

November 1, 2020

**RE: Bundled Services and Supplies (Professional Reimbursement Policy) -- Update**

Dear Provider:

Beginning with dates of service on or after February 1, 2021, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield and our subsidiary company, HMO Nevada (Anthem) will update the *Bundled Services and Supplies* reimbursement policy.

Anthem will update *Bundled Services and Supplies* reimbursement policy Section 2 Coding list to indicate that the following codes:

- 43281 - laparoscopy, surgical, repair of paraesophageal hernia, includes fundoplasty, when performed; without implantation of mesh,
- 43282 - laparoscopy, surgical, repair of paraesophageal hernia, includes fundoplasty, when performed; with implantation of mesh,
- 43283 - laparoscopy, surgical, esophageal lengthening procedure,
- 43332 - repair paraesophageal hiatal hernia (including fundoplication), via laparotomy, except neonatal; without implantation of mesh or other prosthesis, and
- 43333 - repair paraesophageal hiatal hernia (including fundoplication), via laparotomy, except neonatal; with implantation of mesh or other prosthesis,

*are not eligible for separate reimbursement* when reported with bariatric procedure codes 43644, 43645, 43770, 43771, 43772, 43773, 43774, 43775, 43842, 43843, 43845, 43846, 43847, 43848, 43886, 43887 and 43888.

Additionally, the Bundled Services Section 2 coding list will be updated to include the telehealth originating site facility fee HCPCS code (Q3014) when reported with an E&M code in place of service 11.

For more information, view this policy online. Go to [anthem.com](http://anthem.com), select **Providers**. Under the *Provider Resources* heading, select **Policies, Guidelines, and Manuals**. Select **Nevada** as your state. Under the *Reimbursement Policies* heading, select [Access Policies](#). Then search for the Policy you would like to view.

Sincerely,



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