

MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE March 9, 2022

All Providers

Add-On and E&M Code Editing

On November 17, 2022, a new claim auditing solution was implemented into the Medicaid claims processing system. There are some system issues where the add-on and E&M code editing is not occurring appropriately, thus causing claim denials. Providers will see these on the remittance advice with reason and remark code combinations 018/M86 or 005/B15. Claims are currently being manually reviewed plus system coding and testing are in progress. Claims that have inappropriately denied will be reprocessed once the coding changes are implemented.

Contact and Website Information

For claims questions or additional information, contact Montana Provider Relations at (800) 624-3958 or (406) 442-1837 or email Montana Provider Relations Helpdesk.

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