



Removal of KH Modifier from Capped Rental Items

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PROVIDER TYPE AFFECTED

This MLN Matters® Article is intended for suppliers that submit claims to Durable Medical Equipment (DME) Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs) for capped rental DME or parenteral/enteral items and services provided to Medicare beneficiaries.

PROVIDER ACTION NEEDED

CR 10422 announces that suppliers no longer need to append the KH rental modifier on purchased capped rental durable medical equipment or parenteral/enteral items and services. Make sure your billing staffs are aware of this requirement.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The official instruction, CR10422, issued to your MAC regarding this change is available at <https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Transmittals/2018Downloads/R4052CP.pdf>.

If you have any questions, please contact your MAC at their toll-free number. That number is available at <https://www.cms.gov/Research-Statistics-Data-and-Systems/Monitoring-Programs/Medicare-FFS-Compliance-Programs/Review-Contractor-Directory-Interactive-Map/>.

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