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Subject: Annual Type of Service (TOS) Update

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: This transmittal is being revised to include the crosswalk of 2008 HCPCS codes to national type of service (TOS) indicators. Some changes have been made to previous existing HCPCS/TOS combinations. Any additional new codes not included in this transmittal will be part of the 2008 HCPCS file and contractors should refer to the 2008 HCPCS file for all new 2008 codes and the applicable TOS.

New / Revised Material

Effective Date: January 1, 2008

Implementation Date: January 7, 2008

Disclaimer for manual changes only: The revision date and transmittal number apply only to red italicized material. Any other material was previously published and remains unchanged. However, if this revision contains a table of contents, you will receive the new/revised information only, and not the entire table of contents.

II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED

R/N/D	CHAPTER/SECTION/SUBSECTION/TITLE
R	26/10.7/Annual Type of Service (TOS) Update

III. FUNDING:

SECTION A: For Fiscal Intermediaries and Carriers:

No additional funding will be provided by CMS; contractor activities are to be carried out within their operating budgets.

SECTION B: For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the contracting officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the contracting officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

Manual Instruction

Recurring Update Notification

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*