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**NOTE: Transmittal 896, dated May 6, 2011, is being rescinded and replaced by Transmittal 912, dated July 14, 2011. This transmittal has been updated to clarify that walkers are in the inexpensive or routinely purchased payment category and the rental period caps for the two payment categories (capped rental and inexpensive or routinely purchased) are calculated differently. All other information remains the same.**

**SUBJECT: Durable Medical Equipment National Competitive Bidding: Correction to Permit Payment for Certain Grandfathered Accessories and Supplies**