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TO: Acute Outpatient Hospitals Participating in MassHealth

FROM: Kristin L. Thorn, Medicaid Director

RE: *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual* (2014 HCPCS)

This letter transmits updates to Subchapter 6 of the *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual*. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has revised the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes for 2014.

This transmittal letter comprises the list of nonpayable *Current Procedure Terminology* (CPT) codes and payable Level II HCPCS codes. MassHealth has been processing claims according to the list of codes in Subchapter 6 since January 1, 2014, so no rebilling is needed.

The revised Subchapter 6 reflects changes in coverage for acupuncture and the diagnosis of infertility. These changes were prompted by requirements of the Affordable Care Act regarding coverage of Essential Health Benefits. Section 604 (Modifiers) also includes updates to correspond to code changes and to align with existing MassHealth practice.

Providers must refer to the American Medical Association's *Current Procedure Terminology* (CPT) 2014 code book for the service descriptions listed in Subchapter 6 of the *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual*.

MassHealth Website

This transmittal letter and attached pages are available on the MassHealth website at www.mass.gov/masshealth.

Questions

If you have any questions about the information in this transmittal letter, please contact the MassHealth Customer Services Center at 1-800-841-2900, e-mail your inquiry to providersupport@mahealth.net, or fax your inquiry to 617-988-8974.

NEW MATERIAL

(The pages listed here contain new or revised language.)

Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual

Pages 6-1 through 6-16

OBSOLETE MATERIAL

(The pages listed here are no longer in effect.)

Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual

Pages 6-1 through 6-16 — transmitted by Transmittal Letter AOH-30

601 Introduction

MassHealth providers must refer to the official list of HCPCS codes and descriptions posted on the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services HCPCS website when billing for services provided to MassHealth members. For a list of billable revenue codes, please refer to Appendix F of the *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual*.

CPT Codes

MassHealth pays for services billed using all medicine, radiology, laboratory, surgery, and anesthesia CPT codes in effect at the time of service, except for those codes listed in Section 602 of this subchapter, subject to all conditions and limitations described in MassHealth regulations at 130 CMR 410.000 and 450.000, and in the most current Acute Hospital Request for Application.

Level II HCPCS Codes

MassHealth pays for services billed using only those Level II HCPCS codes listed in Section 603 of this subchapter that are in effect at the time of service, subject to all conditions and limitations described in MassHealth regulations at 130 CMR 410.000 and 450.000, and in the most current Acute Hospital Request for Application.

Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Services (EPSDT)

An acute outpatient hospital provider may request prior authorization (PA) for any medically necessary service reimbursable under the federal Medicaid Act in accordance with 130 CMR 450.144, 42 U.S.C. 1396d(a), and 42 U.S.C. 1396d(r)(5) for a MassHealth Standard or CommonHealth member younger than 21 years of age, even if it is not designated as covered or payable in Subchapter 6 of the *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual*.

602 Nonpayable CPT Codes

MassHealth does not ordinarily pay for services billed under the following codes and code ranges.

0001F	0052T	0101T	0142T	0172T
0005F	0053T	0102T	0143T	0173T
0012F	0071T	0103T	0155T	0174T
0014F	0072T	0104T	0156T	0175T
0015F	0073T	0105T	0157T	0176T
4002F	0075T	0106T	0158T	0177T
4006F	0076T	0107T	0159T	0178T
4009F	0078T	0108T	0160T	0179T
4011F	0079T	0109T	0161T	0180T
0016T	0080T	0110T	0163T	0181T
0017T	0081T	0111T	0164T	0182T
0019T	0085T	0123T	0165T	0183T
0030T	0092T	0124T	0166T	0184T
0042T	0095T	0126T	0167T	0185T
0048T	0098T	0130T	0168T	0186T
0050T	0099T	0140T	0169T	0187T
0051T	0100T	0141T	0171T	0188T

