

1. Pharmacy (Reg 4.13.1)

Current: 100% AWP or actual charge whichever is less.

Proposed: a) Define AWP [See NY Reg 440.2, #1,2,4].

b) Reimburse: [See NY Reg 440.5, #1,2,3] AWP for national drug code for the Rx drug or medicine on day it was dispensed minus 12% plus a dispensing fee of \$4.00 for brand name drugs or medicines, or minus 20% plus a dispensing fee of \$5.00 for generic drugs or medicines.

c) Prohibit repackaging.

d) Adopt "DE Medical Assistance Program (DMAP) Preferred Drug List (PDL) effective 1/4/13, updated 12/13/12", to be reviewed by HCAP annually, beginning 7/1/14, to determine whether any changes, additions and/or deletions are to be made. Oxycontin to be prohibited except for management of patients currently receiving this medication.

2. Pathology (Reg 4.27.1)

Current: No restriction on drug testing; fee/charge: 85 POC.

Proposed: Maximum drug testing 4x/yr. absent pre-authorization; confirmatory testing only if the point of care testing is not consistent with that which the prescriber expected based on medicine prescribed.

Fee/Charge: Maximum of \$100.00 regardless of number of drugs being screened for and/or number of dip sticks, testing instruments, materials or the like used, or provider's charge, whichever is less.

3. Anesthesia (§2322B(7); Reg 4.20.1)

Current: 85 POC, 10/31/06

Proposed: (change to RVU=18.9% discount from 2013). Unit charge will be \$100.00 per unit in geo--zip 197, \$76.00 per unit in geo--zip 199, with annual CPI-U adjustment. Flat Fees to be billed/paid at 70 POC.

4. Radiology (§2322B (11); Reg 4.26.1)

Current: 90% 75th or 85 POC, 10/31/06

Proposed: Delete Reg 4.26.1.1.1 and 4.26.1.1.2 (90%--75th; 85 POC, 10/31/06)--to be replaced by 85% of 90% of 75th percentile...

5. Pathology, Laboratory, Radiology (§2322B(11); Reg 4.27.1)

Current: 90% 75th or 85 POC, 10/31/06.

Proposed: Delete last sentence "...savings of 15% for charges...10/31/06".

Amend §2322B(3) [at end of 2nd sentence]--"For pathology, laboratory, radiological services and durable medical equipment the payment system will set fees at 85% of 90% of the 75th percentile of actual charges..."

Delete last sentence, 1st paragraph §2322B(3) and replace with:
"Based upon data available the HCAP may recommend an alternative method for a payment system for professional charges."

6. 85 POC to Fee Schedule

HCPCS--16% savings from 85 POC
CPT--10% savings from 85 POC
Combined/overall savings of 10-11%.