



Provider Notice 13-56

Dear Provider,

Effective for dates of service on and after October 1, 2013, the Medicaid Program of the Health Care Authority (agency) is publishing a revised [Physician-Related Services/Health Care Professional Services Medicaid Provider Guide \(MPG\)](#).

Medicaid provider guide changes

- Clarifying the use of CPT codes 99339 and 99340 and requirements for documentation of care plan oversight for complex and multidisciplinary care modalities.
- Changing previous policy on fecal microbiota therapy, based on FDA recommendations.
- Adding policy requirements to fetal fibronectin for clarification.
- Adding instructions about the modifiers to use to unbundle codes for obstetrical care when clients move between managed care and fee for service.
- Adding instructions for modifier use for clients receiving antepartum care.
- Clarifying that fiberglass and plaster casting materials (HCPCS code Q4001-Q4051) is limited to one unit per limb per day.
- Adding billing instructions for outpatient hospital services in hospital-based clinics.

For more details, see the "What Has Changed" table in the [Physician-Related Services/Health Care Professional Services Medicaid Provider Guide](#).

Fee schedule changes

For dates of service on and after October 1, 2013, the physician-related services fee schedule has these changes:

- CPT code 54240, penile plethysmography, is changed from covered to noncovered.
- CPT code 90672, intranasal flu vaccine, is covered for ages 19 to 49.
- The following codes require a medical necessary review through Qualis Health:
 - **Diagnostic facet injection and medial branch injections:** CPT codes 64490, 64491, 64492, 64493, 64494, 64495, 0213T, 0214T, 0215T, 0216T, 0217T, 0218T.

- **Therapeutic epidural injections:** CPT codes 62310, 62311, 62318, 62319, 64479, 64480, 64483, 64484, 0228T, 0229T, 0230T, 0231T.
- **Sacroiliac joint injection:** CPT code 27096.
- For foot care services, an "L" indicator has been added onto the fee schedule for the following codes CPT 28290, 28292, 28293, 28294, 28296, 28297, 28298.

See the Physician-Related/Professional and Emergency Oral Health Care Services' [fee schedule](#).

Thank you.

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