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Changes to local codes and paper claims for clozapine management services as a result of HIPAA

This *Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Update* introduces important changes to local codes and paper claims for clozapine management services effective October 2003, as a result of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). These changes include:

- Adopting a nationally recognized Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code to replace currently used Wisconsin Medicaid local codes.
- Revising CMS 1500 paper claim instructions.

A future *Update* will notify providers of the specific effective dates for the various changes.

Changes as a result of HIPAA

This *Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Update* introduces important billing changes for providers of clozapine management services as a result of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). These changes will be implemented in October 2003, as a result of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). A future *Update* will notify providers of the specific effective dates for the various changes. These changes are not

policy or coverage related (e.g., documentation requirements), but include:

- Adopting a nationally recognized Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code, place of service (POS) codes, and modifiers to replace currently used Wisconsin Medicaid local codes.
- Revising CMS 1500 paper claim instructions.

Note: Use of the national codes that will replace Wisconsin Medicaid local codes and revised paper claim instructions prior to implementation dates may result in claim denials. Specific implementation dates will be published in a future *Update*.

Adoption of nationally recognized codes

Wisconsin Medicaid will adopt nationally recognized codes to replace currently used Wisconsin Medicaid local codes for clozapine management services.

Allowable procedure codes

Wisconsin Medicaid will adopt HCPCS procedure code **H0034** (Medication training and support, per 15 minutes) to replace currently used local procedure codes (W8902-

W8904) for clozapine management services. Note that the billing unit has changed from a unit of service to a unit of time. Maximum allowable fees will be adjusted to reflect this change. Documentation must support the actual time spent on clozapine management services. Refer to Attachment 1 of this *Update* for a procedure code conversion chart.

For recipients who have weekly white blood cell counts, providers will only be allowed to bill clozapine management once (up to 4.0 units) per week, regardless of the number of services provided during a week. For those recipients who have white blood cell counts taken every other week, providers will only be allowed to bill clozapine management once (up to 4.0 units) every two weeks.

Modifiers

Providers will be required to use HCPCS modifier “UD” (clozapine management services) with procedure code H0034. Modifier “UD” is a national modifier that has been locally defined by Wisconsin Medicaid for clozapine management services.

Type of service codes

Type of service codes will no longer be required on Medicaid claims.

Place of service codes

Nationally recognized two-digit POS codes will replace the one-digit Wisconsin Medicaid POS codes. Refer to Attachment 2 for a list of allowable POS codes providers will be required to use for clozapine management services.

Coverage for clozapine management services

Medicaid coverage and documentation requirements for clozapine management

services will not change. Refer to the Pharmacy Handbook or Physician Services Handbook for more information on clozapine management services coverage.

Revision of CMS 1500 paper claim instructions

Medicaid-certified providers will be required to follow the revised instructions for the CMS 1500 paper claim form in this *Update*, even though the actual CMS 1500 claim form is not being revised at this time. Refer to Attachment 3 for the revised instructions. Attachment 4 is a sample of a claim that reflects the changes to the billing instructions.

Note: In some instances, paper claim instructions will be different from electronic claim instructions. Providers should refer to their software vendor’s electronic billing instructions for completing electronic claims.

Revisions made to the CMS 1500 claim form instructions

With the implementation of HIPAA, revisions made to the instructions for the CMS 1500 paper claim include the following:

- Other insurance indicators were revised (Element 9).
- Place of service codes were revised (Element 24B).
- Type of service codes are no longer required (Element 24C).
- Up to four modifiers per procedure code may be entered (Element 24D).
- Spenddown amount should no longer be entered (Element 24K). Wisconsin Medicaid will automatically reduce the provider’s reimbursement by the recipient’s spenddown amount.

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General HIPAA information

Refer to the following Web sites for more HIPAA-related information:

- www.cms.gov/hipaa/ — Includes links to the latest HIPAA news and federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services HIPAA-related links.
- aspe.hhs.gov/admsimp/ — Contains links to proposed and final rules, links to download standards and HIPAA implementation guides, and frequently asked questions regarding HIPAA and the Administrative Simplification provisions.
- www.dhfs.state.wi.us/hipaa/ — Contains Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services HIPAA-related publications, a list of HIPAA acronyms, links to related Web sites, and other valuable HIPAA information.

Information regarding Medicaid HMOs

This *Update* contains Medicaid fee-for-service information and applies to providers of services to recipients who have fee-for-service Medicaid. Since HIPAA impacts all health care payers, it is important to know that HIPAA changes, including changes from local procedure codes to nationally recognized procedure codes, will also have an impact on Medicaid HMOs. For questions related to Medicaid HMOs or managed care HIPAA-related changes, contact the appropriate managed care organization.

The *Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Update* is the first source of program policy and billing information for providers.

