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Reimbursement Update

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota and Blue Plus (Blue Cross) recently identified a pricing discrepancy for Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) providers billing CPT Procedure Code 99501.

Blue Cross sent provider contract renewal documents to participating Public Health Nursing Clinic providers dated November 1, 2017, for a renewal date of January 1, 2018. The contract documents removed the custom reimbursement rate for CPT 99501. Blue Cross did not accurately update the MHCP fee schedules at that time.

Effective July 1, 2023, Blue Cross is updating the MHCP fee schedule to reflect reimbursement at 100% of the Blue Plus medical assistance fee schedule as determined by Blue Plus. This rate is reflected in the Addendum to the Blue Plus Referral Health Professional Provider Service Agreement for Public Health Nursing Clinic Services under contract provision in Article IV: A.

Products Impacted

- Families and Children (formerly Prepaid Medical Assistance Program)
- MinnesotaCare
- Minnesota Senior Care Plus (MSC+)
- Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO)

Questions?

Please contact provider services at **1-866-518-8448**.

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