

# RMD Bulletin

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## **More Mental Health Services & Medication Support Services**



## **Now Directly Billable to Medi-Cal**

Effective immediately, providers seeing clients who have **both** Medicare and Medi-Cal may bill the following mental health **and** medication support services directly to Medi-Cal without obtaining Medicare adjudication first.

### Medication Services

H2010 Comprehensive Medication Service  
H0033 Oral Medication Administration

### Mental Health Services

H0032 Team Plan Development for Wraparound  
90885 Review of Records  
90889 No Contact - Report Writing

To bill Medi-Cal directly for these services, providers

1. must include the client's Medicare information on the Financial Tab of the Client Information Screen
2. **must not include Medicare as a payer on the actual claim** AND
3. must include late code 3 regardless of whether your claim is late.

Direct Data Entry (DDE) providers must not click the plus sign in the payer box on the Claim Screen; Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) providers should not send the Medicare coordination of benefits loop on the claim to DMH.

***In order to clearly identify your claim to the Department as Medi/Medi for payment, submit all Medi/Medi claims with late code 3 even if they are not late.***

The new procedure code for intramuscular injections (96372) is not directly billable to Medi-Cal. If the client has both Medicare and Medi-Cal, the service must be adjudicated by Medicare in order to be Medi-Cal billable.

A Quality Assurance Bulletin regarding the appropriate use of the new procedure codes as well as updates to "A Guide to Procedure Codes for Claiming Mental Health Services" will be available at [http://dmh.lacounty.gov/ToolsForAdministrators/Agency\\_Administration/quality\\_assurance\\_bullets.html](http://dmh.lacounty.gov/ToolsForAdministrators/Agency_Administration/quality_assurance_bullets.html) by March 28, 2011.

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**DOES NOT APPLY TO FEE-FOR-SERVICE PROVIDERS**

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