



June 19, 2008

Dear Injection Provider,

Subject: Price Adjustment

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) has revised the reimbursement rates for injection codes Q4082 – Q4086, that became benefits effective August 1, 2007. Although some rates have decreased, the majority of the adjustments are increases. The system rates were updated on January 28, 2008.

No action is required on your part. EDS is reprocessing the affected claims. Adjustments of previously paid claims will appear on *Remittance Advice Details* (RADs) beginning June 12, 2008, with RAD code **883: Retroactive price correction**. Resubmits of claims previously suppressed (for zero price) will appear on RADs beginning June 19, 2008, with CCN prefix **815288**.

The recoveries are authorized under the provisions of *Welfare and Institutions Code* (W&I Code), Sections 14176 and 14177, and *California Code of Regulations* (CCR), Title 22, Section 51458.1(a)(1). In addition, the W&I Code sections authorize DHCS to enter into repayment agreements with providers or offset overpayments against amounts due. If the total warrant amount is not sufficient to offset the recovery, the negative balance will be converted to an accounts receivable transaction and subtracted from future Medi-Cal reimbursements. No provider is anticipated to see a recovery exceeding \$1,400.

If you disagree with any of these resubmits or adjustments, you may submit a *Claims Inquiry Form* (CIF) within six months of the new RAD date. For CIF completion instructions, please refer to the *CIF Completion* and *CIF Special Billing Instructions* sections in the appropriate Part 2 manual or on the Medi-Cal Web site ([www.medi-cal.ca.gov](http://www.medi-cal.ca.gov)).

If you have questions, please call the Telephone Service Center (TSC) at 1-800-541-5555, option 11 then option 18.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Nona Carpenter".

Nona Carpenter  
Provider Relations Director

Reference Number: P8767

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