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0189T	15847	21123	21615	22802
0190T	15876	21125	21616	22804
0191T	15877	21127	21620	22808
0192T	15878	21141	21627	22810
0193T	15879	21142	21630	22812
0195T	16036	21143	21632	22818
0196T	17340	21145	21705	22819
0197T	17360	21146	21740	22830
0198T	17380	21147	21750	22840
0199T	19271	21151	21810	22841
0200T	19272	21154	21825	22842
0201T	19305	21155	22010	22843
0202T	19306	21159	22015	22844
0203T	19316	21160	22110	22845
0204T	19324	21172	22112	22846
0205T	19325	21179	22114	22847
0206T	19355	21180	22116	22848
0207T	19361	21182	22206	22849
00100	19364	21183	22207	22850
through	19367	21184	22208	22852
01999	19368	21188	22210	22855
10040	19369	21193	22212	22856
11004	19396	21194	22214	22857
11005	20660	21196	22216	22861
11006	20661	21245	22220	22862
11008	20664	21246	22224	22864
11922	20802	21247	22226	22865
11950	20805	21248	22318	23200
11951	20808	21249	22319	23210
11952	20816	21255	22325	23220
11954	20824	21256	22326	23332
15756	20827	21268	22328	23472
15757	20838	21343	22526	23900
15758	20930	21344	22527	23920
15781	20931	21346	22532	24900
15782	20936	21347	22533	24920
15783	20937	21348	22534	24930
15786	20938	21366	22548	24931
15787	20955	21386	22554	24940
15788	20956	21387	22556	25900
15789	20957	21395	22558	25905
15792	20962	21422	22585	25909
15793	20969	21423	22590	25915
15819	20970	21431	22595	25920
15824	20985	21432	22600	25924
15825	21045	21433	22610	25927
15826	21120	21435	22630	26551
15828	21121	21436	22632	26553
15829	21122	21510	22800	26554

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26556	27236	27558	32035	32815
26992	27240	27580	32036	32820
27005	27244	27590	32095	32850
27025	27245	27591	32100	32851
27030	27248	27592	32110	32852
27036	27253	27596	32120	32853
27054	27254	27598	32124	32854
27070	27258	27645	32140	32855
27071	27259	27646	32141	32856
27075	27268	27702	32150	32900
27076	27269	27703	32151	32905
27077	27280	27712	32160	32906
27078	27282	27715	32200	32940
27079	27284	27724	32225	32997
27090	27286	27725	32310	33015
27091	27290	27727	32320	33020
27120	27295	27880	32402	33025
27122	27303	27881	32440	33030
27125	27365	27882	32442	33031
27130	27445	27886	32445	33050
27132	27447	27888	32480	33120
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27137	27450	28805	32484	33140
27138	27454	31225	32486	33141
27140	27455	31230	32488	33202
27146	27457	31290	32491	33203
27147	27465	31291	32500	33236
27151	27466	31360	32501	33237
27156	27468	31365	32503	33238
27158	27470	31367	32504	33243
27161	27472	31368	32540	33250
27165	27477	31370	32650	33251
27170	27479	31375	32651	33254
27175	27485	31380	32652	33255
27176	27486	31382	32653	33256
27177	27487	31390	32654	33257
27178	27488	31395	32655	33258
27179	27495	31584	32656	33259
27181	27506	31587	32657	33261
27185	27507	31725	32658	33265
27187	27511	31760	32659	33266
27215	27513	31766	32660	33300
27217	27514	31770	32661	33305
27218	27519	31775	32662	33310
27222	27535	31780	32663	33315
27226	27536	31781	32664	33320
27227	27540	31786	32665	33321
27228	27556	31800	32800	33322
27232	27557	31805	32810	33330

