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TO: Hospitals - **For Action**
HMOs - **For Information Action**

SUBJECT: Updates to the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS)

EFFECTIVE: (1) Additions Effective for Claims with Dates of Service on or after January 1, 2003
(2) Deletions Effective for Claims with Dates of Service on or after May 1, 2003

PURPOSE: To notify hospitals of additions and deletions to the 2003 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS).

ACTION: For claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2003, the New Jersey Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services (DMAHS) has added new HCPCS procedure codes and their applicable maximum fee allowances to the Hospital Manual. These procedure codes reflect covered pathology/laboratory services and maximum fee allowances under the New Jersey Medicaid and NJ FamilyCare Programs. Providers should use these HCPCS procedure codes when submitting claims for processing.

In addition, the Division is deleting certain HCPCS procedure codes for pathology/laboratory services for claims with service dates on or after May 1, 2003.

Attachments to this Newsletter include:

Additions/deletions to N.J.A.C. 10:52-10.2, HCPCS procedure codes and maximum fee allowances.

If there are any questions regarding this Newsletter, please contact the Office of Utilization Management at (609) 588-4610.

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10:52-10.2 HCPCS procedure codes and maximum fee allowances

Additions effective for claims with dates of service on or after January 1, 2003

<u>IND</u>	<u>HCPCS CODE</u>	<u>MOD</u>	<u>MAXIMUM FEE ALLOWANCE</u>	
			<u>TOTAL FEE</u>	<u>\$</u> <u>PROF. COMP.</u>
	83880		37.80	
	84302		3.90	
	85004		7.20	
	85032		3.00	
	85049		5.00	
	85380		5.00	
	87255		30.00	
	87267		10.00	
	87271		10.00	
	88174		23.50	
	88175		28.50	
	89055		4.76	

Deletions effective for claims with dates of service on or after May 1, 2003

<u>CODES DELETED</u>	<u>TO REPORT, USE CODE</u>
80090	See code for specific tests (86664, 86694, 86762, 86777)
85021	No crosswalk
85022	No crosswalk
85023	85007 or 85027
85024	85025
85031	85014, 85018 or 85032
85585	85008.
85590	85032
85595	85049
86915	
87198	87271
87199	87267
88144	No crosswalk
88145	No crosswalk