

Medicare Advantage Provider Bulletin



News and Information

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2025 Code and Editing Updates for Medicare Advantage

New codes have been identified for 2025 and will be accepted into the Aspirus Health Plan system. New codes will have published effective dates but are subject to the editing update and implementation dates.

Aspirus Health Plan uses multiple automated claims editing and pricing applications to ensure consistent and accurate processing of claims. Providers should allow time for the updates to be put into production to avoid resubmissions, adjustments or incorrect editing of the claims. Update and implementation dates vary. See the Aspirus Health Plan [Provider Manual](#), Claims & Payment Chapter, for additional information.

Claims Editing System™ (CES)

As a reminder, Aspirus Health Plan uses version 6.0 of CES to adjudicate claims for Medicare Advantage members.

Prospective Payment System™ (PPS)

Aspirus Health Plan will continue with all the current pricing edits. Aspirus Health Plan uses an automated pricing tool for certain claims such as outpatient hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers (ASC), federally qualified health centers (FQHC), skilled nursing facilities (SNF), inpatient psychiatric facilities (IPF), inpatient rehabilitation facilities (IRF), home health agencies (HHA) and physician with defined products. This brings greater efficiency to the claims payment process and consistency to provider payments.

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Aspirus Health Plan has partnered with UCare, based out of Minnesota, as the administrator for our Medicare Advantage Plan.

