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## Provider Highlights

## **Chiropractic Coding Guidelines**

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Wyoming recently completed a review of billing and reimbursement for chiropractic services. We would like to remind you of correct coding practices for your services.

We have identified situations in which we are receiving a substantial number of evaluation and management (E&M) codes billed to us by chiropractic providers. When providing chiropractic manipulation therapy services, it is essential that you submit the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) Codes intended for chiropractic manipulations. These CPT codes are inclusive of the associated pre and post manipulation services as well. E&M codes are reserved for office consultations that meet 2 of the 3 key components required for evaluation and management services.

In order to apply benefits correctly, it is important that you submit the appropriate codes for the services you provided to our members.

We appreciate your continued participation in our network. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Provider Relations department at 1-800-442-2376.

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