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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eyeglasses • Optician • Optometrist 	Prior Authorization Changes to Eyeglasses and Contacts	04/22/2024	04/23/2024	04/23/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambulatory Surgical Center 	April 2024 ASC Fee Schedule	4/22/2024	4/23/2024	4/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hospital Outpatient 	April 2024 APC Fee Schedule	4/22/2024	4/25/2024	4/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hospital Outpatient 	April 2024 OPPS Fee Schedule	4/22/2024	4/25/2024	4/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training 	National Diabetes Prevention Program Training	4/23/2024	4/23/2024	4/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developmental Disabilities Program (DDP) 	July 2023 DDP Fee Schedule Revised	04/25/2024	04/26/2024	07/01/2023

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tribal 638 IHS 	April 2024 IHS Tribal Agenda	4/16/2024	4/16/2024	04/16/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tribal 638 IHS 	April 2024 Nation Diabetes Prevention Program Training	4/16/2024	4/16/2024	4/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Durable Medical Equipment (DME) 	DME Claims Processing Instructions – Prior Authorization Required to Exceed Maximum Units	04/18/2024	04/19/2024	04/19/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Providers 	Changes Regarding Opioid Prior Authorization and Medication for Opioid Use Disorder	04/18/2024	04/19/2024	04/19/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developmental Disabilities Program (DDP) 	Developmental Disabilities Workforce Capacity Development Near-Term Initiative	04/19/2024	04/19/2024	04/19/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Critical Access Hospital• Durable Medical Equipment• Hospital Inpatient• Hospital Outpatient• Mid-Level• Physician	Negative Pressure Wound Therapy Pumps (E2402) Do Not Require Prior Authorization	04/05/2024	04/08/2024	04/08/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mental Health • Therapeutic Group Homes 	Telehealth Policy Clarification for Childrens Mental Health Services	04/01/2024	04/02/2024	04/02/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mental Health Centers 	Temporary Suspension of Prior Authorization and Continued Stay Review Requirements	04/01/2024	04/02/2024	04/02/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pharmacy/DUR 	March 2024 PDL/DUR Meeting Minutes	04/03/2024	04/04/2024	03/13/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical Access Hospital • Inpatient Hospital • Mid-level • Outpatient Hospital • Physician • RHC • FQHC • Tribal 638 • IHS 	Written Orders for Physical, Occupational, and Speech Therapy	04/03/2024	04/05/2024	04/05/2024



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March 29, 2024

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pharmacy	April 2024 Pharmacy DUR Agenda	03/26/2024	03/26/2024	03/26/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Providers	Updated CLIA Claims Editing	03/25/2024	03/27/2024	03/27/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Providers	Avoiding Claim Denials	03/26/2024	03/27/2024	03/27/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Providers	Location Address and Provider Maintenance Updates Reminder	03/26/2024	03/27/2024	03/27/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Providers	Resources for Providers in Response to the Change Healthcare Cyberattack	03/27/2024	03/27/2024	03/27/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All Providers	HHS Letter to HC Providers	03/27/2024	03/27/2024	03/27/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Providers 	Electronic Funds Transfer Payment Verification	03/12/2024	03/12/2024	03/12/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Big Sky Waiver • Developmental Disabilities Program • Home Health • Personal Assistance/Community First Choice • Private Duty Nursing • SDMI 	Electronic Visit Verification Implementation Update	03/18/2024	03/19/2024	03/19/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pharmacy 	February DUR Meeting Minutes	03/19/2024	03/19/2024	02/14/2024

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• All Providers	Valid Member ID and Eligibility Information	03/12/2024	03/12/2024	03/12/2024
• All Providers	Provider Initiated Claim Adjustments	03/12/2024	03/12/2024	03/12/2024
• Physician	Physician Services Fee Schedule July 2023	03/14/2024	03/14/2024	07/01/2023
• Mid-Level Practitioner	Mid-Level Services Fee Schedule July 2023	03/14/2024	03/14/2024	07/01/2023
• Hospital Outpatient	OPP Services Fee Schedule January 2024	03/14/2024	03/14/2024	01/01/2024
• Hospital Outpatient	APC Services Fee Schedule January 2024	03/14/2024	03/14/2024	01/01/2024
• Hospital Inpatient	APR DRG Fee Schedule October 2023	03/14/2024	03/14/2024	10/01/2023

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pharmacy 	Preferred Drug List March 2024	03/01/2024	03/04/2024	03/04/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dentist • Denturist • Oral Surgeon 	Coverage Criteria – Fluoride Gel Carrier, CDT D5986	03/04/2024	03/05/2024	03/05/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Providers 	Voiding Claims with a Prior Authorization	03/04/2024	03/05/2024	03/05/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chemical Dependency Providers 	American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) Services Refresher Training Opportunity (April)	03/05/2024	03/06/2024	03/06/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licensed Addiction Counselors • Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists • Licensed Professional Counselors • Social Workers 	Licensing Requirements for Out-of-State Mental Health Practitioners Practicing Via Telehealth in Montana	03/05/2024	03/05/2024	03/06/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DME 	July 2023 DME Services Fee Schedule	03/06/2024	03/06/2024	07/01/2023



