

42 C.F.R. § 415.102

Conditions for fee schedule payment for physician services to beneficiaries in providers.

- (a) *General rule.* If the physician furnishes services to beneficiaries in providers, the carrier pays on a fee schedule basis provided the following requirements are met:
- (1) The services are personally furnished for an individual beneficiary by a physician.
- (2) The services contribute directly to the diagnosis or treatment of an individual beneficiary.
- (3) The services ordinarily require performance by a physician.
- (4) In the case of radiology or laboratory services, the additional requirements in § 415.120 or § 415.130, respectively, are met.
- (b) *Exception.* If a physician furnishes services in a provider that do not meet the requirements in paragraph (a) of this section, but are related to beneficiary care furnished by the provider, the intermediary pays for those services, if otherwise covered. The intermediary follows the rules in §§ 415.55 and 415.60 for payment on the basis of reasonable cost or PPS, as appropriate.

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