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33332	33517	33735	33889	34820
33335	33518	33736	33891	34825
33400	33519	33737	33910	34826
33401	33521	33750	33915	34830
33403	33522	33755	33916	34831
33404	33523	33762	33917	34832
33405	33530	33764	33920	34833
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33410	33534	33767	33924	34900
33411	33535	33768	33925	35001
33412	33536	33770	33926	35002
33413	33542	33771	33930	35005
33414	33545	33774	33933	35013
33415	33548	33775	33935	35021
33416	33572	33776	33940	35022
33417	33600	33777	33944	35045
33420	33602	33778	33945	35081
33422	33606	33779	33960	35082
33425	33608	33780	33961	35091
33426	33610	33781	33967	35092
33427	33611	33782	33968	35102
33430	33612	33783	33970	35103
33460	33615	33786	33971	35111
33463	33617	33788	33973	35112
33464	33619	33800	33974	35121
33465	33641	33802	33975	35122
33468	33645	33803	33976	35131
33470	33647	33813	33977	35132
33471	33660	33814	33978	35141
33472	33665	33820	33979	35142
33474	33670	33822	33980	35151
33475	33675	33824	33981	35152
33476	33676	33840	33982	35182
33478	33677	33845	33983	35189
33496	33681	33851	34001	35211
33500	33684	33852	34051	35216
33501	33688	33853	34151	35221
33502	33690	33860	34401	35241
33503	33692	33861	34451	35246
33504	33694	33863	34502	35251
33505	33697	33864	34800	35271
33506	33702	33870	34802	35276
33507	33710	33875	34803	35281
33510	33720	33877	34804	35301
33511	33722	33880	34805	35302
33512	33724	33881	34806	35303
33513	33726	33883	34808	35304
33514	33730	33884	34812	35305
33516	33732	33886	34813	35306

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35311	35571	36416	39540	43341
35331	35583	36468	39541	43350
35341	35585	36469	39545	43351
35351	35587	36591	39560	43352
35355	35600	36592	39561	43360
35361	35601	36598	39599	43361
35363	35606	36660	41130	43400
35371	35612	36822	41135	43401
35372	35616	36823	41140	43405
35390	35621	37140	41145	43410
35400	35623	37145	41150	43415
35450	35626	37160	41153	43420
35452	35631	37180	41155	43425
35454	35636	37181	41870	43460
35456	35637	37182	41872	43496
35480	35638	37215	42426	43500
35481	35642	37616	42845	43501
35482	35645	37617	42894	43502
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35512	35663	38102	43108	43631
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35521	35671	38381	43116	43634
35522	35681	38382	43117	43635
35523	35682	38562	43118	43640
35525	35683	38564	43121	43641
35526	35691	38724	43122	43644
35531	35693	38746	43123	43645
35533	35694	38747	43124	43752
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35548	35741	39200	43313	43775
35549	35800	39220	43314	43800
35551	35820	39499	43320	43810
35556	35840	39501	43324	43820
35558	35870	39502	43325	43825
35560	35901	39503	43326	43832
35563	35905	39520	43330	43840
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35566	36415	39531	43340	43843

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43845	44188	45120	47147	48153
43846	44202	45121	47300	48154
43847	44203	45123	47350	48155
43848	44204	45126	47360	48160
43850	44205	45130	47361	48400
43855	44210	45135	47362	48500
43860	44211	45136	47380	48510
43865	44212	45395	47381	48520
43880	44227	45397	47400	48540
43881	44300	45400	47420	48545
43882	44310	45402	47425	48547
44005	44314	45540	47460	48548
44010	44316	45550	47480	48551
44015	44320	45562	47550	48552
44020	44322	45563	47570	48554
44021	44345	45800	47600	48556
44025	44346	45805	47605	49000
44050	44602	45820	47610	49002
44055	44603	45825	47612	49010
44110	44604	46705	47620	49020
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44120	44615	46712	47701	49060
44121	44620	46715	47711	49062
44125	44625	46716	47712	49203
44126	44626	46730	47715	49204
44127	44640	46735	47720	49205
44128	44650	46740	47721	49215
44130	44660	46742	47740	49220
44132	44661	46744	47741	49255
44133	44680	46746	47760	49425
44135	44700	46748	47765	49428
44136	44715	46751	47780	49605
44137	44720	47010	47785	49606
44139	44721	47015	48000	49610
44140	44800	47100	47801	49611
44141	44820	47120	47802	49900
44143	44850	47122	47900	49904
44144	44899	47125	48000	49905
44145	44900	47130	48001	49906
44146	44950	47133	48020	50010
44147	44955	47135	48100	50040
44150	44960	47136	48105	50045
44151	45110	47140	48120	50060
44155	45111	47141	48140	50065
44156	45112	47142	48145	50070
44157	45113	47143	48146	50075
44158	45114	47144	48148	50100
44160	45116	47145	48150	50120
44187	45119	47146	48152	50125

