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## **Attention Provider Types 20, 24 and 77: Colonoscopy Procedure Codes Updated**

Update to [Web Announcement 1216](#): The claims processing system has been updated and effective October 17, 2016, claims for the following colonoscopy codes billed by provider types 20, 24 and 77 will no longer deny.

<b>CPT Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
44401	Colonoscopy with ablation
44402	Colonoscopy with stent placement
45346	Sigmoidoscopy with ablation
45347	Sigmoidoscopy with stent placement
45349	Sigmoidoscopy with resection
45350	Sigmoidoscopy with band ligation
45388	Colonoscopy with ablation
45389	Colonoscopy with stent placement
45390	Colonoscopy with resection
45393	Colonoscopy with decompression
45398	Colonoscopy with band ligation
46601	Diagnostic anoscopy

Claims for the colonoscopy procedure codes listed above with dates of service on or after January 1, 2016, through claims processed before October 17, 2016, will be automatically reprocessed. A future web announcement will notify providers when the claims are reprocessed.