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SUBJECT: April 2023 Quarterly Update to HCPCS Codes Used for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Consolidated Billing (CB) Enforcement

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: The purpose of this CR is to provide updates to the lists of HCPCS codes that are subject to the consolidated billing provision of the SNF Prospective Payment System (PPS).

Changes to Current Procedural Terminology/Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (CPT/HCPCS) codes and Medicare Physician Fee Schedule designations will be used to revise CWF edits to allow MACs to make appropriate payments in accordance with policy for SNF consolidated billing in chapter 6, section 20.6.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2023

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

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 3, 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
N/A	N/A

III. FUNDING:

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IV. ATTACHMENTS:

Recurring Update Notification

Attachment - Recurring Update Notification

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

A. Background: The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) periodically updates the lists of Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes that are **excluded** from the CB provision of the SNF Prospective Payment System (PPS). Services **excluded** from SNF PPS and CB may be paid to providers, other than SNFs, for beneficiaries, even when in a SNF stay. Services not appearing on the **exclusion** lists submitted on claims to Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs), including Durable Medical Equipment MACs (DME MACs), will not be paid by Medicare to any providers other than a SNF. For non-therapy services, SNF CB applies only when the services are furnished to a SNF resident during a covered Part A stay; however, SNF CB applies to physical and occupational therapies and speech-language pathology services whenever they are furnished to a SNF resident, regardless of whether Part A covers the stay. In order to assure proper payment in all settings, Medicare systems must edit for services provided to SNF beneficiaries both included and excluded from SNF CB.

The updated lists for institutional and professional billing are available at:

<http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Billing/SNFConsolidatedBilling/index.html?redirect=/SNFConsolidatedBilling/>

This quarterly update includes revisions to the Part B SNF CB files for 2018 – 2023, which in part, attempts to reconcile the Part A SNF CB file and the Part B SNF CB files, includes revisions due to policy determinations, and codes that may have been erroneously omitted from the files. The changes are as follows:

File 1 Revisions - Additions

Addition of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) vaccines and appropriate administration codes to File 1 for 2023. The following codes were effective December 8, 2022 and implemented via technical direction:

91316

91317

0164A

0173A

The following codes for blood clotting factors were effective October 1, 2021 and implemented with October 2021 quarterly update. The codes were not added to the Part B SNF CB files for 2022 and 2023. The following HCPCS codes shall be added to the Part B SNF CB File #1 for 2022 and 2023:

J7170 INJ., EMICIZUMAB-KXWH 0.5 MG
J7175 INJ, FACTOR X, (HUMAN), 1IU
J7179 VONVENDI INJ 1 IU VWF:RCO
J7180 FACTOR XIII ANTI-HEM FACTOR
J7181 FACTOR XIII RECOMB A-SUBUNIT
J7182 FACTOR VIII RECOMB NOVOEIGHT
J7183 WILATE INJECTION
J7185 XYNTHA INJ
J7186 ANTIHEMOPHILIC VIII/VWF COMP
J7187 HUMATE-P, INJ
J7188 FACTOR VIII RECOMB OBIZUR
J7189 FACTOR VIIA RECOMB NOVOSEVEN
J7190 FACTOR VIII
J7191 FACTOR VIII (PORCINE)
J7192 FACTOR VIII RECOMBINANT NOS
J7193 FACTOR IX NON-RECOMBINANT
J7194 FACTOR IX COMPLEX
J7195 FACTOR IX RECOMBINANT NOS
J7196 ANTITHROMBIN RECOMBINANT
J7197 ANTITHROMBIN III INJECTION
J7198 ANTI-INHIBITOR
J7199 HEMOPHILIA CLOT FACTOR NOC
J7200 FACTOR IX RECOMBINAN RIXUBIS
J7201 FACTOR IX ALPROLIX RECOMB
J7202 FACTOR IX IDELVION INJ
J7203 FACTOR IX RECOMB GLY REBINYN
J7204 INJ.,FACTOR VIII, ANTIHEMOPHILIC FACTOR (RECOMBINANT), (ESPEROCT),
GLYCOPEGYLATED-EXEI,
J7205 FACTOR VIII FC FUSION RECOMB
J7207 FACTOR VIII PEGYLATED RECOMB
J7209 FACTOR VIII NUWIQ RECOMB 1IU
J7210 INJ, AFSTYLA, 1 I.U.
J7211 INJ, KOVALTRY, 1 I.U.
J7212 FACTOR VIIA RECOMB SEVENFACT

J7204 INJ.,FACTOR VIII, ANTIHEMOPHILIC FACTOR (RECOMBINANT), (ESPEROCT),
GLYCOPEGYLATED-EXEI

The following codes for blood clotting factors were effective July 1, 2021 and implemented with October 2021 quarterly update. The code was not added to the Part B SNF CB files for 2022 and 2023. The following HCPCS code shall be added to the Part B SNF CB File #1 for 2021 - 2023:

Q5123 INJECTION, RITUXIMAB-ARRX, BIOSIMILAR, (RIABNI), 10 MG

The following HCPCS codes were effective January 9, 2023. The following HCPCS codes shall be added to the Part B SNF File #1 for 2023:

