

## **Medicare Advantage Additional Payment for Medication Reconciliation Post Discharge**

Blue Cross Blue Shield of TX will reimburse contracted providers who conduct medication reconciliation within 30 days of hospital discharge for Medicare Advantage members and submit a professional claim with Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) II code 1111F.

Performing medication reconciliation after every discharge ensures that patients understand any new medications as well as any medications that should no longer be taken.

### **Who conducts medication reconciliation?**

Medication reconciliation can be conducted by the prescribing physician, clinical pharmacist or registered nurse.

### **What are CPT II codes?**

CPT Category II codes are supplemental tracking codes that facilitate data collection. CPT II codes are released annually as part of the full CPT code set and are updated semi-annually by the American Medical Association.

### **What is the description for CPT II code 1111F?**

CPT II code 1111F is described as discharge medications -current medication merge.

### **What are the requirements to receive this payment?**

- The provider must be contracted with Blue Cross Medicare Advantage.
- The CPT II code 1111F charged at \$10 must be billed for a member on the discharge day or within 30 days after an inpatient discharge. The inpatient discharge can be acute or non-acute or non-acute hospitalizations.
- This cannot be paid on the facility claim.
- The rendering provider for this service must be documented on the professional claim.

### **What are the medical record documentation requirements?**

- The hospital discharge date.
- The date the medication reconciliation was completed.
- Documentation indicating that the patient's current medication list was reconciled against the hospital discharge list of medications.

### **Can CPT II code 1111F be billed alone?**

- Yes, the code can be billed alone. However, we encourage a face-to-face office visit.
- If the code is billed alone or with a telephonic CPT code, medical records must include the medication reconciliation documentation.

### **Can this be billed back to Jan. 1, 2019?**

Yes, if within the timely filing rules indicated in the provider's contract.

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