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Proprietary Laboratory Analyses Changes

Effective May 1, 2024, Louisiana Medicaid coverage of the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) Proprietary Laboratory Analyses codes 0202U, 0223U, 0224U, 0225U, 0226U, 0240U and 0241U will be limited solely to services performed in a (UB-04) facility, observation and/or inpatient setting. These procedure codes are no longer covered in an outpatient setting as such they have been removed from the Laboratory and Radiology Fee Schedule.

Each managed care organization (MCO) must update their system to reflect the changes above within 30 days of this notification (Section 2.18.9.5 of the contract). MCOs shall also notify providers of their process and timeline for implementing the fee schedule updates.

Questions regarding this message and fee-for-service claims are to be directed to Gainwell Technologies at (800) 473-2783 or (225) 924-5040.

Questions regarding managed care claims should be directed to the appropriate MCO.