J0892 ARGATROBAN DIALYSIS (ACCORD)

J0899 ARGATROBAN DIALYSIS, AUROMED

The following HCPCS codes were effective January 1, 2023. The HCPCS codes shall be added to processing File #1 for 2023

M1187 PT W/ ESRD

J0893 INJ, DECITABINE (SUN PHARMA)

J9046 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, DR. REDDY'S

J9048 INJ, BORTEZOMIB FRESENIUSKAB

J9049 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, HOSPIRA

J9393 INJ, FULVESTRANT (TEVA)

J9394 INJ, FULVESTRANT (FRESENIUS)

Q5126 INJ ALYMSYS 10 MG

J0893 INJ, DECITABINE (SUN PHARMA)

J0891 ARGATROBAN NONESRD (ACCORD)

J0898 ARGATROBAN NONESRD (AUROMED)

The following HCPCS code became effective April 1, 2022. The HCPCS code shall be added to processing File #1 for 2022:

J0879 INJECTION, DIFELIKEFALIN, 0.1 MICROGRAM, (FOR ESRD ON DIALYSIS)

The following HCPCS code became effective July 1, 2019. The HCPCS code shall be added to processing File #1 for 2019 - 2023:

J1444 FE PYRO CIT POW 0.1 MG IRON

File 1 - DELETIONS

The following HCPCS codes shall be removed from File #1 effective January 1, 2023

C9142 INJ, ALYMSYS, 10 MG

J9044 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, NOS, 0.1 MG

The Part A file updates are:

ADD EFFECTIVE DATE IS January 1, 2023, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

Major Category III. A. -Chemotherapy

J0893 INJ, DECITABINE (SUN PHARMA)

J9046 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, DR. REDDY'S

J9048 INJ, BORTEZOMIB FRESENIUSKAB

J9049 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, HOSPIRA

J9393 INJ, FULVESTRANT (TEVA)

J9394 INJ, FULVESTRANT (FRESENIUS)

Q5126 INJ ALYMSYS 10 MG

Major Category III. E. - E. Certain blood clotting factors indicated for the treatment of hemophilia and other bleeding disorders

J0891 ARGATROBAN NONESRD (ACCORD)

J0898 ARGATROBAN NONESRD (AUROMED)

Major Category IV. B. - Vaccines (Pneumococcal, Flu, Hepatitis B, or Covid-19)

91307 SARSCOV2 VAC 10 MCG TRS-SUCR Effective October 29, 2021

91308 SARSCOV2 VAC 3MCG TRS-SUCR Effective June 17, 2022

91309 SARSCOV2 VAC 50MCG/0.5ML IM Effective March 29, 2022

91316 SARSCOV2 VAC BVL 10MCG/0.2ML Effective: December 8, 2022

91317 SARSCOV2 VAC BVL 3MCG/0.2ML Effective : December 8, 2022

Major Category IV. C. - Vaccine Administration

0034A ADM SARSCOV2 VAC AD26 .5ML B Effective: October 20,2021

0044A ADM SARSCOV2 5MCG/0.5ML BST Effective: October 19, 2021

0071A ADM SARSCV2 10MCG TRS-SUCR 1 Effective: October 29, 2021

0072A ADM SARSCV2 10MCG TRS-SUCR 2 Effective: October 29, 2021

0073A ADM SARSCV2 10MCG TRS-SUCR 3 Effective: January 3, 2022

0074A ADM SARSCV2 10MCG TRS-SUCR B Effective: May 17, 2022

0081A ADM SARSCOV2 3MCG TRS-SUCR 1 Effective: June 17, 2022

0082A ADM SARSCOV2 3MCG TRS-SUCR 1 Effective: June 17, 2022

0083A ADM SARSCOV2 3MCG TRS-SUCR 2 Effective: June 17, 2022

Number	Requirement	Responsibility								Other
		A/B MAC		H H H	D M E M A C	Shared- System Maintainers				
		A	B			F I S S	M C S	V M S	C W F	
	J0893 INJ, DECITABINE (SUN PHARMA) J9046 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, DR. REDDY'S J9048 INJ, BORTEZOMIB FRESENIUSKAB J9049 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, HOSPIRA J9393 INJ, FULVESTRANT (TEVA) J9394 INJ, FULVESTRANT (FRESENIUS) Q5126 INJ ALYMSYS 10 MG									
13089.21	CWF shall remove the following HCPCS from The Part A File effective January 1, 2023: Major Category III. A. -Chemotherapy C9142 INJ, ALYMSYS, 10 MG J9044 INJ, BORTEZOMIB, NOS, 0.1 MG								X	
13089.22	Contractors shall not search their files for incorrectly paid claims for HCPCS codes listed in business requirements 13089.1 – 13089.22. However, they shall reopen and reprocess claims when brought to their attention.	X	X							

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D M E M A C	C E D I
		A	B	H H H		
13089.23	Medicare Learning Network® (MLN): CMS will market provider education	X	X			

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D M E	C E D I
		A	B	H H H	M A C	
	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 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

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

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