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COVID-19 Arizona Fee Schedule Updates

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Changes/updates to the 2019/2020 Fee Schedule. The recommendations are focused on ensuring that easy to-use, accessible treatment options are available to injured workers to help contain the community spread

of COVID-19.

A. Adoption of Three CPT[®]-4 Codes Included in the 2020 Edition of the American Medical Association's Physicians' Current Procedural Terminology, Fourth Edition for E-Visits, 99421-99423. The three codes are used for E-Visits, which are non-face-to-face, patient-initiated communications with a physician using online patient portals. These e-services can only be reported when the billing practice has an established relationship with the patient.

B. Adoption of Three Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Level II G Codes for E-visits by a Qualified Non-Physician Healthcare Provider, G2061-G2063. The three codes are used for E-Visits which are non-face-to-face, patient-initiated communications with a qualified non-physician healthcare provider by using online patient portals. These services can only be reported when the billing practice has an established relationship with the patient.

C. Adoption of Two Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Level II G Codes for Virtual Check-ins, G2010 and G2012. The two codes are used for a Virtual Check-in with physicians via a number of communication technology modalities, including synchronous discussion over a telephone or exchange of information through video or image. Virtual check-ins are initiated by the patient and may be performed via multiple technology modalities, including telephone, secure text messaging, email, or use of a patient portal. Virtual check-ins can be conducted with a broader range of communication methods, unlike telemedicine services, which require audio and visual capabilities for real-time communication.

D. Adoption of Two Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) U Codes for Laboratory Testing for infection of SARS-CoV-2/2019-nCoV (COVID-19), U0001 and U0002. Laboratories performing testing will use the new HCPCS codes for testing after February 4, 2020

E. Adoption of One CPT[®]-4 Code Included in the 2020 Edition of the American Medical Association's Physicians' Current Procedural Terminology, Fourth Edition for Pathology and Laboratory specific to COVID-19, 87635. The full CPT code description for 87635 is: "Infectious agent detection by nucleic acid (DNA or RNA); severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) (Coronavirus disease [COVID-19]), amplified probe technique."

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