DATE: March 21, 2018

TO: Providers

FROM: CalOptima Provider Network Management

SUBJECT: Procedure Code Updates

Based on the Medi-Cal bulletins, CalOptima has updated the procedure codes for the subjects listed below:

- Provider Manuals Updated to Reflect New Medicare Beneficiary Identifier Standards
- Daily Management of Epidural Opioid Administration Policy Update
- New Sequence Analysis for Molecular Pathology Procedures
- New Molecular Pathology Benefit: Testing Retinal Pigment Protein 65kDa
- Medical Justification Needed for Limit Override for Nerve Pedicle Transfer
- Additional In Situ Hybridization Surgical Pathology Benefit
- 2017–2018 Hospital Administrative Day Rates Established
- Rates Corrected for Knee Orthosis Codes


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