

Provider Notice 13-17

Dear Provider,

Effective for dates of service on and after April 1, 2013, the Medicaid Program of the Health Care Authority (agency) is publishing a revised <u>Ambulatory Surgery Centers Medicaid Provider Guide</u>.

Specific changes to the guide include:

- Clarifying how to bill multiple surgeries performed during the same operative session.
- Adding the taxonomy 261QA1903X for clarification.
- Clarifying that modifier SG is used in an ASC outpatient setting.
- Making housekeeping changes to update cross-references and delete outdated information.

For more details, see the "What Has Changed" table in the Ambulatory Surgery Centers Medicaid Provider Guide.

(Note: The newly automated table of contents in this guide is now "clickable," meaning you can click on a page number to go directly to a section. As an Adobe [.pdf] document, the guide also is easily navigated by using bookmarks on the left side of the document.)

Fee Schedule Changes

Effective for dates of service on and after April 1, 2013, the following CPT® code is changed from noncovered to covered with prior authorization through Qualis Health:

CPT Code	PA	Short Description	Payment Group
29866	CPA	Autgrft implnt knee w/scope	4

To view or download the fee schedule, see the agency's online Ambulatory Surgery Center fee schedule.

Thank you.

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