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To: Oregon Health Plan medical-surgical providers

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Subject: Fee-for-service coverage of ICD-10 codes Z09 and Z01.818

The Oregon Health Authority (OHA) is updating systems to show that ICD-10 codes Z09 (*Encounter for follow-up examination after completed treatment for conditions other than malignant neoplasm*) and Z01.818 (*Encounter for other preprocedural examination*) are open for payment, effective October 1, 2015.

Why is this happening?

OHA groups diagnosis codes as *undefined*, *informational*, and *diagnostic workup*. Only diagnostic workup codes are open for payment.

Z09 and Z01.818 originally were listed as informational diagnosis codes. After consulting with the Health Evidence Review Commission, we concluded that these codes should be listed as diagnostic workup codes, and open for payment.

We updated Z09 on May 12, 2016, and updated Z01.818 on November 9, 2016.

What should you do?

To be paid for services billed to OHA with Z09 or Z01.818 as the primary diagnosis, please rebill OHA.

- For Z09, you can rebill for services billed from October 1, 2015, through May 12, 2016.
- For Z01.818, you can rebill for services billed from October 1, 2015, through November 9, 2016.

To keep informed about OHA's diagnosis code groups, refer to the "Code groups for claim processing" on the [Medical-Surgical provider guidelines page](#).

Questions?

If you have any questions about this announcement, contact the Provider Services Unit at dmap.providerservices@state.or.us or call 1-800-336-6016. We are available Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. (including lunch hours).

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