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Clarification to dental providers regarding the rendering and reimbursement of dental services

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) is not making any changes to the way dental services under the fee-for-service (FFS) or Hoosier Healthwise programs are delivered or reimbursed. Members, including those enrolled with

managed care entities (MCEs), may continue to receive covered dental services from any enrolled dental provider, and claims for services rendered will continue to be reimbursed as fee-for-service (FFS) claims through HP as they are today.

Some confusion has occurred because the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) MCEs – Anthem, MDwise, and MHS – have begun contacting dental vendors in advance of the possible approval of the HIP 2.0 waiver application. The MCEs' intent is to begin building MCE provider networks in preparation for an expansion of services if approval is received. All three HIP MCEs have contracted with DentaQuest, a dental benefits manager, to build



their respective HIP 2.0 dental networks. DentaQuest has begun reaching out to dental providers regarding contracting opportunities to provide covered services to HIP 2.0 members. Providers are encouraged to contract with these vendors now, in preparation for potential HIP 2.0 approval, to ensure that a sufficient network of dental providers will be available to HIP 2.0 members if approval is granted.

Notice of information regarding coverage, billing, and other program changes related to HIP 2.0 will be provided through official IHCP publications.

CMS announces new enrollment application fee for 2015

On December 2, 2014, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) announced that the provider enrollment application fee will change for 2015. Effective January 1, 2015, newly enrolling providers subject to the application fee will be required to pay an enrollment application fee of \$553. For more information regarding the application fee

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and enrolling as a provider with the Indiana Health
Coverage Programs (IHCP), visit the <u>Provider</u>
<u>Enrollment</u> pages at indianamedicaid.com.



Virtual MDS/SDG training offered for LTC providers continues through 2015

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) will continue its provider training on the Minimum Data Set (MDS) 3.0 Case Mix Audit Review and Supportive Documentation Guidelines (SDGs) through 2015. The training is offered the second Friday of each month at 1 p.m. Eastern Time. The first virtual training session in 2015 will be Friday, January 9, 2015, at 1 p.m.

The target audience for this training is MDS coordinators, MDS consultants, long-term care (LTC) administrators, and any other LTC facility team members responsible for completion or oversight of the MDS. See the *Provider Education* page at indianamedicaid.com to attend.

Last call: Update your IHCP provider information for 2014 taxes!

In preparation for generating and mailing tax filing documents, the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) must receive any updates to "mail to," "pay to," or "home office" addresses, or to your 2014 taxpayer identification information, by December 14, 2014.

■ Verify your provider profile information on Web interChange - 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.



- Update your "mail to" or "pay to" address information If your "mail to" or "pay to" address has changed, you can update it online or by mail. If you want to update your "mail to" or "pay to" addresses online via Web interChange, choose Provider Profile and the Edit/View option. (You must have Web interChange administrative access to view this page.) You can also request updates by submitting an IHCP Name and Address Maintenance Form, available on the *Update Your Provider Profile* page at indianamedicaid.com.
- Update your "home office" address Changes to your "home office" address, which is your legal address, must be submitted by mail and must be accompanied by a revised W-9. You can request updates by submitting an IHCP Name and Address Maintenance Form, available on the Update Your Provider Profile page at indianamedicaid.com, along with a revised W-9 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 file page at indianamedicaid.com. A revised W-9 form must be submitted with the form.

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