Although the *Update* refers to Medicaid recipients, all information applies to BadgerCare recipients also.

Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare are administered by the Division of Health Care Financing, Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services, P.O. Box 309, Madison, WI 53701-0309.

For questions, call Provider Services at (800) 947-9627 or (608) 221-9883 or visit our Web site at www.dhfs.state.wi.us/medicaid/.

ATTACHMENT 1

Procedure code conversion chart for clozapine management services

The following table lists the nationally recognized procedure code that providers will be required to use when billing for clozapine management services. A future *Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Update* will notify providers of the specific effective dates for Wisconsin Medicaid's implementation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Before HIPAA implementation	After HIPAA implementation	
Local procedure code and description	HCPCS procedure code and description	Modifier (REQUIRED) and description
W8902 Clozapine Management — No face-to-face contact between client and clozapine management provider. Client may need a telephone reminder to assure the blood draw is done, but the client is able to get to the blood draw site.	H0034 Medication training and support, per 15 minutes	UD* Clozapine management
W8903 Clozapine Management — Clozapine management provider does the blood draw at his or her office or at a site where multiple clients come.		
W8904 Clozapine Management — Clozapine management provider must go to a client's home or elsewhere to find client and draw blood (only one client per site).		

*This includes all components of clozapine management services.

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Billing units for clozapine management services	
Quantity	Time
1.0	1-15 minutes
2.0	16-30 minutes
3.0	31-45 minutes
4.0	46-60 minutes

ATTACHMENT 2

Place of service codes for clozapine management services

The following table lists the allowable place of service (POS) codes that providers of clozapine management services will be required to use when submitting claims after Wisconsin Medicaid's implementation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

POS code	Description
03	School
04	Homeless Shelter
05	Indian Health Service Free-Standing Facility
06	Indian Health Service Provider-Based Facility
07	Tribal 638 Free-Standing Facility
08	Tribal 638 Provider-Based Facility
11	Office
12	Home
22	Outpatient Hospital
34	Hospice
71	State or Local Public Health Clinic
99	Other Place of Service

ATTACHMENT 3

CMS 1500 Claim Form instructions for clozapine management services

(For claims submitted after HIPAA implementation)

Use the following claim form completion instructions, *not* the element descriptions printed on the claim form, to avoid denial or inaccurate claim payment. Complete all required elements as appropriate. Do not include attachments unless instructed to do so.

Wisconsin Medicaid recipients receive a Medicaid identification card upon being determined eligible for Wisconsin Medicaid. Always verify a recipient's eligibility before providing nonemergency services by using the Eligibility Verification System (EVS) to determine if there are any limitations on covered services and to obtain the correct spelling of the recipient's name. Refer to the Provider Resources section of the All-Provider Handbook or the Medicaid Web site at www.dhfs.state.wi.us/medicaid/ for more information about the EVS.

Element 1 – Program Block/Claim Sort Indicator

Enter claim sort indicator "P" in the Medicaid check box for the service billed.

Element 1a – Insured's I.D. Number

Enter the recipient's 10-digit Medicaid identification number. Do not enter any other numbers or letters. Use the Medicaid identification card or the EVS to obtain the correct identification number.

Element 2 – Patient's Name

Enter the recipient's last name, first name, and middle initial. Use the EVS to obtain the correct spelling of the recipient's name. If the name or spelling of the name on the Medicaid identification card and the EVS do not match, use the spelling from the EVS.

Element 3 – Patient's Birth Date, Patient's Sex

Enter the recipient's birth date in MM/DD/YY format (e.g., February 3, 1955, would be 02/03/55) or in MM/DD/YYYY format (e.g., February 3, 1955, would be 02/03/1955). Specify whether the recipient is male or female by placing an "X" in the appropriate box.

Element 4 – Insured's Name (not required)

Element 5 – Patient's Address

Enter the complete address of the recipient's place of residence, if known.

Element 6 – Patient Relationship to Insured (not required)

Element 7 – Insured's Address (not required)

Element 8 – Patient Status (not required)

Element 9 – Other Insured's Name

Commercial health insurance must be billed prior to submitting claims to Wisconsin Medicaid, unless the service does not require commercial health insurance billing as determined by Wisconsin Medicaid.

If the EVS indicates that the recipient has dental ("DEN") insurance only or has no commercial health insurance, leave Element 9 blank.

If the EVS indicates that the recipient has Wausau Health Protection Plan (“HPP”), BlueCross & BlueShield (“BLU”), Wisconsin Physicians Service (“WPS”), Medicare Supplement (“SUP”), TriCare (“CHA”), Vision only (“VIS”), a health maintenance organization (“HMO”), or some other (“OTH”) commercial health insurance, **and** the service requires other insurance billing according to the Coordination of Benefits section of the All-Provider Handbook, then one of the following three other insurance (OI) explanation codes **must** be indicated in the **first** box of Element 9. The description is not required, nor is the policyholder, plan name, group number, etc. (Elements 9a, 9b, 9c, and 9d are not required.)

