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## IHCP will reprocess or mass adjust claims for LPN school nursing services

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) previously announced in *IHCP Bulletin BT2023140* the coverage of nursing services rendered by a licensed practical nurse (LPN) who is employed by or under contract with an IHCP-enrolled school corporation provider. Covered services must be medically necessary and pursuant to a Medicaid-enrolled student's educational program or plan. This coverage was effective for dates of service (DOS) on or after **July 1, 2023**. Prior to July 1, 2023, an LPN could not provide these services.

The rate and billing information to use when the service is rendered by an LPN is shown in Table 1.



*Table 1 – Rate and billing information for school nursing service delivered by an LPN, effective for DOS on or after July 1, 2023*

Procedure code/modifiers	Description	Rate
99600 TE TM	School nursing service delivered by an LPN, pursuant to an approved education program or plan	\$12.57 per 15 minutes

Claims may have been denied incorrectly for explanation of benefits (EOB) 4150 – *Service and modifier billed not payable for your provider type/specialty*.

The claim-processing system has been corrected. Providers should see adjusted or reprocessed claims on remittance advices (RAs) beginning Jan. 22, 2025, with internal control numbers (ICNs)/Claim IDs that begin with 52 (mass replacements non-check related) or 80 (reprocessed denied claims).

If providers prefer to resubmit any claims retroactively, they can submit claims to the IHCP within 180 days of this publication date for FFS claims, to satisfy timely filing requirements. Providers should include a copy of this bulletin when submitting FFS claims beyond the standard filing limit.

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