

Automated Medical Payments

Medicaid Bulletin

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Edit disposition changes

The State and the fiscal agent are reviewing and verifying all edits that affect Medicaid claims during claims processing. Some edits are currently inactive and after review may be changed to active.

Edit 0423

Edit 0423, 'Rendering provider not in billing group', was an inactive edit. In early August 2001, the decision was made to activate this edit. The result was that the claims processing system either rejected or denied claims where the rendering provider was different from the billing provider and the rendering provider was not affiliated with the billing provider in the provider file. Research by the fiscal agent showed that many billing providers have not maintained current affiliation information with the Medicaid Program.

On August 9, 2001, the fiscal agent set edit 0423 to pay any claims that meet the above conditions. Any claims that were denied or rejected as a result of this edit, have been reprocessed by the fiscal agent. Providers do not have to resubmit claims that denied or rejected for edit 0423.

Billing providers must submit a current list of affiliated providers to the fiscal agent by October 15, 2001. On November 1, 2001, the edit will be activated. Remember that billing providers are required to notify the fiscal agent any time a rendering provider either joins or leaves the group.

Future provider bulletins will describe edit changes that may affect claims processing.

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