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Extended Home Health Modifiers

The Home Health fee schedule has been updated to include all modifiers available for Extended Home Health services (HCPCS codes S9123 and S9124). Providers should submit any new prior authorization (PA) requests with the appropriate and applicable modifier to the PA department at DXC Technology with documentation supporting the request.

Providers may also submit a reconsideration request for currently approved PAs for Extended Home Health services. For cases currently identified as chronic needs, a PA may be submitted as normal for continuation of services. Providers may later submit a reconsideration request if they wish to apply for any applicable modifiers, along with any supporting documentation.

For any claims previously paid and adjudicated as part of a currently approved PA, providers should submit an adjustment, including the newly approved modifier(s) for reevaluation.

Information regarding the available modifiers, criteria and documentation required for PA requests can be found at www.lamedicaid.com under the Provider Manuals link within the *Home Health* manual chapter. The updated Home Health fee schedule, including current reimbursement rates, can be found at www.lamedicaid.com under the Fee Schedules link.

Questions regarding this message and fee for service claims should be directed to DXC Technology Provider Relations at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040. Questions regarding managed care claims should be directed to the appropriate managed care organization.