June 28, 2019

Subject: Adjustment of Erroneously Paid CCS Claims Billed with Modifier GC

Dear Provider:

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) identified a claims processing issue affecting California Children’s Services (CCS) claims billed with CPT codes 99201 – 99489, 99491 – 99496 or 99499 with modifier GC and the CCS rate augmentation. The issue affected claims for dates of service from April 28, 2017, through March 25, 2019.

No action is required on your part. The California Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Fiscal Intermediary, Conduent State Healthcare, LLC, will adjust the affected claims. These adjustments will appear on Remittance Advice Details (RAD) forms beginning June 13, 2019, with RAD code 0883: Retroactive price correction.

If you disagree with any of these adjustments, you may submit a Claims Inquiry Form (CIF) within six months of the new RAD date or you may submit an Appeal Form within 90 days of the new RAD date. For CIF completion instructions, please refer to the CIF Completion and CIF Special Billing Instructions sections in the appropriate Part 2 manual or on the Medi-Cal website (www.medi-cal.ca.gov). For Appeal Form completion instructions, please refer to the Appeal Form Completion section in the appropriate Part 2 manual or on the Medi-Cal website.

If you have questions regarding these adjustments, please call the California MMIS Fiscal Intermediary Telephone Service Center at 1-800-541-5555, option 5, followed by option 6 or write to the California MMIS Fiscal Intermediary Correspondence Specialist Unit at P.O. Box 13029, Sacramento, CA 95813-4029.

Sincerely,

Evonne Pelaez
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Conduent State Healthcare, LLC, on behalf of
California Department of Health Care Services

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