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50130	50750	53415	58152	59412
50135	50760	53448	58180	59514
50205	50770	54125	58200	59525
50220	50780	54135	58210	59620
50225	50782	54332	58240	59830
50230	50783	54336	58267	59850
50234	50785	54390	58275	59851
50236	50800	54411	58280	59852
50240	50810	54417	58285	59855
50250	50815	54430	58293	59856
50280	50820	54535	58400	59857
50290	50825	54650	58410	59897
50300	50830	55605	58520	60254
50320	50840	55650	58540	60270
50323	50845	55801	58548	60505
50325	50860	55810	58605	60521
50327	50900	55812	58611	60522
50328	50920	55815	58700	60540
50329	50930	55821	58720	60545
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50360	51060	55840	58750	60605
50365	51525	55842	58752	60650
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50400	51555	55865	58825	61108
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50500	51570	56630	58943	61140
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50525	51580	56632	58951	61151
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50540	51590	56634	58953	61156
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50610	51820	57280	58974	61313
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50650	51845	57307	59072	61316
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50700	51865	57311	59121	61321
50715	51900	57531	59130	61322
50722	51920	57540	59135	61323
50725	51925	57545	59136	61332
50727	51940	58140	59140	61333
50728	51960	58146	59325	61340
50740	51980	58150	59350	61343

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61345	61567	61700	62287	63280
61440	61570	61702	63043	63281
61450	61571	61703	63044	63282
61458	61575	61705	63050	63283
61460	61576	61708	63051	63285
61470	61580	61710	63076	63286
61480	61581	61711	63077	63287
61490	61582	61735	63078	63290
61500	61583	61750	63081	63295
61501	61584	61751	63082	63300
61510	61585	61760	63085	63301
61512	61586	61850	63086	63302
61514	61590	61860	63087	63303
61516	61591	61863	63088	63304
61517	61591	61864	63090	63305
61518	61592	61867	63091	63306
61519	61595	61868	63101	63307
61520	61596	61870	63102	63308
61521	61597	61875	63103	63700
61522	61598	62005	63170	63702
61524	61600	62010	63172	63704
61526	61601	62100	63173	63706
61530	61605	62115	63180	63707
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61533	61607	62117	63185	63710
61534	61608	62120	63190	63740
61535	61609	62121	63191	63752
61536	61610	62140	63194	64752
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61539	61615	62145	63198	64818
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61541	61618	62147	63200	64868
61542	61619	62148	63250	65273
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61544	61630	62162	63252	65765
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61546	61640	62164	63266	65771
61548	61641	62165	63267	65780
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61552	61680	62190	63270	65782
61556	61682	62192	63271	69090
61557	61684	62200	63272	69155
61558	61686	62201	63273	69535
61559	61690	62220	63275	69554
61563	61692	62223	63276	69950
61564	61697	62256	63277	71552
61566	61698	62258	63278	72159

