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New Hampshire

To: AmeriHealth Caritas New Hampshire Providers

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Subject: State Guidance on Billing for Influenza Testing

Summary: The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services requires influenza A and influenza B testing be submitted as two units of CPT Code 87804 on the same claim.

The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services has confirmed that influenza A and influenza B testing should be submitted as **two separate units of CPT Code 87804**: Infectious agent antigen detection by immunoassay with direct optical (i.e., visual) observation; influenza. The influenza A test is one unit, and the influenza B test is a second unit.

Although they should be separate units, they should not be separate claims. Do not submit claims for both influenza tests under one instance of CPT code 87804. **Bill both units on the same line.**

Questions:

If you have questions about this communication, please contact your Provider Network Management Account Executive or the Provider Services department at **1-888-599-1479**.

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