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Well Check and Sick Visits Policy Changes



Agenda

- Policy Changes Overview
- Policy Changes – Next steps
- Key Terms



Overview

- DHCFP is proposing updates to the policy under the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) program, Medicaid Services Manual (MSM) 1503.3A.3.
- The proposed change is to allow for Medicaid to pay for a recipient's sick visit on the same Date Of Service (DOS) as a well check visit from the same provider.



Overview cont..

- The proposed policy change is supported by the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and allowed by American Medical Association (AMA) Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) guidelines.



Next steps

- Present policy proposal of the MSM 1503.3A.3.
- Gather feedback after policy proposals of MSM 1503.3A.3 from recipients, providers and stakeholders.
- Make the necessary revisions to MSM 1503.3A.3 with the feedback received and present changes at Public Hearing.



Next steps cont..

- MMIS system changes to establish a new modifier for providers to be able to bill for a well check and sick visit on the same DOS for the same recipient and from the same provider.



Acronyms

EPSDT: Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment

DOS: Date Of Service

MSM: Medicaid Services Manual

AAP: American Academy of Pediatrics

AMA: American Medical Association

CPT: Current Procedural Terminology



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