated with comorbid medical conditions by providing additional payments for certain concurrent medical and psychiatric conditions that are expensive to treat.
- The following are the seventeen (17) comorbidity adjustment categories:
  - Developmental Disabilities;
  - Coagulation Factor Deficits;
  - Tracheotomy;
  - Renal Failure, Acute;
  - Renal Failure, Chronic;
  - Oncology Treatment;

- Uncontrolled Diabetes-Mellitus with or without complications;
  - Severe Protein Calorie Malnutrition;
  - Eating and Conduct Disorders;
  - Infectious Disease;
  - Drug and/or Alcohol Induced Mental Disorders;
  - Cardiac Conditions;
  - Gangrene;
  - Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease;
  - Artificial Openings - Digestive and Urinary;
  - Severe Musculoskeletal and Connective Tissue Diseases; and
  - Poisoning.
- Effective October 1, 2005, the International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM) diagnosis code for Chronic Renal Failure (585) has been replaced by the four digit coding numbers listed below:
    - 585.1 Chronic kidney disease, Stage I
    - 585.2 Chronic kidney disease, Stage II (mild)
    - 585.3 Chronic kidney disease, Stage III (moderate)
    - 585.4 Chronic kidney disease, Stage IV (severe)
    - 585.5 Chronic kidney disease, Stage V
    - 585.6 End stage renal disease
    - 585.9 Chronic kidney disease, unspecified
  - IPFs should resubmit their claims after April 1, 2006 (for discharges occurring between October 1, 2005 and March 31, 2006), if the comorbidity adjustment is applicable.
  - FIs will accept resubmissions of IPF claims with ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes 585.1–585.6 and 585.9 after April 1, 2006, so that the Chronic Renal Failure comorbidity adjustment factor of 1.11 can be applied and the claim can be paid appropriately.

### Important Links

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