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	Change Request 12569

SUBJECT: Quarterly Update for the Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS) Competitive Bidding Program (CBP) - April 2022

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES: The DME CBP files are updated on a quarterly basis in order to implement necessary changes to the healthcare common procedure coding system, ZIP code, and single payment amount files. These requirements provide specific instruction for implementing the DMEPOS CBP files. This recurring update notification applies to chapter 23, section 100.

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2022

**Unless otherwise specified, the effective date is the date of service.*

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: April 4, 2022

Disclaimer for manual changes only: The revision date and transmittal number apply only to red italicized material. Any other material was previously published and remains unchanged. However, if this revision contains a table of contents, you will receive the new/revised information only, and not the entire table of contents.

II. CHANGES IN MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS: (N/A if manual is not updated)

R=REVISED, N=NEW, D=DELETED-*Only One Per Row.*

R/N/D	CHAPTER / SECTION / SUBSECTION / TITLE
N/A	N/A

III. FUNDING:

For Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs):

The Medicare Administrative Contractor is hereby advised that this constitutes technical direction as defined in your contract. CMS does not construe this as a change to the MAC Statement of Work. The contractor is not obligated to incur costs in excess of the amounts allotted in your contract unless and until specifically authorized by the Contracting Officer. If the contractor considers anything provided, as described above, to be outside the current scope of work, the contractor shall withhold performance on the part(s) in question and immediately notify the Contracting Officer, in writing or by e-mail, and request formal directions regarding continued performance requirements.

IV. ATTACHMENTS:

Recurring Update Notification

Number	Requirement	Responsibility							
		A/B MAC		D M E M A C	Shared- System Maintainers				Other
		A	B		H H H	F I S S	M C S	V M S	
	Connect: Direct on a quarterly basis: CBA ZIP Code File HCPCS File CBA Pricing File								
12569.3	During the testing phase of this Change Request (CR), the VDC shall retrieve the CBA ZIP code file, HCPCS File, and the CBA Pricing File via Connect: Direct under the following dataset names: T#EFT.ON.CBAZIPQ.C22Q02 T#EFT.ON.PRICEQ.C22Q02 T#EFT.ON.HCATGQ.C22Q02								PDAC, VDC
12569.4	During the production phase of this CR, the VDC shall transmit the CBA ZIP code file, HCPCS File and the CBA Pricing File to VMS via Connect: Direct under the following dataset names: P#EFT.ON.CBAZIPQ.C22Q02 P#EFT.ON.PRICEQ.C22Q02 P#EFT.ON.HCATGQ.C22Q02								PDAC, VDC
12569.5	The VDC shall automate the retrieval process for refreshing these files quarterly.								PDAC, VDC
12569.6	The DME MACs, PDAC contractor, and VDC shall load these quarterly files.				X				PDAC, VDC
12569.7	The VDC shall receive notice via technical direction in the event the dataset names listed in business requirements 12569.3 and 12569.4 are changed for any reason.								PDAC, VDC
12569.8	The Fiscal Intermediary Shared System (FISS) shall pull in the correct files for reason code 31716.					X			

III. PROVIDER EDUCATION TABLE

Number	Requirement	Responsibility				
		A/B MAC			D M E	C E D I
		A	B	H H H		
12569.9	Medicare Learning Network® (MLN): CMS will market provider education content through the MLN Connects® newsletter shortly after CMS releases the CR. MACs shall follow IOM Pub. No. 100-09 Chapter 6, Section 50.2.4.1 instructions for distributing the MLN Connects newsletter information to providers and link to relevant information on your website. You may supplement MLN content with your local information after we release the MLN Connects newsletter. Subscribe to the “MLN Connects” listserv to get MLN content notifications. You don’t need to separately track and report MLN content releases when you distribute MLN Connects newsletter content per the manual section referenced above.				X	

IV. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Section A: Recommendations and supporting information associated with listed requirements: N/A

"Should" denotes a recommendation.

X-Ref Requirement Number	Recommendations or other supporting information:

Section B: All other recommendations and supporting information: N/A

V. CONTACTS

Pre-Implementation Contact(s): Jessica Slater, 410-786-1891 or jessica.slater@cms.hhs.gov

Post-Implementation Contact(s): Contact your Contracting Officer's Representative (COR).

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