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72198	81242	81342	86985	89325
73225	81243	81350	87150	89329
74263	81244	81355	87153	89330
75571	81245	81370	87493	89331
75900	81250	81371	87903	89335
75952	81251	81372	87904	89342
75953	81255	81373	88000	89343
75954	81256	81374	88005	89344
75956	81257	81375	88007	89346
75957	81260	81376	88012	89352
75958	81261	81377	88014	89353
75959	81262	81378	88016	89354
76140	81263	81379	88020	89356
76496	81264	81380	88025	89398
76497	81265	81381	88027	90281
76498	81266	81382	88028	90283
78267	81267	81383	88029	90284
78268	81268	81400	88036	90287
78351	81270	81401	88037	90379
80100	81275	81402	88040	90384
80101	81280	81403	88045	90386
80104	81281	81404	88099	90389
80502	81282	81405	88125	90396
81200	81290	81406	88333	90586
81205	81291	81407	88334	90633
81206	81292	81408	88738	90634
81207	81293	81508	88749	90644
81208	81294	81511	89250	90645
81209	81295	82075	89251	90646
81210	81296	82962	89253	90647
81211	81297	83987	89254	90648
81212	81298	84145	89255	90653
81213	81299	84431	89257	90654
81214	81300	84793	89258	90665
81215	81301	86079	89259	90669
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81220	81304	86780	89264	90698
81221	81310	86825	89268	90700
81222	81315	86826	89272	90701
81223	81316	86890	89280	90702
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81225	81318	86910	89290	90710
81226	81319	86911	89291	90712
81227	81330	86927	89300	90718
81228	81331	86930	89310	90720
81229	81332	86931	89320	90721
81240	81340	86932	89321	90723
81241	81341	86960	89322	90739

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90743	92559	96376	99100	99350
90744	92560	96567	99116	99354
90748	92561	96902	99135	99355
90816	92562	96904	99140	99356
90817	92564	97005	99143	99357
90818	92570	97006	99144	99358
90819	92630	97537	99148	99359
90821	92633	97545	99149	99360
90822	92970	97546	99150	99374
90823	92971	97597	99172	99375
90824	92975	97598	99190	99377
90826	92992	97602	99191	99378
90827	92993	97605	99192	99379
90828	93660	97606	99199	99380
90829	93770	97755	99251	99401
90845	93786	97810	99252	99402
90865	94005	97811	99253	99403
90875	94011	97813	99254	99404
90876	94012	97814	99255	99406
90880	94013	98940	99288	99408
90885	94015	98941	99304	99409
90889	94774	98942	99305	99411
90901	94775	98943	99306	99412
90911	94776	98960	99307	99420
90940	94777	98961	99308	99429
90989	95052	98962	99309	99441
90993	95120	98966	99310	99442
90997	95125	98967	99315	99443
90999	95130	98968	99316	99444
91132	95131	98969	99318	99446
91133	95132	99000	99324	99447
92314	95133	99001	99325	99448
92315	95134	99002	99326	99449
92316	95824	99024	99327	99450
92317	95965	99026	99328	99455
92325	95966	99027	99334	99456
92352	95967	99050	99335	99466
92353	95992	99051	99336	99467
92354	96000	99053	99337	99468
92355	96001	99056	99339	99469
92358	96002	99058	99340	99471
92371	96003	99060	99341	99472
92531	96004	99071	99342	99477
92532	96150	99075	99343	99478
92533	96151	99078	99344	99479
92534	96152	99080	99345	99480
92540	96153	99082	99347	99499
92548	96154	99090	99348	99500
92550	96155	99091	99349	99501

602 Nonpayable CPT Codes (cont.)

99502	99506	99511	99602
99503	99507	99512	99605
99504	99509	99600	99606
99505	99510	99601	99607

603 Payable Level II HCPCS Codes

The following Level II HCPCS codes represent services that are covered by MassHealth when provided by AOHs, including hospital-licensed health centers (HLHCs) and other satellite clinics.

