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Date: Thursday, October 2, 2003
To: PTBMIS Codes Manual Update Group
From: Wendy Long, MD, Bureau Director
Subject: IMMEDIATE CHANGE PTBMIS Codes Manual Update

The latest changes to the PTBMIS Codes Manual, which were necessitated by the upcoming flu vaccinations, are included in this e-mail. The Table of Contents will not change with this update but will change with a major revision that will be distributed shortly.

Please update your manual with these changes and use them when giving flu shots.

The changes in the format of this manual are:

- This cover page will attempt to explain the changes to each section in such detail as to allow the user to have an understanding of the change to that section.
- Actual changes to the manual are shown with **shaded text**, that is, gray background and black letters. Each time a given page changes the **shaded text** from previous changes will be replaced with normal text.
- Within a given section, those changed or added cells will be denoted by **shaded text**.
- A deleted row in a table will be replaced with the words 'Service Deleted' in **shaded text**. At the next change of this page, this row will be deleted from the section.
- As sections are changed, all Change Pages for those sections will be removed from the manual.

Please insert this cover memo in the front of your PTBMIS Codes Manual.

Please note the attached changes to PTBMIS Codes Manual:

1. Section 220 – Vaccines/Immunizations

Remove pages 2,3,6,11		Add pages 2,3,6,11
SECTION	EXPLANATION	
220.010	Removed comments regarding coding flu shots for babies and children.	
220.020	Removed comments regarding coding flu shots for babies and children.	
220.050	Removed comments regarding coding flu shots for babies and children. Added new instructions for coding flu shots for babies and children.	
220.090	Added new codes to capture race for flu vaccinations.	

Attachments:

220.010 - Immunizations With Comprehensive Exam

Last Change Date: 10/02/2003

PROCEDURE	CODE	PROGRAM	RE	DIAGNOSIS	CODE	QTY	
<u>Preventive Office Visit Age Specific</u>		CH OR EP	As Approp	Exam, Well Baby OR	V202	1	
New Patient	99381 - 99383			Exam, Routine	V709		
Established Patient	99391 - 99393						
Lab(S) Completed							
Venipuncture (If Done)	36415						
Ear, Finger Or Heel Stick	36416						
Lab Handling (If Outside Lab)	99000						
Drug(S)	Use Pharmacy Module						
Vaccines	See Vaccine Codes	CH OR MH OR WH	As Approp	System Assigns Vaccine Codes	As Approp	As Approp	
Single Administration	90471						1
Multiple Administration (Number Of Shots Over 1)	90472						# Imms Given Over One

COMMENTS:

~~To code flu shots for babies (6 through 35 months of age) use codes FLB and 90782 each time the shot is given.~~

~~To code flu shots for children (3 through 18 years of age) use codes FLC and 90782 each time the shot is given.~~

If you have contracted to charge an office visit for giving an immunization (i.e., Hep B), code the vaccine (i.e. HBC) and use code 10299 or 78085 - Education/Contract Services with the appropriate quantity at \$1.00 per unit to make up the difference.

Code injections (i.e., Hep B) given to patients 21 and over when there is no contract and should be no charge using Program Code EI rather than MH or WH.

TennCare Advocacy	99401T	TO	6	May Use Primary Diagnosis For Encounter OR		1
	99402T			Unspecified Administrative Purpose	V689	

COMMENTS:

Advocacy may be coded as appropriate. See [TennCare Section](#) to identify activities and services related to TennCare.

220.020 Immunization Only Visit (No Exam)

Last Change Date: 10/02/2003

PROCEDURE	CODE	PROGRAM	RE	DIAGNOSIS	CODE	QTY
Vaccines	See Vaccine Codes	CH OR MH OR WH	As Approp	System Assigns Vaccine Code	As Approp	1
Single Administration	90471					
Single Administration (No Charge)	90471NC					
Multiple Administration (Number Of Shots Over 1)	90472					
COMMENTS:						
To code flu shots for babies (6 through 35 months of age) use codes FLB and 90782 each time the shot is given.						
To code flu shots for children (3 through 18 years of age) use codes FLC and 90782 each time the shot is given.						
If you have contracted to charge an office visit for giving an immunization (i.e., Hep B), code the vaccine (i.e. HBC) and use code 10299 or 78085 - Education/Contract Services with the appropriate quantity at \$1.00 per unit to make up the difference.						
Code injections (i.e., Hep B) given to patients 21 and over when there is no contract and should be no charge using Program Code EI rather than MH or WH.						
TennCare Advocacy	99401T	TO	6	May Use Primary Diagnosis For Encounter OR		1
	99402T			Unspecified Administrative Purpose	V689	
COMMENTS:						
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220.050 - Injection Codes

Last Change Date: 10/02/2003

PROCEDURE	CODE	PROGRAM	RE	DIAGNOSIS	CODE	QTY
<u>ON-SITE CLINIC INDIVIDUAL PATIENT</u> <u>"L" REGISTRATION (LONG) (HAS MEDICAL RECORD)</u>		CH OR MH OR MH	As Approp	FLU	V048	1
Flu Injection*	90782F					
Pneumonia Injection	90782P			PNE	V039	
Injection of Drug, Antibiotic, etc.	90782			As Approp	As Approp	
<p>COMMENTS: To code flu shots for babies (6 through 35 months of age), use codes FLB and 90782 each time the shot is given. To code flu shots for children (3 through 18 years of age) use codes FLC and 90782 each time the shot is given.</p> <p>- *Flu shots for children (FLB and FLC) should be coded the same as any other childhood immunization using administration code 90471 instead of the flu injection code 90782F.</p> <p>• * Flu shots for children (FLB & FLC) should be coded the same as any other childhood immunization using administration code 90471 instead of injection code 90782F</p>						
TennCare Advocacy	99401T	TO	6	May use primary diagnosis for encounter OR		1
	99402T			Unspecified administrative purpose	V689	
<p>COMMENTS: Advocacy may be coded as appropriate. See TennCare Section to identify activities and services related to TennCare.</p>						

220.090 - Vaccine Codes for Mass Immunization Clinics

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PROCEDURE	CODE	PROGRAM	RE	DIAGNOSIS	CODE	QTY
Flu (Black)	78088B	OR WH OR MH OR As Approp	As Approp	As Approp.	As Approp.	# Of Imms Given
Flu (White)	78088W					
Flu (All Other Races)	78088A					
Hepatitis A	78089					
Hepatitis B	78094					
Hepatitis B -- No Charge	78094NC					
MMR	78093					
Pneumonia	78092					
Tetanus Diphtheria	78095					
OPV	78096					
DTAP	78098					
TennCare Advocacy	99401T	TO	6	May Use Primary Diagnosis From Encounter OR		1
	99402T			Unspecified Administrative Purpose	V689	

COMMENTS:

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