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IHCP reminds providers about changes to site-ofservice adjustments

In *Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) Bulletin* <u>BT2024159</u>, the IHCP announced the changes to physician site-of-service policies to coincide with the January 2024 Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning (OMPP) Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) Rate Equalization Project. Table 1 reflects the changes made to site-of-service adjustments for the fee-for-service (FFS) delivery system.

For FFS claims, these changes are effective retroactive for dates of service (DOS) on or after **April 1, 2024**. For managed care entities (MCEs), these changes were effective for claims with DOS on or after **Jan. 1, 2024**.



FFS claims submitted for these services with DOS beginning April 1, 2024, through Sept. 25, 2024, will be mass adjusted or reprocessed. Providers should see adjusted/reprocessed claims on remittance advices (RAs) beginning Jan. 8, 2025, with internal control numbers (ICNs)/Claim IDs that begin with 52 (mass replacements non-check related).

As a reminder, effective April 1, 2024, IHCP physician rates have been aligned with 100% of Medicare rates, as published in *IHCP Bulletins* <u>BT2023149</u>, <u>BT2023150</u> and <u>BT2023172</u>. The IHCP is using the 2023 Medicare practice expense (PE) relative value units (RVUs). The PE RVU should match the same period as the fee schedule being used (for example: Jan. 1, 2025, rates will use the 2024 Medicare PE RVUs and will continue this way annually).

Table 1 – OMPP rate equalization site-of-service adjustment policies, effective retroactively for DOS on or after April 1, 2024, for FFS (Jan. 1, 2024, for managed care)

Adjustment policy utilized	Adjustment policy	Additional billing guidance
Medicare	 Medicare facility PE RVUs Medicare POS codes (See Place of service codes section in this bulletin for listing.) 	Medicare physician fee schedule PE RVUs and Medicare POS codes

Place of service codes

The following place of service (POS) codes are used for Medicaid and Medicare site-of-service adjustments:

- Medicaid POS codes
 - 19 Off campus outpatient hospital
 - 22 On campus outpatient hospital
 - 23 Emergency room
 - 62 Comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation facility

Place of service codes (Continued)

- Medicare POS codes
 - 02 Telehealth
 - 19 Outpatient hospital-off campus
 - 21 Inpatient hospital
 - 22 Outpatient hospital on campus
 - 23 Emergency room hospital
 - 24 Ambulatory surgical center (ASC)
- 26 Military treatment facility
 - 31 Skilled nursing facility (SNF)
 - 34 Hospice
 - 41 Ambulance land
 - 42 Ambulance air or water
 - 51 Inpatient psychiatric facility
 - 52 Psychiatric facility partial hospitalization
 - 53 Community mental health center
 - 56 Psychiatric residential treatment center
 - 61 Comprehensive inpatient rehabilitation facility

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