

# **Network Provider Update**

To: Medi-Cal network participants December 2023

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## Subject: Summary of Department of Health Care Services Medi-Cal Provider Bulletins

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) issued Medi-Cal bulletins during November 2023 with updates on the below topics. We are sharing this update with you to ensure you are aware of the information, and you can apply the information to your practice or facility operations, where appropriate.

#### **General Medicine**

- 1. Medi-Cal Benefit Given to Category III Codes for Radiology
- 2. 2023 HCPCS Quarter 4 Update
- 3. Code 0352U Changed to Medi-Cal Benefit

For information about the above changes, please refer to: Medi-Cal Update - General Medicine
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### **Durable Medical Equipment and Medical Supplies**

4. Specific Medical Supply Codes Not Reimbursable with Ventilator Rentals

For information about the above changes, please refer to: <u>Medi-Cal Update - Durable Medical Equipment and Medical Supplies</u> <u>November 2023</u> <u>Bulletin 578</u>

### **Long Term Care**

- 5. Important Reminder for LTC Providers about Medi-Cal Asset Limit Changes
- 6. Long Term Care Enrollment
- 7. Long Term Care: Subacute Care (Adult and Pediatric) Services
- 8. LTC Code and Claim Conversion: TAR, Crossover and Claim Completion Instructions

For information about the above changes, please refer to: Medi-Cal Update - Long Term Care

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#### Reminders:

• Providers should bill using valid Medi-Cal codes and following Medi-Cal guidelines for modifiers. Please visit the dhcs.ca.gov website for detailed billing and rate information.

If you have questions about applying a benefit to Blue Shield of California Promise Health Plan members, please call our Provider Services Department at (800) 468-9935 from 6 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.