



MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE

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Outpatient Hospitals and Critical Access Hospitals (CAH)

Effective October 1, 2020

Updated ICD-10 Obstetric Observation Diagnosis Codes

When billing for an emergency department, clinic, critical care admit, or direct admit for an obstetric observation qualifying condition, use revenue code 762 in conjunction with procedure codes 99234, 99235, or 99236 and the appropriate ICD-10 diagnosis code.

A complete list of qualifying diagnosis codes for billing claims related to obstetric observations is available upon request; please contact the Hospital Program Officer.

Effective October 1, 2020, the following ICD-10 diagnosis codes will be added to the qualifying diagnosis codes:

| ICD-10 Code | Description |
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| O34.218 | Maternal care for other type scar from previous cesarean delivery |
| O34.22 | Maternal care for cesarean scar defect (isthmocele) |
| O99.891 | Other specified diseases and conditions complicating pregnancy |
| O99.892 | Other specified diseases and conditions complicating childbirth |
| O99.893 | Other specified diseases and conditions complicating puerperium |

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