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TO: Physicians
For Information Only: Health Maintenance Organizations

SUBJECT: **Updates to the 1996 HCFA Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS)**

EFFECTIVE: Claims with service dates on or after January 1, 1996

PURPOSE: To notify Medicaid providers of additions and changes to the 1996 HCFA Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS), as described in the Medicaid Newsletter, Volume 7, No. 6, dated February 1997.

ACTION: 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 Physician Services Manual. For certain HCPCS procedure codes, changes to their descriptions and/or maximum fee allowances are described in the attachments to the Newsletter. These procedure codes reflect those physician services and maximum fee allowances which are reimbursable to physicians and physician groups by the New Jersey Medicaid program.

Attachments to this Newsletter include:

- Additions/changes to N.J.A.C. 10:54-9.4, HCPCS procedure codes and maximum fee schedule for medicine;
- Additions/changes to N.J.A.C. 10:54-9.5, HCPCS procedure codes and maximum fee schedule for surgery; and
- Additions/changes to N.J.A.C. 10:54-9.6, HCPCS procedure codes and maximum fee schedule for radiology/ultrasound.

Please **add** these attachments to Subchapter 9 (REV. 9/96) in your Physician Services Manual (N.J.A.C. 10:54).

If there are any questions regarding this Newsletter, please contact the Office of Health Services Administration, at (609) 588-2724.

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10:54-9.4 HCPCS Procedure Codes and Maximum Fee Schedule for Medicine

1996 Additions

<u>HCPCS Code</u>	<u>Follow Up Days</u>	<u>Specialist</u>	<u>Non-Specialist</u>	<u>Anes. Basic Units</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
93320 TC		\$ 10.00	N/A		1/1/96
93321 26		\$ 6.00	N/A		1/1/96
93321 TC		\$ 10.00	N/A		1/1/96
93350		No Change	\$105.00	7	1/1/96
93350 TC		\$ 46.00	N/A		1/1/96
93350 26		\$ 69.00	\$ 59.00		1/1/96
93732				3	1/1/96
93735				3	1/1/96

10:54-9.5 HCPCS Procedure Codes and Maximum Fee Schedule for Surgery

1996 Additions

<u>HCPCS Code</u>	<u>Follow Up Days</u>	<u>Specialist</u>	<u>Non-Specialist</u>	<u>Anes. Basic Units</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
20100	90	\$152.00	\$129.00	5	1/1/96
20101	90	\$ 47.25	\$ 40.00	6	1/1/96
20102	90	\$ 60.00	\$ 51.00	7	1/1/96
20103	90	\$ 79.00	\$ 67.00	5	1/1/96
22632	90	\$202.00	\$172.00	8	1/1/96
62368	0	\$ 38.00	\$ 32.00	0	1/1/96
63690	0	\$ 17.00	\$ 14.00	8	1/1/96
63691	0	\$ 25.00	\$ 21.00	8	1/1/96

**10:54-9.6 HCPCS Procedure Codes and Maximum Fee Schedule for
Radiology/Ultrasound**

1996 Additions

<u>HCPCS Code</u>	<u>Maximum Fee Allowance Total Fee</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
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1996 Additions

77295	\$632.00	1/1/96
77295 26	\$133.00	1/1/96
77295 TC	\$499.00	1/1/96
78890	\$ 39.00	1/1/96
78890 26	\$ 10.00	1/1/96
78890 TC	\$ 29.00	1/1/96
78891	\$ 78.00	1/1/96
78891 26	\$ 60.00	1/1/96
78891 TC	\$ 18.00	1/1/96