A4641	J0561	J1170	J1990	J2796
A9500	J0585	J1200	J2060	J2820
A9502	J0586	J1260	J2150	J2910
A9503	J0587	J1290	J2175	J2916
A9505	J0588	J1300	J2248	J2920
A9512	J0592	J1320	J2250	J2930
A9537	J0597	J1438	J2265	J2940
G0105	J0598	J1440	J2270	J2941
G0108	J0638	J1441	J2271	J3010
G0109	J0640	J1460	J2275	J3030
G0121	J0690	J1557	J2300	J3095
G0202	J0694	J1559	J2310	J3110
G0204	J0696	J1561	J2315	J3120
G0206	J0697	J1562	J2323	J3130
G0270	J0702	J1566	J2355	J3230
G0271	J0715	J1569	J2357	J3240
G0378	J0718	J1571	J2358	J3243
G0379	J0775	J1580	J2405	J3250
G0424	J0780	J1599	J2430	J3262
G0431	J0833	J1626	J2440	J3301
G0434	J0834	J1630	J2469	J3302
J0129	J0840	J1650	J2503	J3303
J0131	J0881	J1655	J2505	J3357
J0135	J0882	J1670	J2507	J3360
J0171	J0885	J1710	J2510	J3385
J0207	J0886	J1720	J2515	J3396
J0215	J0897	J1725	J2550	J3410
J0221	J0900	J1740	J2560	J3411
J0256	J1020	J1743	J2562	J3430
J0257	J1030	J1745	J2675	J3487
J0290	J1040	J1750	J2680	J3490
J0295	J1055	J1786	J2760	J3590
J0348	J1056	J1790	J2778	J7030
J0456	J1060	J1800	J2785	J7060
J0461	J1070	J1826	J2788	J7070
J0475	J1080	J1885	J2790	J7131
J0476	J1094	J1890	J2792	J7302
J0490	J1100	J1950	J2793	J7303
J0558	J1160	J1956	J2794	J7304

603 Payable Level II HCPCS Codes (cont.)

J7307	J7799	J9202	J9310	Q4102
J7309	J8561	J9206	J9315	Q4103
J7312	J8562	J9212	J9340	Q4104
J7321	J9000	J9213	J9351	Q4105
J7323	J9001	J9214	J9355	Q4106
J7324	J9002	J9215	J9360	Q4107
J7325	J9025	J9216	J9370	Q4108
J7326	J9031	J9217	J9390	Q4110
J7335	J9035	J9218	J9395	Q4111
J7599	J9040	J9219	J9999	Q4112
J7608	J9041	J9228	L8614	Q4113
J7614	J9043	J9250	L8615	Q4114
J7620	J9045	J9260	L8616	Q4115
J7626	J9055	J9261	L8617	S0023
J7633	J9060	J9263	L8618	S0028
J7639	J9130	J9264	L8619	S0077
J7644	J9155	J9265	L8690	S0302
J7665	J9171	J9266	L8691	S2083
J7669	J9178	J9293	Q0081	
J7676	J9179	J9300	Q0083	
J7682	J9181	J9302	Q0084	
J7686	J9190	J9305	Q4100	
J7699	J9201	J9307	Q4101	

604 Modifiers

The following service code modifiers are allowed for billing under the MassHealth *Acute Outpatient Hospital Manual* for payable services.

Modifier	Description
22	Increased procedural services
24	Unrelated evaluation and management service by the same physician during a postoperative period
25	Significant, separately identifiable evaluation and management service by the same physician or other qualified health care professional on the same day of the procedure or other service.
27	Multiple outpatient hospital E/M encounters on the same date
50	Bilateral procedure
51	Multiple procedures
52	Reduced services
53	Discontinued procedure
57	Decision for surgery
58	Staged or related procedure or service by the same physician or other qualified health care professional during the postoperative period
59	Distinct procedural service
63	Procedure performed on infants less than 4 kg
73	Discontinued outpatient procedure prior to anesthesia administration

