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The IHCP to adopt 2013 Medicare rates for select clinical laboratory services

Pursuant to *Section 1903(i)(7)* of the *Social Security Act*, Medicaid reimbursement for individual clinical laboratory procedures cannot exceed the Medicare rate of reimbursement. Therefore, in accordance with the clinical laboratory reimbursement methodology set out in *405 IAC 5-18-1* and in the approved [Indiana Medicaid State Plan](#) (Attachment 4.19B, page 2), the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will adopt the 2013 Medicare rates for any clinical laboratory procedure code for which the IHCP's current reimbursement rate exceeds the 2013 Medicare rate. The 2013 Medicare clinical laboratory fee schedule is expected to be available on the [Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services \(CMS\) website](#) at [cms.gov](#) in mid-December, after which time, the IHCP will publish the affected clinical laboratory procedure codes and rates. The rate changes will be effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2013.

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Updates to mental health utilization edits

Utilization edits for mental health medications, as recommended by the Mental Health Quality Advisory Committee (MHQAC), were first implemented June 19, 2007. Please see provider bulletin [BT200709](#) for more information. The utilization edits are reviewed quarterly by the MHQAC. The updates to the utilization edits in the following table are effective for dates of service (DOS) on or after January 2, 2013.

Updates to utilization edits effective for DOS on or after January 2, 2013

Name and strength of medication	Utilization edit
FORFIVO XL 450MG TABLET	1/day
LATUDA 80MG TABLET	2/day
LATUDA 120MG TABLET	1/day
VIIBRYD STARTER KIT	1/30 days

The complete list of [Utilization Edits for Mental Health Medications](#) is available on the Mental Health Quality Advisory Committee page on [indianamedicaid.com](#).

New coverage for colonic motility study

Effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2013, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will begin coverage for Current Procedural Terminology (CPT^{®1}) code 91117 – *Colon motility (manometric) study, minimum 6 hours continuous recording (including provocation tests, e.g., meal, intracolonic balloon distension, pharmacologic agents, if performed), with interpretation and report*. The [Fee Schedule](#) on [indianamedicaid.com](#) will be updated to reflect this coverage information.

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Learn how to complete the IHCP Provider Enrollment Application

If you need to enroll a new service location, revalidate your existing enrollment, or update your provider profile, the IHCP is offering online “how-to” sessions on provider enrollment in November and December 2012. These two-hour sessions, conducted via HP Virtual Room, focus on:

- Completing the enrollment packet
- Adding rendering practitioners
- Completing a change of ownership
- Correctly completing forms and addenda

For more information and to register, see the [Provider Education page](#) on [indianamedicaid.com](#).



Make tax time easier by starting now

- **Verify your provider profile information on Web interChange** – It's never too early to verify the addresses and tax information you have on file with the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP). You can review and verify your "mail to," "pay to," and "home office" addresses on Web interChange – go to your provider profile on [Web interChange](#) via indianamedicaid.com.
- **Correct your address information** – If your "mail to" or "pay to" address has changed, you can update your provider profile online or by mail. Providers wanting to update their "mail to" or "pay to" addresses online via [Web interChange](#) can choose the Provider Profile and the Edit/View option. Providers can also request updates by submitting an *IHCP Name and Address Maintenance Form*, available on the [Update Your Provider Profile page](#) on indianamedicaid.com. Changes to your "home office" address, which is your legal address, must be submitted by mail and require a W-9 be submitted with the form.
- **Corrections to your taxpayer identification information** – If your taxpayer identification information, including the name, address, or identification number on the W-9 form on file with the IHCP, needs to be updated, you must submit your update by mail using the *IHCP Tax Identification Maintenance Form* available on the [Update Your Provider Profile page](#) at indianamedicaid.com. A revised W-9 form must be submitted with the form.

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