Code	Description
OI-P	PAID in part or full by commercial health insurance. In Element 29 of this claim form, indicate the amount paid by commercial health insurance to the provider or to the insured.
OI-D	DENIED by commercial health insurance or commercial HMO following submission of a correct and complete claim, or payment was applied towards the coinsurance and deductible. Do not use this code unless the claim was actually billed to the commercial health insurer.
OI-Y	YES, the recipient has commercial health insurance or commercial HMO coverage, but it was not billed for reasons including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The recipient denied coverage or will not cooperate. ✓ The provider knows the service in question is not covered by the carrier. ✓ The recipient’s commercial health insurance failed to respond to initial and follow-up claims. ✓ Benefits are not assignable or cannot get assignment. ✓ Benefits are exhausted.

Note: The provider may not use OI-D or OI-Y if the recipient is covered by a commercial HMO and the HMO denied payment because an otherwise covered service was not rendered by a designated provider. Services covered by a commercial HMO are not reimbursable by Wisconsin Medicaid except for the copayment and deductible amounts. Providers who receive a capitation payment from the commercial HMO may not bill Wisconsin Medicaid for services that are included in the capitation payment.

Element 10 – Is Patient’s Condition Related to (not required)

Element 11 – Insured’s Policy, Group, or FECA Number (not required)

Elements 12 and 13 – Authorized Person’s Signature (not required)

Element 14 – Date of Current Illness, Injury, or Pregnancy (not required)

Element 15 – If Patient Has Had Same or Similar Illness (not required)

Element 16 – Dates Patient Unable to Work in Current Occupation (not required)

Elements 17 and 17a – Name and I.D. Number of Referring Physician or Other Source (not required)

Element 18 – Hospitalization Dates Related to Current Services (not required)

Element 19 – Reserved for Local Use (not required)

Element 20 – Outside Lab? (not required)

Element 21 – Diagnosis or Nature of Illness or Injury

Enter the *International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification* diagnosis code (295.10-295.95) for each symptom or condition related to the services provided. List the primary diagnosis first. Etiology (“E”) and manifestation (“M”) codes may not be used as a primary diagnosis. The diagnosis description is not required.

Element 22 – Medicaid Resubmission (not required)

Element 23 – Prior Authorization Number (not required)

Element 24A – Date(s) of Service

Enter the month, day, and year for each procedure in MM/DD/YY or MM/DD/YYYY format in the “From” field.

For recipients who have weekly white blood cell counts, clozapine management may only be billed once per week, regardless of the number of services provided during that week. For those recipients who have white blood cell counts taken every other week, clozapine management may be billed only once every two weeks.

Element 24B – Place of Service

Enter the appropriate two-digit place of service (POS) code for each service. Refer to Attachment 2 of this *Wisconsin Medicaid and BadgerCare Update* for a list of allowable POS codes for clozapine management services.

Element 24C – Type of Service (not required)

Element 24D – Procedures, Services, or Supplies

Enter the single most appropriate five-character procedure code. Wisconsin Medicaid denies claims received without an appropriate procedure code.

Modifiers

Enter the appropriate (up to four per procedure code) modifier(s) in the "Modifier" column of Element 24D. Please note that Wisconsin Medicaid has not adopted all national modifiers.

Element 24E – Diagnosis Code

Enter the number (1, 2, 3, or 4) that corresponds to the appropriate diagnosis code listed in Element 21.

Element 24F – \$ Charges

Enter the total charge for each line item. Providers are required to bill Wisconsin Medicaid their usual and customary charge. The usual and customary charge is the provider’s charge for providing the same service to persons not entitled to Medicaid benefits.

Element 24G – Days or Units

Enter the appropriate number of units for each line item. Always use a decimal (e.g., 2.0 units).

Element 24H – EPSDT/Family Plan (not required)

Element 24I – EMG (not required)

Element 24J – COB (not required)

Element 24K – Reserved for Local Use

Enter the eight-digit Medicaid provider number of the performing provider for each procedure if that number is different than the billing provider number in Element 33. Any other information in this element may result in claim denial.

Note: Pharmacies are not required to enter a performing provider number in this element.

Element 25 – Federal Tax I.D. Number (not required)**Element 26 – Patient’s Account No. (not required)**

Optional — Providers may enter up to 20 characters of the patient’s internal office account number. This number will appear on the Remittance and Status Report and/or the 835 Health Care Claim Payment/Advice transaction.

Element 27 – Accept Assignment (not required)**Element 28 – Total Charge**

Enter the total charges for this claim.

