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Attention Provider Types 12 (Outpatient, Hospital) and 17 (Special Clinics):

Claims for 2017 Therapy Evaluation Codes that Denied Have Been Reprocessed

Claims for 2017 therapy evaluation codes 97161, 97162, 97163, 97164, 97165, 97166, 97167 and 97168 submitted by provider types (PTs) 12 (Hospital, Outpatient) and 17 (Special Clinics) that denied with edit codes 0309 (Services not covered) or 0148 (Rendering provider not certified to perform procedure), and were not captured in previous claim reprocessing efforts, have been automatically reprocessed. The impacted claims were submitted with dates of service on or after January 1, 2017, through June 9, 2017. Results of the reprocessed claims appear on remittance advices dated January 25, 2019.

When claims are reprocessed, please be aware that all system and clinical claim editor edits are applicable. As a result, there may be no additional payment, and other claim denials may be received.