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## **Web Announcement 291**

## Attention Dental Providers: Use Age-Appropriate Codes for D1110 and D1120

The correct age-appropriate code must be used when billing Nevada Medicaid for Current Dental Terminology (CDT) codes D1110 (prophylaxis – adult) and D1120 (prophylaxis – child). Please use code D1110 only on claims for recipients age 21 and older and use code D1120 only on claims for recipients age 0 through 20.

The Division of Health Care Financing and Policy (DHCFP) and First Health Services have recently recouped funds when code D1110 paid incorrectly for recipients age 12 through 20. Affected providers will receive a letter regarding the recoupment along with reimbursement for eligible services.

Please review Section 1003.1 of <u>Chapter 1000 of the Nevada Medicaid Services</u> <u>Manual</u> for policy and the <u>Dental Fee Schedule</u> for rate information.

