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2021 annual HCPCS update delayed

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) has experienced a delay in obtaining the 2021 list of Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) and Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®1) code updates from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). As a result of the delay, the IHCP will be unable to publish coverage, prior authorization, and reimbursement information for newly released codes by January 1, 2021. The IHCP intends to publish all information by February 1, 2021, and will prioritize any coronavirus disease 2019



(COVID-19)-related codes for publication in advance of any other determinations. Any covered codes published after the national effective date will be retroactively covered to their national effective date.

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