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Montana Health Care Programs Notice

Hospital Inpatient

Effective January 1, 2015

Long Acting Reversible Contraception (LARC) Inserted at Time of Delivery in a PPS Hospital

Long-acting reversible contraception (LARC) such as IUDs and contraceptive implants are shown to be safe and highly beneficial when inserted immediately postpartum.

Currently, any LARC inserted immediately post-partum in a PPS hospital is bundled into the APR/DRG birth payment. The APR/DRG does not increase the payment when a LARC is inserted during the hospital stay.

Effective January 1, 2015, Montana Medicaid is allowing PPS hospitals to unbundle the LARC device and the insertion from the inpatient delivery claim.

These services can now be billed as an outpatient service on a 13X type of bill, and will be paid at the OPPS rates. The following HCPCS/CPT codes are allowed:

- J7300 – Paragard, intrauterine copper contraceptive
- J7301 – Skyla, levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive, 13.5 mg
- J7302 – Mirena, levonorgestrel releasing Intrauterine contraceptive, 52 mg
- J7307– Implanon/Nexplanon, etonogestrel (contraceptive) implant system, including implant and supplies
- 11981– Insertion of drug delivery implant
- 58300 – Insertion of intrauterine device

Contact Information

If you have any questions please contact Jennifer Rieden at 406-444-7018.

For claims questions or additional information, contact Provider Relations at 1-800-624-3958 (toll-free, in/out of state) or 406-442-1837 (Helena) or via e-mail at MTPRHelpdesk@xerox.com.

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