



## Shipboard Services Billed to the Carrier and Services Not Provided Within the United States – JA6217

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<b>Contractors Affected</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medicare Carriers</li> <li>• Fiscal Intermediaries (FIs)</li> <li>• Part A/B Medicare Administrative Contractors (A/B MACs)</li> </ul>
<b>Provider Types Affected</b>	Physicians, providers and suppliers submitting claims to Medicare FIs, carriers, and/or A/B MACs for services furnished aboard ship to Medicare beneficiaries

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