

Distribution: Ambulance 03-01

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Subject: 2003 Procedure Code Updates

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Programs Affected: Medicaid, Children's Special Health Care Services

This bulletin is to notify you of the HCPCS (Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System) changes for 2003 that will be implemented by the Department of Community Health (DCH) for dates of service on and after April 1, 2003.

Listed below are the HCPCS procedure code changes being adopted by the DCH for Ambulance. Any new procedure code not listed will not be covered at this time. All procedure codes being deleted from the national code sets will be eliminated from use for dates of service on and after April 1, 2003. Refer to your 2003 HCPCS codebook for the full description of the new codes, as well as a full list of deleted codes, added codes, and code description.

HCPCS Code	Short Description
Q3019	ALS emer trans no ALS serv
Q3020	ALS nonemer trans no ALS ser
T2006	Amb response & trt, no trans

Information regarding 2003 fees and coverage parameters (when appropriate) for covered codes will be posted on the DCH website when available. The website address is www.michigan.gov/mdch, click on Providers, Information for Medicaid Providers, Medicaid Fee Screens.

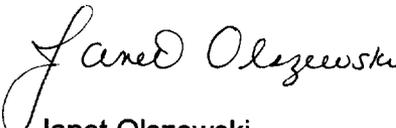
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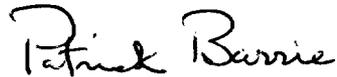
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Questions

Any questions regarding this bulletin should be directed to Provider Inquiry, Department of Community Health, P.O. Box 30731, Lansing, Michigan 48909-8231 or e-mail ProviderSupport@michigan.gov. When you submit an e-mail, be sure to include your name, affiliation, and phone number so you may be contacted if necessary. Providers may phone toll free 1-800-292-2550.

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