

MEDICAID POLICY INFORMATION SHEET

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Initial

Public Comment

Final

Brief description of policy:

In response to PA 67 of 2019, Section 1803, this bulletin removes from the nursing facility per diem the payment for transportation services provided by an enrolled portable x-ray supplier. Claims for services will be submitted directly to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) and processed.

Reason for policy (problem being addressed):

To implement a change in the claim payment to portable x-ray suppliers for transportation services to Medicaid beneficiaries residing in a nursing facility.

Budget implication:

budget neutral

will cost MDHHS \$ less than \$50,000, and is not budgeted in current appropriation

will save MDHHS \$

Is this policy change mandated per federal requirements?

No

Does policy have operational implications on other parts of MDHHS?

No

Does policy have operational implications on other departments?

No

Summary of input:

controversial

acceptable to most/all groups

limited public interest/comment

Supporting Documentation:

State Plan Amendment Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Public Notice Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, please provide status:	If yes, Submission Date:
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Comments Due: September 1, 2020
Proposed Effective Date: As Indicated
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<p>Policy Subject: Update on Payment for Transportation Services by Portable X-ray Suppliers for Beneficiaries Residing in a Medicaid Nursing Facility</p> <p>Affected Programs: Medicaid, Healthy Michigan Plan, Maternity Outpatient Medical Services (MOMS)</p> <p>Distribution: Portable X-ray Suppliers, Nursing Facilities</p> <p>Summary: In response to PA 67 of 2019, Section 1803, this bulletin removes from the nursing facility per diem the payment for transportation services provided by an enrolled portable x-ray supplier. Claims for services will be submitted directly to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) and processed.</p> <p>Purpose: To implement a change in the claim payment to portable x-ray suppliers for transportation services to Medicaid beneficiaries residing in a nursing facility.</p> <p>Cost Implications: Less than \$50,000</p> <p>Potential Hearings & Appeal Issues: No</p>

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Proposed Policy Draft

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
Medical Services Administration

Distribution: Portable X-ray Suppliers, Nursing Facilities

Issued: October 1, 2020 (Proposed)

Subject: Update on Payment for Transportation Services by Portable X-ray Suppliers for Beneficiaries Residing in a Medicaid Nursing Facility

Effective: As Indicated (Proposed)

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This bulletin is issued in response to Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) Fiscal Year budget appropriations in Public Act 67 of 2019. Section 1803 of the Act directs MDHHS to allow direct billing and reimbursement for transportation charges for portable x-ray services for Medicaid beneficiaries residing in a nursing facility. Effective for dates of service on and after October 1, 2019, claims from an MDHHS-enrolled portable x-ray supplier for covered diagnostic radiology transportation services will be excluded from the MDHHS nursing facility per diem and paid through a Medicaid fee screen.

For beneficiaries with other insurance, claim payments will follow MDHHS third party liability processing rules. For beneficiaries enrolled in a Medicaid Health Plan or with secondary commercial insurance, providers must contact the insurer for claim processing and payment information. Dual-eligible Medicare and Medicaid beneficiary claims will process as a Medicare cross-over claim.

Note: For dual-eligible beneficiaries, during a Medicare Part A covered Skilled Nursing Facility stay, the transportation and set up costs will follow Medicare consolidated billing policy and are not separately billable to Medicare Part B or MDHHS.

Codes for portable x-ray services are based upon the limits and rates associated with the MDHHS physician professional services fee schedule. Rates and codes are reviewed quarterly and updated if there are changes. Covered codes and rates can be found at www.michigan.gov/medicaidproviders >> Billing & Reimbursement >> Provider Specific Information >> Portable X-ray Suppliers.