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TO: Psychologists – **For Action**
 Health Maintenance Organizations - For Information Only

SUBJECT: Updates to the Local Procedure and Modifier Codes

EFFECTIVE: **Effective for claims with dates of service on or after April 1, 2004**

PURPOSE: To notify providers of **deletions of certain local procedure and modifier codes** for Medicaid and NJ FamilyCare fee-for-service covered services.

ACTION: Effective for claims with dates of service **on or after April 1, 2004**, the Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services will no longer accept certain New Jersey local procedure and modifier codes. Where there is “NO REPLACEMENT CODE” indicated, the local code has been deleted in its entirety.

CODES DELETED

TO REPORT, USE CODE

W9847	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9848	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9848 AV	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9849	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9849 AV	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9853	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9853 AV	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9854	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9854 AV	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9857	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
W9857 AV	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
Z1100	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
Z1105	NO REPLACEMENT CODE
Z1110	NO REPLACEMENT CODE

NOTE: The national procedure and modifier codes narratives can be found in the CPT (Physicians’ Current Procedural Terminology) book or the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (Medicare Codes) book.

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