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**Subject: Resubmission of Erroneously Denied Claims for Select HCPCS Codes**

Dear Provider:

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) identified a claims processing issue affecting claims billed for injections with HCPCS codes J9271 (injection, pembrolizumab, 1 mg) and J9299 (injection, nivolumab, 1 mg). This issue caused some claims to erroneously deny with Remittance Advice Details (RAD) code **0010: This service is a duplicate of a previously paid claim**. The issue affected claims for dates of service from January 1, 2016, through December 19, 2019.

No action is required on your part. The California Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Fiscal Intermediary will resubmit the affected claims. These resubmissions will appear on RAD forms beginning July 9, 2020, with Claim Control Number (CCN) roll number **55 (Resubmit)**. The roll number is the fifth and sixth digits of the CCN.

If you disagree with any of these resubmissions, 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](http://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 resubmissions, 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,

*Cindy Garrett*

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DXC Technology, on behalf of  
California Department of Health Care Services

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