



## CMS Code Changes

### Purpose of this communication:

- The purpose of this communication is to notify providers of changes to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) and Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS), and how these changes may impact provider billing, fee schedules, and existing authorizations.

### What do I need to know?

- On April 1, 2018, CareCentrix will implement the CMS CPT and HCPCS procedure code additions, deletions and revisions. Please note that codes that are deleted will not be accepted for payment for dates of service on or after April 1, 2018.
- To read more about the recent CMS code changes and to see a comprehensive list of code description changes, please visit:  
<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coding/HCPCSReleaseCodeSets/Alpha-Numeric-HCPCS.html>

### Impacted codes include the following:

NEW HCPC CODES					
Diabetic Disposables					
HCPC	Mod 1	Mod 2	Description	SVC Code	UOM
K0903	NU	-	DIAB, MULT DEN INST, DIR CARV/CAM, CUSTOM MLD FT, INCL FILL, EA	<i>To be determined</i>	PUR
Medications					
HCPC	Mod 1	Mod 2	Description	SVC Code	UOM
Q5104	-	-	INFLIXIMAB BIOSIMILAR (RENFLEXIS), 10 MG	<i>To be determined</i>	EA

HCPC CODE CHANGES						
Medications						
Existing HCPC	Existing Mod 1	Existing Mod 2	Description	New HCPC	New Mod 1	New Mod 2
Q5102	-	-	INFLIXIMAB BIOSIMILAR (INFLECTRA), 10 MG	Q5103	-	-

HCPC DESCRIPTION CHANGES				
Medications				
HCPC	Mod 1	Mod 2	Existing Description	New Description
Q5101	-	-	FILGRASTIM (G-CSF) ZARXIO, 1 MCG	FILGRASTIM (ZARXIO), 1 MCG

### **Is there anything else I need to know?**

- The provider EDI crosswalk on our Provider Portal: HomeBridge<sup>SM</sup> has been updated to reflect the code changes and replacement codes to be billed. Additionally, providers impacted by these code changes in their existing contract will receive an amendment reflecting these code changes. If you did not receive an amendment or wish to add any of the above listed codes to your contract, please contact your dedicated Network Management Representative.
- Submission of the removed or discontinued codes with dates of service on or after 4/1/2018 or the submission of the new codes with dates of service before 4/1/2018 may result in a denial or rejection.
- Providers attempting to submit an authorization on the Provider Portal: HomeBridge<sup>SM</sup> using a new code for dates of service prior to 4/1/2018 or a discontinued code for dates of service on or after 4/1/2018, will receive an error message and will not be able to complete the authorization request submission.

**Thank you in advance for your cooperation and continued partnership.**