



News Flash – Beginning Jan 1, 2012, suppliers furnishing the technical component of advanced diagnostic imaging services for which payment is made under the physician fee schedule must be accredited by a CMS-designated accreditation organization. In the case where a physician chooses to contract out those services to an accredited mobile unit, the physician must be accredited in order to bill Medicare for such services. For more information regarding advanced diagnostic imaging, please visit <http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/MedicareProviderSupEnroll/index.html> on the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) website.

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Edit to Deny Payment to Physicians and Other Suppliers for the Technical Component (TC) of Pathology Services Furnished on Same Date as Inpatient and Outpatient Services and Implements New Messages

Note: This article was rescinded on February 17, 2011, since related CR 7061 was rescinded. The CR will not be replaced at this time.

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