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Physicians, Psychiatrists, Podiatrists, Mid-Level
Practitioners, Laboratories, Hospitals, Public
Health Clinics, FQHCs, and RHCs
MONTANA MEDICAID NOTICE

Billing for Lab Panels

This is an important reminder for providers to follow the CPT-4 guidelines when billing multiple lab codes &/or multiple units of a lab code as it pertains to billing the lab panel code. The Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) is aware that some claims for lab procedures may have been reimbursed inappropriately. DPHHS and ACS/Consultec are working on pricing solutions and to determine the scope of overpayments.

No action is required from you at this time. If you have any questions, please call Provider Relations at:

Helena and out-of-state: (406) 442-1837
In-state toll-free: 1-800-624-3958