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Mass Adjustment of 22x & 23x Bill Types Containing Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) G0008, G0009 & G0010 with Dates of Service July 1, 2006, and Greater

Provider Types Affected

Skilled nursing facilities (SNFs) that bill Medicare fiscal intermediaries (FIs) for influenza and Pneumococcal Pneumonia Virus (PPV) vaccines

What you need to know

CR4240, (implemented on July 3, 2006) entitled Guidelines for Payment of Vaccine (Pneumococcal Pneumonia Virus (PPV), Influenza Virus, and Hepatitis B Virus), provided guidelines for Medicare fiscal intermediary (FI) payment for these vaccines and for their administration.

In making this change in Medicare's Fiscal Intermediary Standard System (FISS), the appropriate pricing change needed for HCPCS G0008, G0009 & G0010 (when submitted on 22x & 23x bill types) was omitted.

Therefore, your FIs will be performing a mass adjustment to correct the payment of your claims for these vaccines once the FISS correction is implemented on October 2, 2006. Please note again that the mass adjustment will pertain to 22x & 23x bill types that contain HCPCS G0008, G0009 & G0010 with dates of service between July 1, 2006, and September 30, 2006. You need not take any action to adjust these claims.

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If you have any questions, please contact your FI at their toll-free number, which may be found at <http://www.cms.gov/Research-Statistics-Data-and-Systems/Monitoring-Programs/provider-compliance-interactive-map/index.html> on the CMS website.

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