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Updated Version of Clinical Claim Editor Complies with National Correct Coding Initiative

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) has incorporated an updated version of clinical claim editor into the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS). The update affects Nevada Medicaid/Nevada Check Up claims processed on/after Sept. 19, 2011, regardless of the date of service.

The new clinical claim editor version complies with the requirements of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, which mandates the use of National Correct Coding Initiative (NCCI) claims processing methodologies effective for claims filed on/after October 1, 2010.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) originally developed the NCCI to prevent improper payments when incorrect code combinations are reported. If you have questions regarding NCCI, please visit the CMS website at <http://www.cms.gov/nationalcorrectcodinit/>.