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Enforcement of the Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP) 20 Hours per Week Billing Requirement

Note: This article was rescinded on August 18, 2017.

Additional Information

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Chapter 6 of the “Medicare Benefit Policy Manual” is available at <https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/Downloads/bp102c06.pdf> on the CMS website.

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Document History

Date of Change	Description
August 18 2017	Article is rescinded.
July 19, 2017	This article was revised on July 19, 2017, to add a reference to MLN Matters Article MM9880 . MM9880 states that CR 9880 implements informational messaging, effective October 1, 2017, that conveys supplemental and educational information to the provider submitting claims for PHP services where the patient did not receive the minimum 20 hours per week of therapeutic services his plan of care indicates is required, on claims with line item date of service (LIDOS) on or after October 1, 2017.
July 7, 2016	Article revised to announce suspension of three new edits that were to be effective on July 1, 2016.
March 31, 2016	Initial issuance.

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