604 Modifiers (cont.)

Modifier	Description
74	Discontinued outpatient procedure after anesthesia administration
76	Repeat procedure or service by same physician or other qualified health care professional
77	Repeat procedure or service by another physician or other qualified health care professional
78	Unplanned return to the operating/procedure room by the same physician or other qualified health care professional following initial procedure for a related procedure during the postoperative period
79	Unrelated procedure or service by the same physician or other qualified health care professional during the postoperative period
80	Assistant surgeon
90	Reference (outside) laboratory
91	Repeat clinical diagnostic laboratory test
99	Multiple modifiers
BL	Special acquisition of blood and blood products
CA	Procedure payable only in the inpatient setting when performed emergently on an outpatient who expires prior to admission
CR	Catastrophe/disaster related
E1	Upper left, eyelid
E2	Lower left, eyelid
E3	Upper right, eyelid
E4	Lower right, eyelid
F1	Left hand, second digit
F2	Left hand, third digit
F3	Left hand, fourth digit
F4	Left hand, fifth digit
F5	Right hand, thumb
F6	Right hand, second digit
F7	Right hand, third digit
F8	Right hand, fourth digit
F9	Right hand, fifth digit
FA	Left hand, thumb
FB	Item provided without cost to provider, supplier or practitioner, or full credit received for replaced device (examples, but not limited to, covered under warranty, replaced due to defect, free samples)
GA	Waiver of liability statement issued as required by payer policy, individual case.
GG	Performance and payment of a screening mammogram and diagnostic mammogram on the same patient, same day
GH	Diagnostic mammogram converted from screening mammogram on the same day
LC	Left circumflex, coronary artery
LD	Left anterior descending coronary artery
LT	Left side (used to identify procedures performed on the left side of the body)
Q1	Routine clinical service provided in a clinical research study that is in an approved clinical research study
QM	Ambulance service provided under arrangement by a provider of services
QN	Ambulance service furnished directly by a provider of services
RC	Right coronary artery

604 Modifiers (cont.)

Modifier	Description
RT	Right side (used to identify procedures performed on the right side of the body)
T1	Left foot, second digit
T2	Left foot, third digit
T3	Left foot, fourth digit
T4	Left foot, fifth digit
T5	Right foot, great digit
T6	Right foot, second digit
T7	Right foot, third digit
T8	Right foot, fourth digit
T9	Right foot, fifth digit
TA	Left foot, great toe
U5	Medicaid level of care 5, as defined by each state
U6	Medicaid level of care 6, as defined by each state
U7	Medicaid level of care 7, as defined by each state
U8	Medicaid level of care 8, as defined by each state
U9	Medicaid level of care 9, as defined by each state

Modifiers for Behavioral Health Screening

The administration and scoring of standardized behavioral health screening tools selected from the approved menu of tools found in Appendix W of your MassHealth provider manual is covered for members (except MassHealth Limited) from birth to 21 years of age. Service Code 96110 must be accompanied by one of the modifiers listed below to indicate whether a behavioral health need was identified. “Behavioral health need identified” means the provider administering the screening tool, in her or his professional judgment, identified a child with a potential behavioral health services need.

U1	Completed behavioral-health screening using a standardized behavioral-health screening tool selected from the approved menu of tools found in Appendix W of your MassHealth provider manual with no behavioral health need identified.
U2	Completed behavioral-health screening using a standardized behavioral-health screening tool selected from the approved menu of tools found in Appendix W of your MassHealth provider manual and behavioral-health need identified.

Modifiers for Tobacco-Cessation Services

The following modifiers are used in combination with Service Code 99407 to report tobacco-cessation counseling. Service Code 99407 (Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit; intensive, greater than 10 minutes) may also be billed without a modifier to report an individual smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling visit of at least 30 minutes.

HQ Group counseling, at least 60-90 minutes
TF Intermediate level of care, at least 45 minutes

Modifier for Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS)

HA Service code 90801 must be accompanied by this modifier to indicate that the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths is included in the assessment.

Modifiers for Provider Preventable Conditions That Are National Coverage Determinations

PA Surgical or other invasive procedure on wrong body part
PB Surgical or other invasive procedure on wrong patient
PC Wrong surgery or other invasive procedure on patient

For more information on the use of these modifiers, see Appendix V of your provider manual.

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