

CMS Manual System	Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS)
Pub 100-04 Medicare Claims Processing	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
Transmittal 11760	Date: December 21, 2022
	Change Request 13005

SUBJECT: Manual Update to Pub. 100-04, Chapter 20, Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training, Section 110.3

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: The purpose of this change request is to add a note to manual section 110.3 - Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training, Chapter 20 - Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS).

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 21, 2023

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: March 21, 2023

Disclaimer for manual changes only: The revision date and transmittal number apply only to red italicized material. Any other material was previously published and remains unchanged. However, if this revision contains a table of contents, you will receive the new/revised information only, and not the entire table of contents.

II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-Only One Per Row.

R/N/D	CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE
R	20/110.3/Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training

III. FUNDING:

For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

Business Requirements

Manual Instruction

Attachment - Business Requirements

Pub. 100-04	Transmittal: 11760	Date: December 21, 2022	Change Request: 13005
-------------	--------------------	-------------------------	-----------------------

SUBJECT: Manual Update to Pub. 100-04, Chapter 20, Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training, Section 110.3

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 21, 2023

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: March 21, 2023

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

A. Background: CMS is making an update to add a note to the section. The purpose of this change request is to add a note to manual section 110.3 - Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training, Chapter 20 - Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS).

B. Policy: No change in existing policy.

II. BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS TABLE

"Shall" denotes a mandatory requirement, and "should" denotes an optional requirement.

Number	Requirement	Responsibility									
		A/B MAC			DMEPOS	Shared-System Maintainers				Other	
		A	B	H		F	M	V	C		
13005.1	Contractors shall be in compliance with the update to CMS Internet Only Manual (IOM) Publication 100-04, Chapter 20 - Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training, Section 110.3.	X	X	X	X						

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility					
		A/B MAC			DMEPOS	CEDI	
		A	B	H			
13005.2	Medicare Learning Network® (MLN): CMS will market provider education content through the MLN Connects® newsletter shortly after CMS releases the CR. MACs shall follow IOM Pub. No. 100-09 Chapter 6, Section 50.2.4.1 instructions for distributing the MLN Connects newsletter information to providers and link to relevant information on your website. You may	X	X	X	X		

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D	C
		A	B	H H H	M A C	E D I
	supplement MLN content with your local information after we release the MLN Connects newsletter. Subscribe to the “MLN Connects” listserv to get MLN content notifications. You don’t need to separately track and report MLN content releases when you distribute MLN Connects newsletter content per the manual section referenced above.					

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A

"Should" denotes a recommendation.

X-Ref Requirement Number	Recommendations or other supporting information:

Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A

V. CONTACTS

Pre-Implementation Contact(s): Bobbett Plummer, 410-786-3321 or bobbett.plummer@cms.hhs.gov

Post-Implementation Contact(s): Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).

VI. FUNDING

Section A: For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

ATTACHMENTS: 0

Medicare Claims Processing Manual

Chapter 20 - Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS)

Table of Contents
(Rev.11760, Issued:12-21-2022)

110.3 - Pre-Discharge Delivery of DMEPOS for Fitting and Training *(Rev.11760, Issued:12-21-2022, Effective:03-21-2023, Implementation:03-21-2023)*

The following are CMS policy and billing procedures regarding the circumstances under which a supplier may deliver durable medical equipment, prosthetics, and orthotics - but not supplies - to a beneficiary who is in an inpatient facility that does not qualify as the beneficiary's home.

NOTE: This pre-discharge delivery instruction does not apply to customized prosthetics that are excluded from Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNF) Consolidated Billing (CB). Customized prosthetics that are excluded from the SNF CB rule may be billed separately during the skilled nursing stay.