

**MEDSTAR FAMILY CHOICE-DC
DC HEALTHY FAMILIES AND DC HEALTHCARE ALLIANCE**

HOME HEALTH

AUGUST 25, 2022

The purpose of this notice is to provide direction to all Home Health Agencies of MedStar Family Choice-DC's (MFC-DC) billing requirements. This will help avoid claim denials when submitting claims for reimbursement and ensure claims are processed accurately.

Under 42 C.F.R. § 455.410(b), ordering, referring, and prescribing ("ORP") providers are required to "be enrolled as participating providers" with the state Medicaid agency in order for their ordered, referred, and prescribed services to be billable to Medicaid. The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) interprets this enrollment requirement to include attending physicians supervising care. For such services, the attending physician serves as the ORP provider, and must be enrolled as a D.C. Medicaid provider in order for the subject service to be reimbursed.

Block on UB04	Required (Yes or No)	Provider	Action
76	Yes	Attending (ORP)	Enter the name and NPI of the physician or APRN prescribing the service. Note: All attending providers must be enrolled in DC Medicaid.



MedStar Family Choice

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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BILLING REMINDER

DC Healthcare Alliance

- DC Healthcare Alliance enrollees are not eligible for PCA services.

DC Healthy Families and Immigrant Children's Program

- Home Health Agencies must submit claims for PCA services using a UB04 form or its electronic equivalent.
- Revenue codes and HCPCS codes must be submitted on all claims in order to be reimbursed. Services submitted without a Revenue code/HCPCS code combination will deny.
- When billing units for each claim line, bill units based on the **HCPCS code description**.
- MFC-DC follows DHCF unit maximum as identified on DHCF Medicaid Fee Schedule. If units submitted are more than the unit max, the entire line will deny.

HCPCS Code/Revenue Code combination to bill for PCA Services:

Description	Revenue Code	Procedure Code
Personal Care Assistance Service	0590	T1019
PCA Supervisory Visit by RN	0551	G0299
PCA Supervisory Visit by LPN	0551	G0300

To avoid claim denials, do not bill the above HCPCS codes with a modifier.

Type of Bill (TOB) codes to bill for PCA and Home Health Services:

- MFC-DC requires Home Health Agencies to bill using the appropriate Type of Bill (TOB) code listed in the below table.

TOB	Description
321	Admit to Discharge
322	Interim bill — first claim
323	Interim bill — continuing claim.
324	Interim bill — final claim
327	Corrected Claim

If you need additional assistance related to this update, please contact the following:

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