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Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) Policy Transmittal: 2023-05

Applicable to the following benefits in the **2018-2024 SMMC contract**:

- Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) and MMA Specialty
- Long-term Care (LTC)
- Dental

Re: Updated MMA Physician Incentive Program (MPIP) Requirements Year 7 Effective January 1, 2023

Pursuant to §. 409.967(2)(a), F.S., and as specified by the Agency, MMA plans must implement an incentive program wherein payment rates for eligible physicians must equal or exceed Medicare rates for services provided. The Agency fulfilled this requirement through the implementation of the MMA Physician Incentive Program (MPIP). (Attachment II, Exhibit II-A, Section VIII.E.1.) The purpose of this policy transmittal is to notify the managed care plan about updated requirements to the MPIP Year 7 parameters.

The Medicaid fee schedule includes Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) pediatric Evaluation and Management (E/M) codes that are not listed on the Medicare fee schedule. For the purpose of reimbursing MPIP-qualified providers for the pediatric E/M codes included in the MPIP, but not listed in the Medicare fee schedule. The managed care plan must use the rates included in the list of Children's Primary Care Codes, as provided in the attachment to this policy transmittal, as the 2023 Medicare rates for services provided January 1, 2023, and later.

CPT revisions to the E/M codes, effective January 1, 2023, included the deletion of the following CPT codes, which are no longer included in the MPIP E/M Procedure Codes Medicare rates file:

- 99241
- 99251
- 99339
- 99340

The managed care plan must program its billing systems to make these payments beginning no later than **(August 08, 2023** – 60 days from the release of the PT) and reprocess MPIP-qualified provider claims paid prior to the pricing updates of its billing systems by **(September 08, 2023** – 90 days from the release of the PT).

If you have any questions, please contact your contract manager.



Sincerely,

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Attachment 1: 2023 MPIP EM Procedure Codes Medicare Rates