Florida Medicaid Update
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Beginning October 1, 2015: Wraparound payments will be based on accepted encounter data received from a health plan and sent directly to the FQHC/RHC by the Florida Medicaid Management Information System (FLMMIS).

A new tip sheet regarding the automated FQHC/RHC Wraparound process is now available here. Health Plans are encouraged to review the tip sheet which includes topics like:

- Which providers are eligible for the Wraparound?
- How can health plans verify if the FQHC/RHC is authorized for Wraparound payments?
- What claim types will be considered for this program?
- What services does the wraparound program allow?
- What places of service are permissible for FQHC and RHC encounters?
- How does the plan correctly report the “plan paid” price?

The Managed Care Support section of the Florida Medicaid Web Portal. This tip sheet provides information required to successfully submit encounters that will be used in the automated FQHC/RHC Wraparound process.
The Agency for Health Care Administration has scheduled a workshop for Rule 59G-8.600, Good Cause for Disenrollment from Health Plans.

The workshop is scheduled for October 1, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. ET at the:

- Agency for Health Care Administration
  2727 Mahan Drive
  Building 3, Conference Room B
  Tallahassee, FL 32308

There will not be a phone call-in number available.

-Bureau of Medicaid Policy
Draft Handbooks, Fee Schedules, and Other Documents
The Florida Health Information Exchange is currently accepting applications for participation in the Patient Look-Up (PLU) service.

Provider organizations of all sizes – large hospital systems, small hospitals, rural hospitals, group practices, and sole practitioners – are invited to learn more about the service during our upcoming webinar.

A brief Q&A will follow the presentation.
Thursday, September 24, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. ET

Register here: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4926002677034424322

Please send any questions to FLHII@ahca.myflorida.com.
New CARC/RARC combinations may now appear on Health Plans’ 835 transactions containing encounters for provider types 66 and 68. From now until November 27, 2015 the new CARC/RARC combinations are informational, and the plans are not required to resolve.

The new CARC/RARC combination of **8/N95** will post on qualifying encounters via the 835 transaction under the following circumstances:
- The procedure code is inconsistent with the provider type or provider specialty.

The new CARC/RARC combination of **5/M77** will post on qualifying encounters via the 835 transaction under the following circumstances:
- The place of service is missing, invalid, or not permissible for the procedure code.

The new CARC/RARC combination of **6/N129** will post on qualifying encounters via the 835 transaction under the following circumstances:
- The procedure or revenue code is inconsistent with the patient’s age.

The new CARC/RARC combination of **4/N657** will post on qualifying encounters via the 835 transaction under the following circumstances:
- The procedure code is inconsistent with the modifier used, or a required modifier is missing.
Florida Medicaid Provider Types

00 - All Messages/Provider Types
01 - General Hospital
04 - State Mental Hospital
05 - Community Behavioral Health Services
06 - Ambulatory Surgical Center
07 - Mental Health Practitioner
08 - District Schools
09 - Skilled Nursing Unit
10 - Skilled Nursing Facility/Nursing Home
11 - State ICF/DD Facility
12 - Private ICF/DD Facility
13 - Swing Bed Facility
14 - Assistive Care Services
15 - Hospice
16 - State Inpatient Psychiatric Services
20 - Pharmacy
23 - Medical Foster Care/Personal Care
24 - Prescribed Medical Rehab Services (PPEC)
25 - Physician (MD)
26 - Physician (DO)
27 - Podiatrist
28 - Chiropractic
29 - Physician Assistant
30 - Nurse Practitioner (ARNP)
31 - Registered Nurse First Assistant
32 - Social Worker/Case Manager
34 - Licensed Midwife
35 - Dentist
36 - Medical Assistant
40 - Ambulance
41 - Non-Emergency Transportation
42 - Air Ambulance
43 - Taxi Cab Company
44 - Government/Municipal Transportation
45 - Private Transportation
46 - Non-Profit Transportation
47 - Multi-load Private Transportation
50 - Independent Lab
51 - Portable X-ray
55 - Opticist
60 - Audiologist
61 - Hearing Aid Specialist
62 - Optometrist
63 - Optician
64 - Home Health Agency
65 - Home and Community-Based Service
66 - Rural Health Clinic
67 - Federally Qualified Health Center
68 - Managed Care Treating Provider - Non-Medicaid
70 - Managed Care
71 - Prepaid Mental Health Plan (PMHP)
75 - Vocational Rehab
76 - Developmental Disability Agency
Effective August 27, 2015, the Florida Medicaid Management Information System began accepting and processing encounter submissions containing CPT Category II Codes.

For additional information, health plans are encouraged to review the SMMC Encounter Support Assistance FAQ located on the Managed Care Support section of the Florida Medicaid Web Portal.
New Region Codes for Encounter Reprocessing

New region codes—the first two digits of the thirteen-digit Identification Claim Number (ICN)—were created so that health plans may easily identify an HP internal reprocessed or resubmitted encounter within their 835 transaction.

- Region code 64 denotes that an internal single reprocessing of an encounter occurred.
- Region code 66 denotes that an internal mass reprocessing of encounters occurred.
- Region code 74 denotes that an internal single resubmission of an encounter occurred.
- Region code 75 denotes that an internal mass resubmission of encounters occurred.

The Agency is currently working towards implementing system enhancements to better assist in identifying pharmacy encounters. Health plans should anticipate the implementation of new region code 73, that will be applied to pharmacy encounters, reported within the X12 835.
On July 6, 2015, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) and the American Medical Association (AMA) released a joint statement about their efforts to help the provider community get ready for ICD-10. This statement included guidance from CMS that allows for flexibility in the claims auditing and quality reporting processes.

In response to questions from the health care community, CMS has released updated “Clarifying Questions and Answers Related to the July 6, 2015 CMS/AMA Joint Announcement and Guidance Regarding ICD-10 Flexibilities,” which provides answers to the most commonly asked questions.
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- September ICD-10 Newsletter Now Available

In this issue:
- Attention: ICD-10 Implementation is One Month Away
- ICD-10 Website Wheel
- Upcoming Partial Code Freeze and Unfreeze
- The Two Midnight Rule
- Magellan Target Date
AHCA Health IT Symposium

Going Digital: *Helping Florida Get Connected*  
(Regions 3, 5, 6, 7, and 8)

**When:** September 29, 2015  
12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Where:** Franklin Templeton Building  
100 Fountain Parkway  
St. Petersburg, Florida 33716

This event will unite stakeholders in the exploration of health information technology (Health IT), interoperability of electronic health records, security and privacy concerns, and practical applications of Health IT services.

*Register Here!*
Florida Medicaid Readiness and Training

- **AHCA Public Meeting Calendar**
- **AHCA Registration for Area-Specific September ICD-10 Training**
- Access [CMS Open Door Forum](#) Information and sign up for ODFs [here](#).
- Medicaid.gov [ICD-10 Changes from ICD-9](#)
- Staywell/Wellcare of Florida [ICD-10 Compliance](#)
- Sunshine Health [ICD-10 Overview](#)
- Prestige [Sept Provider Training](#)

**Provider Training Schedule**

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