Element 29 – Amount Paid

Enter the actual amount paid by commercial health insurance. (If the dollar amount indicated in Element 29 is greater than zero, “OI-P” must be indicated in Element 9.) If the commercial health insurance denied the claim, enter "000." Do **not** enter Medicare-paid amounts in this field.

Element 30 – Balance Due

Enter the balance due as determined by subtracting the amount paid in Element 29 from the amount in Element 28.

Element 31 – Signature of Physician or Supplier

The provider or the authorized representative must sign in Element 31. The month, day, and year the form is signed must also be entered in MM/DD/YY or MM/DD/YYYY format.

Note: The signature may be a computer-printed or typed name and date or a signature stamp with the date.

Element 32 – Name and Address of Facility Where Services Were Rendered (not required)**Element 33 – Physician’s, Supplier’s Billing Name, Address, ZIP Code, and Phone #**

Enter the name of the provider submitting the claim and the complete mailing address. The minimum requirement is the provider’s name, address, city, state, and Zip code. At the bottom of Element 33, enter the billing provider’s eight-digit Medicaid provider number.

ATTACHMENT 4

Sample CMS 1500 claim form for clozapine management services

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM																							
1. MEDICARE <input type="checkbox"/> MEDICAID <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPUS <input type="checkbox"/> CHAMPVA <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP HEALTH PLAN <input type="checkbox"/> FECA BLK LUNG <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER <input type="checkbox"/> <small>(Medicare #) (Medicaid #) (Sponsor's SSN) (VA File #) (SSN or ID) (SSN) (ID)</small>					1a. INSURED'S I.D. NUMBER (FOR PROGRAM IN ITEM 1) 1234567890																		
2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) Recipient, Im A.					3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE MM DD YY M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> MM DD YY M X F																		
5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street) 609 Willow St					6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>																		
CITY Anytown			STATE WI		7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)			CITY STATE															
ZIP CODE 55555			TELEPHONE (Include Area Code) (xxx) xxx-xxxx		8. PATIENT STATUS Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>			CITY STATE															
9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) OI-P			10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO: a. EMPLOYMENT? (CURRENT OR PREVIOUS) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER			11. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>														
a. OTHER INSURED'S POLICY OR GROUP NUMBER			b. AUTO ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			b. EMPLOYER'S NAME OR SCHOOL NAME			d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO # yes, return to and complete item 9 a-d.														
b. OTHER INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH MM DD YY M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>			c. OTHER ACCIDENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME			13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.														
c. EMPLOYER'S NAME OR SCHOOL NAME			10d. RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE			d. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME			SIGNED _____ DATE _____														
12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.					13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.																		
SIGNED _____ DATE _____					SIGNED _____ DATE _____																		
14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS (First symptom) OR INJURY (Accident) OR PREGNANCY(LMP) MM DD YY			15. IF PATIENT HAS HAD SAME OR SIMILAR ILLNESS. GIVE FIRST DATE MM DD YY			16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY			18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY														
17. NAME OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN OR OTHER SOURCE					17a. I.D. NUMBER OF REFERRING PHYSICIAN					20. OUTSIDE LAB? \$ CHARGES <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO													
19. RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE					21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY. (RELATE ITEMS 1,2,3 OR 4 TO ITEM 24E BY LINE)					22. MEDICAID RESUBMISSION CODE ORIGINAL REF. NO.													
1. 295.70					3. _____					23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER													
2. _____					4. _____					24. TABLE OF SERVICES													
A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I		J		K			
DATE(S) OF SERVICE		To		Place of Service		Type of Service		PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances) CPT/HCPCS MODIFIER		DIAGNOSIS CODE		\$ CHARGES		DAYS OR UNITS		EPSDT Family Plan		EMG		COB		RESERVED FOR LOCAL USE	
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12	08	03			11			H0034	UD			XX	XX	2.0									
12	15	03			11			H0034	UD			XX	XX	1.0									
12	22	03			11			H0034	UD			XX	XX	1.0									
25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER SSN EIN					26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.					27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For govt. claims, see back) <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					28. TOTAL CHARGE \$ XXX XX		29. AMOUNT PAID \$ XX XX		30. BALANCE DUE \$ XX XX				
31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.) <i>J.A. Authorized</i> MM/DD/YY					32. NAME AND ADDRESS OF FACILITY WHERE SERVICES WERE RENDERED (if other than home or office)					33. PHYSICIAN'S, SUPPLIER'S BILLING NAME, ADDRESS, ZIP CODE & PHONE # I.M. Pharmacy 1 W. Williams Anytown, WI 55555 87654321													
SIGNED _____ DATE _____					SIGNED _____ DATE _____					PIN# _____ GRP# _____													

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