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TO: Renal Dialysis Clinics Participating in MassHealth
FROM: Beth Waldman, Medicaid Director *BW*
RE: *Renal Dialysis Clinic Manual* (Revised Service Codes and Descriptions)

This letter transmits revisions to the service codes in the *Renal Dialysis Clinic Manual*. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) have revised the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) for 2007. The revised Subchapter 6 is effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2007.

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NEW MATERIAL

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

Renal Dialysis Clinic Manual

Pages 6-1 and 6-2

OBSOLETE MATERIAL

(The pages listed here are no longer in effect.)

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601 Service Codes and Descriptions: All-Inclusive Dialysis Treatment

Service

Code Service Description

- 90935 Hemodialysis procedure with single physician evaluation
 90937 Hemodialysis procedure requiring repeated evaluation(s) with or without substantial revision of dialysis prescription
 90945 Dialysis procedure other than hemodialysis (e.g., peritoneal dialysis, hemofiltration, or other continuous renal replacement therapies), with single physician evaluation
 90947 Dialysis procedure other than hemodialysis (e.g., peritoneal dialysis, hemofiltration, or other continuous renal replacement therapies) requiring repeated physician evaluations, with or without substantial revision of dialysis prescription

602 Service Codes and Descriptions: Training for Home Dialysis

Service

Code Service Description

- 90989 Dialysis training, patient, including helper where applicable, any mode, completed course
 90993 Dialysis training, patient, including helper where applicable, any mode, course not completed, per training session

603 Service Codes and Descriptions: Prescribed Drugs

Service

Code Service Description

- J0895 Injection, deferoxamine mesylate, 500 mg (per 5 cc)
 Q4081 Injection, epoetin alfa, 100 units (for ESRD on dialysis)

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