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To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

Recently there have been complaints from providers that EDS is requesting an explanation of benefits (EOB) when the claim reflects a third party liability (TPL) payment. EDS reviewed claims processing procedures and could find no evidence that EOBs are being requested when a TPL amount is indicated on the claim. The purpose of this message is to clarify the policy. When payment is received from an insurance company, the amount received should be indicated in the TPL field. It is not necessary to submit the EOB with the claim. The EOB must be kept on file for three years to substantiate the amount indicated on the claim.

To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

If a provider wishes to add a service location to their current provider number, the provider must contact EDS Customer Service and request a new enrollment application. Due to the nature of the enrollment process and Medicaid rules, EDS must have an enrollment application on file for all service locations. This process helps to enroll providers in a timely manner and improves the quality of the enrollment process. If there are any questions regarding this process, please contact EDS Customer Service and, at the prompt, select option three.

To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

Providers need to report a change of ownership, in writing, immediately. The provider acquiring the business must contact EDS Customer Service and request an enrollment application should that provider wish to continue to receive Medicaid reimbursement. Due to the nature of the enrollment process and Medicaid rules, EDS must have a new application on file for all changes of ownership. This process assures the quality of the enrollment process and assures timely processing of enrollment information. If there are any question, please contact EDS Customer Service and, at the prompt, select option three.

To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

Effective January 1, 1999, the Rotoshield vaccine can be billed under a specific CPT code 90680. The reimbursement for this vaccine is now \$48.25 per unit. One unit billed represents a 2.5 ml single dose vial. However, on January 1, 1999, the reimbursement amount for CPT code 90680 was entered as \$19.30 per unit which was based on the price per ml. On January 19, 1999, EDS updated the AIM system to reflect a reimbursement rate of \$48.25 per unit. This amount takes into account that the complete contents of the vial (2.5 ml) are consumed per recipient. Claims paid at the initial amount of \$19.30 were reflected on Remittance Advice (RA) Statements dated January 5, 1999, through January 19, 1999. EDS will perform claim adjustments during the week of January 25, 1999, on all affected claims.

To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

This banner page notification is to inform providers that EDS has corrected the age restriction for the strabismus codes 67313, 67318, 67331, and 67332. The age restriction of 0-10 was removed from the reference file. EDS will reprocess claims that denied due to the age restriction. Watch for a future banner page message indicating the date that reprocessing will take place.

To All Indiana Medicaid Providers:

This banner page notification is to inform providers that EDS has made a change to the reference file for Audit 6911, Therapeutic or Diagnostic Injections. EDS has been denying claims erroneously when infusion services 90780 and 90781 are billed with an E & M code. EDS will be reprocessing claims that were erroneously denied during the last 36 months. These reprocessed claims will appear on RAs dated February 2, 1999, and can be identified with an ICN of 80. Providers are not required to resubmit their claims.

To All Indiana Dental Medicaid Providers:

The systematic reprocessing of dental claims scheduled to appear on the RA Statement dated January 26, 1999, for edit 4021, Procedure is not covered for the dates of service for the program billed, and edit 3001, Dates of service not on the PA masterfile, was delayed due to an additional system problem which was identified in the January 26, 1999, cycle. These claims suspended and were reprocessed the week ending January 29, 1999. EDS apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused providers and is working to rectify this matter in an expedient manner.