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Claims for Dental Codes D4320 and D4321

Dental procedure codes D4320 (provisional splinting, intracoronal) and D4321 (provisional splinting, extracoronal) do not require a dental quadrant to be reported on the claim. Claims for these codes may have adjudicated as dental quadrant procedure codes and denied inappropriately for edit code 1313 (Duplicate Payment Request - Same Provider, Same DOS for Dental Quadrant Procedure Code).

The Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) has been modified to adjudicate these claims appropriately. Any claims for D4320 and D4321 that denied inappropriately for edit code 1313 between June 14, 2010, and March 15, 2011, will be reprocessed. The adjudication of any reprocessed claims will be reported on a future remittance advice.

Providers will be notified if claims for other dental procedure codes are affected by this adjudication issue.