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IHCP establishes a Podiatry Services Code Set

Effective August 11, 2017, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will establish and publish a *Podiatry Services Code Set* for provider specialty 140 - *Podiatrist*. This code set is not the result of a policy change, but rather provides a published table of the procedure codes currently reimbursable to provider specialty 140 for reference purposes.

Reimbursement and billing guidelines for the procedure codes in the podiatrist code set remain unchanged and are subject to current policies, edits, and audits. Claims submitted by provider specialty 140 for procedure codes not included on the code set will be denied for explanation of benefits (EOB) code 1012 – *Service and or modifier billed not payable for your provider type/ specialty*.



The *Podiatry Services Code Set* will be available from the [Code Sets](#) web page at indianamedicaid.com. Code sets are subject to change based on annual and quarterly Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) updates and policy changes. Changes to code sets are announced in IHCP provider publications.

Authorization numbers for PA requests are no longer case-sensitive in the Provider Healthcare Portal

Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) notified providers in IHCP banner page [BR201718](#) that the Provider Healthcare Portal (Portal) required the use of UPPER-CASE letters when keying the alphabetical characters of an authorization number associated with a prior authorization (PA) request. An authorization number that included lower-case alpha characters returned no search results.

This issue has been resolved. The Portal now allows users to enter PA authorization numbers using lower-case or upper-case alpha characters. Entries keyed in lower-case are now automatically converted into upper-case by the system.

View Authorization Status

Search Options **Prospective Authorizations**

Enter either the Authorization Number or at least one of the other fields to search for authorizations.

Authorization Information

Authorization Number

Service Type

Select a Day Range or specify a Service Date

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