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PARAMOUNT INSURANCE COMPANY

PROVIDER NOTICE from Paramount Health Care Medical and Reimbursement Policy Updates Effective Dec. 1, 2019

Timely claim filing requirements — Medicare Elite, Commercial

- Effective for HMO, PPO, Individual Marketplace, and Medicare Elite
- Paramount will update timely claims filing requirements.
 - <u>Reimbursement Policy RM007</u> Elite
 - <u>Reimbursement Policy RM009</u> Commercial*

Prior authorization | Interventional pain management injections: Medical policy PG0354

- Effective for HMO, PPO, Individual Marketplace, and Medicaid Advantage
- Prior-authorization will be required in the outpatient setting when multiple level injections are performed on the same treatment date of service.
- This policy applies to Sacroiliac, Epidural Steroid, Facet, and Trigger Point injections.
- Medicare Elite excluded.

Prior authorization | Leadless cardiac pacemakers: Medical policy PG0395

- Effective for Medicaid Advantage
- The medical policy will be updated to include prior authorization for the Advantage product line and include the updated 2019 CPT codes—33274 and 33275.
- Coverage criteria for these services is required by CMS and the Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM).
- Prior authorization will be required effective Dec. 1, 2019 for the Advantage product line only.
- Medicare Elite excluded.

For more information, please reference each full policy online.

IMPORTANT: All referenced policies will be available to view on our website by <u>Nov. 1, 2019</u>. We cannot guarantee that they will be uploaded prior to this date.

Visit our medical and reimbursement policy libraries at the links below:

- https://www.paramounthealthcare.com/services/providers/medical-policies/
- https://www.paramounthealthcare.com/services/providers/reimbursement-policies

If you have questions regarding this notice, or other issues, please contact your Provider Relations Representative or call Provider Relations at 800-891-2542.