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March 1, 2024

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pharmacy DUR 	March 2024 Pharmacy DUR Agenda	02/27/2024	02/27/2024	02/27/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dentist • Denturist • Dental Hygienist • Oral Surgeon 	Tooth Number Required When Billing for Codes D0220 and D0230	02/23/2024	02/27/2024	02/23/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dentist • Denturist • Dental Hygienist • Oral Surgeon 	Updated Supernumerary Teeth Claims Processing	03/01/2024	03/01/2024	02/22/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optometrist 	July 2023 Optometrist Services Fee Schedule Revised	03/01/2024	03/01/2024	07/01/2023



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indian Health Services Tribal 638 	Montana Medicaid Reimbursement Services Training	02/20/2024	02/20/2024	02/20/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indian Health Services Tribal 638 	IHS Tribal Training Agenda February 2024	02/20/2024	02/20/2024	02/20/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Big Sky Waiver 	Big Sky Waiver Fee Schedule for July 2023 Revised	02/20/2024	02/20/2024	02/20/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemical Dependency Providers 	American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) Services Refresher Training Opportunity	02/21/2024	02/22/2024	02/22/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ambulatory Surgical Center • Direct Entry Midwife • Family Planning • FQHC • Hospital Inpatient • Hospital Outpatient • IHS • Mental Health Center • Mid-Level • Physician • Public Health Clinic • RHC • Tribal 638 Providers 	Medicaid 12-Month Postpartum Continuous Eligibility Coverage	02/13/2024	02/14/2024	02/14/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical Access Hospitals • Family Planning Clinic • FQHC • Hospital Inpatient • Hospital Outpatient • IHS • Mid-Level • Physician • RHC • Tribal 638 Providers 	How to Obtain a Double Electric Breast Pump, HCPCS E0603	02/13/2024	02/14/2024	02/14/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training 	General Resources Presentation	02/16/2024	02/16/2024	02/16/2024

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developmental Disabilities Program • Mental Health Center • PRTF • Therapeutic Group Home • SDMI • Chemical Dependency Providers 	BHDD Awarding Grant Funds to Increase Residential bed Capacity in Montana	02/05/2024	02/05/2024	02/05/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School-Based Services 	Update July 2023 Schools Fee Schedule Excel	02/05/2024	02/05/2024	07/01/2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical Access Hospitals • Hospital Inpatient • Hospital Outpatient 	Hospital Facility Utilization Fee 2023	02/06/2024	02/06/2024	02/06/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nursing Facility 	Medicaid Nursing Facility Add-On Application	02/08/2024	02/08/2024	02/08/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nursing Facility 	Complex Care Add-On Structure	02/08/2024	02/08/2024	02/08/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Family Planning• FQHC• RHC• Hospital Outpatient• Mid-Level• Physician• Public Health Clinic	Vaccines for Children Code Update	01/26/2024	01/29/2024	01/26/2024

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Providers 	Montana Healthcare Programs Support Services Holiday Closures	01/22/2024	01/23/2024	01/23/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Audiologist Hearing Aid Providers 	Non-Covered Services: Over-the-Counter Hearing Aids	01/26/2024	01/26/2024	01/26/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies 	Criteria Update for Gait Trainers – EPSDT Only	01/26/2024	01/26/2024	01/26/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indian Health Service• Mid-Level• Pharmacy• Physician• Tribal 638 Providers	Prior Authorization Criteria for Atypical Antipsychotics for Children 8 Years of Age and Under	01/16/2024	01/17/2024	01/17/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ambulatory Surgical Center	January 2024 ASC Fee Schedule	01/17/2024	01/18/2024	01/01/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Training	Passport to Health Training	01/18/2024	01/18/2024	01/18/2024



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pharmacy DUR 	October 2023 Pharmacy DUR Minutes	01/08/2024	01/08/2024	10/25/2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Providers 	Electronic Claim Adjustment Processing Change	01/05/2024	01/08/2024	01/08/2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAH • FQHC • Hospital Inpatient • Hospital Outpatient • IHS • Mid-Level • Pharmacy • Physician • RHC • Tribal 638 	AMP Cap Removal and Medication Access	01/08/2024	01/08/2024	01/08/2024



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• IHS	January 2024 Indian Health Service Fee Schedule	12/22/2023	01/05/2024	01/01/2024
• Tribal 638	January 2024 Tribal 638 Fee Schedule	12/22/2023	01/05/2024	01/01/2024