

New BCBS Delaware Reimbursement Policy for Some Injectable Medications

Effective April 2013 Highmark BCBS of Delaware will be transitioning to a new reimbursement process for certain injectable medications.

For the complete list and details please see the attached documents.

Mandatory Training for Practitioners

As a reminder, **each licensing period** all professionals who are licensed by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline (*nurses are not required to have this training*), i.e., physician assistants, respiratory care practitioners, paramedics, genetics counselors, acupuncture practitioners, and acupuncture detoxification specialists, as well as physicians, are required to provide an attestation on their license renewal of completion of mandatory training on the recognition of child sexual and physical abuse, exploitation, and domestic violence, and the reporting obligations under the Medical Practice Act (regarding the duty to report unprofessional conduct and the inability to practice medicine) and § 903 of Title 16. This Delaware-specific mandatory training is required by Section 1723 of the Medical Practices Act, which became effective August 1, 2010. The Medical Society of Delaware is currently working with the Child Protection Accountability Commission (CPAC) and the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline in development of combined educational content incorporating necessary updates to satisfy the mandatory training requirement. Please watch for future MSD communications which will announce the availability of the mandatory training necessary for license renewal. Current physician and physician assistant licenses expire March 31, 2013.

Source: MSD

Credentialing Notice

United Medical's credentialing department has recently received the following notification and we would like to share this with you...

Coventry Health Care of Delaware announces new Provider Relations Representative assignments:

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As always, if there is anything we can do please let us know!

Thank you,

The Credentialing Staff at United Medical, LLC

United Medical's 7th Anniversary

Dear Clients:

I am honored to announce United Medical's 7th Anniversary.

All of us here at United Medical appreciate the trust you place in our team. We are all committed to applying our efforts to your accounts to ensure a financially stable future for your practice.

My vision for the future of UM is a transformation from a billing company to an integrated, organic healthcare organization. Over the past two years, our team has been instrumental in helping physicians attest to meaningful use; implementing Electronic Medical Records in over 60 practices; and improving the overall financial stability of each and every one of our clients.

Thank you for your business! We appreciate it very much!

Sincerely,

Kemal Erkan, CEO/President
United Medical, LLC