



Louisiana Department of Health and Hospitals Health Plan Advisory 13-14 July 31, 2013

Procedure Codes Listed As Crossover Codes Only

The Department published the following message to all Medicaid Providers regarding incorrect claims type indicator displaying of the Hospital Outpatient Fee Schedule. The message will run in the Remittance Advice beginning August 6th for three consecutive weeks.

ATTENTION HOSPITAL PROVIDERS

It has been brought to the Department's attention that the fee schedules for outpatient hospitals had an incorrect indicator displaying. The fee schedules incorrectly indicated that reimbursement for some procedure codes were being limited to crossover claims only. This was an error on the fee schedules that is being fixed. Claim reimbursement was not impacted by this error therefore no recycle/resubmission of claims is needed.

The codes were listed as crossover only in error on the fee schedule, but went unnoticed by the Department as the codes were adjudicating appropriately in claims processing. The Department has updated the fee schedules to reflect the corrections made to the fee schedule, and the updates will appear on the August 2013 fee schedules.

Claims that denied (dating back to February 1, 2012) for procedure codes with the crossover indicator will have to be recycled by the Health Plans in order to reimburse the providers appropriately.