Medicaid Provider Manual CPT Code Removal

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What?

- Current procedural terminology (CPT) codes to be removed from the Medicaid Provider Manual
 - All CPT codes listed in the manual will be removed
 - Information key will be added to the website stating which providers can bill with which CPT codes
 - Codes will be replaced temporarily reference covering:
 - Where to find a listing of allowable codes
 - Where to find explanations of the allowable codes

When?

- Bulletin release:
 - September 1, 2017
- Effective date:
 - October 1, 2017

Why?

- Timing
 - New codes come out in November to take effect in January
 - Provider manual updates must be added in October for the January update
- Updates
 - Policy manual requires promulgation to update
 - Database can be updated quickly

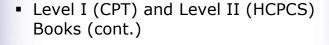
Where?

- Level I (CPT) and Level II (HCPCS) Books
 - Full description
- SBS Database
 - Short description and modifiers
- Medicaid Rate and Reference Tool
 - Specific details including descriptions, modifiers, age range etc.

Level I (CPT) and Level II (HCPCS) Books

- CPT

- Codes are numeric
- Services and procedures performed on patients (students)
- Use the index (in back) to look up the main term
- Look up the procedure code in the tabular listing
- Semicolon
 - Code with indention will include prior code description up to the semicolon
- Pay close attention to symbols, notes, excludes, etc.



- CPT Example
- Pure tone audiometry using air and bone
 - Audiometry
 - Pure Tone......92552-92553
 - Automated...... 0208T-0209T
- 92552 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air only
- 92553 air and bone

 Level I (CPT) and Level II (HCPCS) Books (cont.)

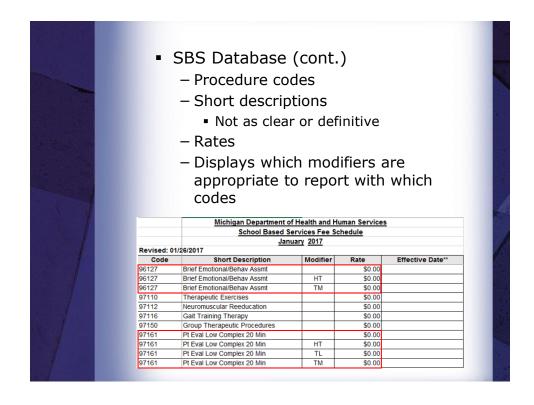
- HCPCS

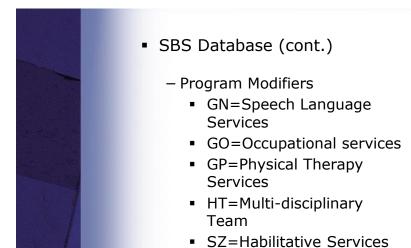
- Codes are alphanumeric
- Non-physician services, items and supplies.
- Use the index (in front) to look up the main term
- Look up the procedure code in the tabular listing
- Full description per code
- Pay close attention to symbols, notes, excludes, etc.

- Level I (CPT) and Level II (HCPCS) Books (cont.)
 - HCPCS Example
- Miscellaneous Vision Service
 - Vision service, V2020–V2799
 - miscellaneous, V2700-V2799
- V2700- Other vision services V2797
- V2799 Vision item or service, miscellaneous

- Level I (CPT) and Level II (HCPCS) Books (cont.)
 - Medicaid Manual
 - 92555 Speech audiometry threshold
 - 92556 Speech audiometry threshold; with speech recognition
 - CPT Book
 - **92555** Speech audiometry threshold;
 - **92556** with speech recognition
 - Medicaid Manual and HCPCS Book
 - **T1002** RN services, up to 15 minutes
 - T1003 LPN/LVN services, up to 15 minutes







Education ProgramTL=Early Intervention IFSP

TM=Individualized

Medicaid Rate and Reference Tool
Online code inquiry system
Provides real-time information
Displays additional pertinent coverage parameters
External link within CHAMPS

