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#### **Transmittals**

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

- Quarterly Update to the Medicare Physician Fee Schedule Database (MPFSDB) October 2018 Update, Trans. 4109 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- October Quarterly Update for 2018 Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics and Supplies (DMEPOS) Fee Schedule, Trans. 4108 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- Quarterly Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Drug/Biological Code Changes October 2018 Update, Trans. 4114 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- Update to Hospice Payment Rates, Hospice Cap, Hospice Wage Index and Hospice Pricer for FY 2019, Trans. 4086 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- Update to the Medicare Claims Processing Manual, Chapter 24, Section 90, Trans. 4096 (Aug. 3, 2018)
- Quarterly Influenza Virus Vaccine Code Update January 2019, Trans. 4100 (Aug. 3, 2018)
- Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities Prospective Payment System (IPF PPS) Updates for Fiscal Year (FY) 2019, Trans. 4104 (Aug. 3, 2018)
- October 2018 Quarterly Average Sales Price (ASP) Medicare Part B Drug Pricing Files and Revisions to Prior Quarterly Pricing Files, Trans. 4107 (Aug. 3, 2018)
- System Changes to Implement Epoetin Alfa Biosimilar, Retacrit for End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) and Acute Kidney Injury (AKI) Claims, Trans. 4105 (Aug. 3, 2018)

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

• System Changes to Implement Epoetin Alfa Biosimilar, Retacrit for End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) and Acute Kidney Injury (AKI) Claims, Trans. 245 (Aug. 3, 2018)

## Pub. 100-22, Medicare Quality Reporting Incentive Programs

• Payments to Home Health Agencies That Do Not Submit Required Quality Data - This CR Rescinds and Fully Replaces CR 9651, Trans. 78 (Aug. 10, 2018)

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

- User CR: FISS to Add Additional Search Features to Provider Direct Data Entry (DDE) Screen, Trans. 2112 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- Process Improvement for Recovery Audit Contractor (RAC) Mass Adjustment Input File Underpayment Adjustment Enhancement, Trans. 2119 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- Medicare Diabetes Prevention Program (MDPP) Service Period Change from 3 Years to 2 Years, Trans. 2125 (Aug. 10, 2018)
- International Code of Diseases, Tenth Revision (ICD-10) and Other Coding Revisions to National Coverage Determinations (NCDs), Trans. 2122 (Aug. 10, 2018)

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