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### Transmittals

#### Pub. 100-02, Medicare Benefit Policy

- Updates to Medicare Benefit Policy Manual and Medicare Claims Processing Manual for Opioid Treatment Programs and New Modifier for Audio-only Services, Trans. 11219 (January 27, 2022)

#### Pub. 100-04, Medicare Claims Processing

- Updates to Medicare Benefit Policy Manual and Medicare Claims Processing Manual for Opioid Treatment Programs and New Modifier for Audio-only Services, Trans. 11219 (January 27, 2022)
- Expedited Review Process for Hospital Inpatients in Original Medicare, Trans. 11210 (January 21, 2022)
- Quarterly Update for Clinical Laboratory Fee Schedule (CLFS) and Laboratory Services Subject to Reasonable Charge Payment, Trans. 11221 (January 27, 2022)

#### Pub. 100-08, Medicare Program Integrity

- Updates to Chapter 4 in Publication (Pub.) 100-08, Including Removal of Requests for Anticipated Payment (RAP) Suppressions and Updates to Exhibit 16 – Model Payment Suspension Letters in Pub. 100-08, Trans. 11218 (January 27, 2022)

#### Pub. 100-19, Demonstrations

- ESRD Treatment Choices (ETC) Model Performance Payment Adjustment (PPA) – Facility Component (Implementation CR), Trans. 11242 (January 26, 2022)

#### Pub. 100-20, One-Time Notification

- Updating the Exempt Diagnosis Codes Present on Admission (POA) File to Accommodate Multiple Effective and Termination Dates, Trans. 11236 (January 27, 2022)
- Method of Payment and Cost Settlement for Inpatient Services for Hospitals Participating under the Rural Community Hospital Demonstration, Trans. 11243 (January 27, 2022)
- Updates to the Common Working File (CWF) for Editing and Claims Processing to Allow Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) Coverage of Kidney Acquisition Costs for Medicare Advantage (MA) Beneficiaries Provided by Maryland Waiver (MW) Hospitals, Trans. 11240 (January 27, 2022)
- New Occurrence Span Code and Revenue Code for Acute Hospital Care at Home, Trans. 11191 (January 20, 2022)

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