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Molina Healthcare of Michigan – April 2023 Updates

Molina Will Adhere to CMS Guidelines for Laterality DX and Anatomical Modifiers

This is a reminder that Molina follows CMS requirements for laterality-specific diagnosis codes on all claims for which left or right modifiers are required. For example ...

LT: Left side (used to identify procedures performed on the left side of the body)

RT: Right side (used to identify procedures performed on the right side of the body) Modifiers LT and RT apply to codes that identify procedures that can be performed on paired organs, e.g., ears, eyes, nostrils, kidneys, lungs, and ovaries.

These modifiers should be used whenever a procedure is performed on only one side. Hospitals should report the appropriate RT or LT modifier to identify which of the paired organs was operated upon. Below are links to the corresponding CMS documents regarding these requirements.

Specified Laterality Diagnosis Link:

<https://www.cms.gov/files/document/r11059cp.pdf>

Anatomical Modifier Link:

<https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/downloads/clm104c04.pdf>

Molina Healthcare of Michigan 2023 Medicaid Provider Manual Now Available

Molina Healthcare of Michigan's 2023 Medicaid Provider Manual is now available online at <https://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/mi/medicaid/manual/provmanual.aspx>. Printed copies are available upon request (see request instructions on online manual cover). Our 2023 Medicare and Marketplace provider manuals are also available online – our Dual Options (MI Health Link) Provider Manual will be available soon.

Molina Medicaid Member Redetermination Information for Providers Coming Soon

Due to the conclusion of the COVID-19 public health emergency during which the eligibility redetermination process for Michigan Medicaid members was stopped, MDHHS will resume the redetermination process in June. Molina will be communicating with our members and provider partners to help ensure that Medicaid-eligible members retain their coverage. Watch for additional information in the near future.

If you have questions regarding any of the topics listed above, please contact your Provider Service Representative directly or you can contact the Provider Services Department by phone at 947-622-1230 or by email at MHMProviderServicesMailbox@MolinaHealthcare.com.

Thank you for serving Molina members!