

PROVIDER QUICK POINTS

Provider information



October 31, 2012

MNCare tax for home infusion providers

Effective October 1, 2012, MNCare tax will be added to the reimbursement for eligible services billed by home infusion providers.

For all health services paid based upon a "fixed fee" method (e.g., fee schedule amounts, per diem amounts, per case amounts, etc.), this means that Blue Cross shall add an amount representing the tax to such fixed payments (e.g., if the fee schedule amount is \$100.00 and the then current tax percentage is 2.0%, Blue Cross shall pay Provider \$102.00). For all health services paid at regular billed charge or a percentage of regular billed charge, the amount billed to Blue Cross by Provider shall be deemed to include the then current tax amount and Blue Cross shall not increase its payment by the applicable tax percentage amount for such claims (e.g., if Provider is paid on a 70% of regular billed charge basis, and Provider's regular billed charges is \$100.00, Blue Cross shall reimburse the Provider \$70.00).

Questions?

If you have questions, please contact provider services at **(651) 662-5200** or toll free at **1-800-262-0820**.