



National Correct Coding (NCCI) Medically Unlikely Edits (MUE) and PTP (Procedure to Procedure).

Dear Provider,

The Affordable Care Act of 2010 required CMS to notify states by September 1, 2010, of the NCCI methodologies that were compatible with Medicaid. State Medicaid Director Letter notified states that all five Medicare NCCI methodologies were compatible with Medicaid. The Affordable Care Act required state Medicaid programs to incorporate compatible NCCI methodologies in their systems for processing Medicaid claims by October 1, 2010. The Medicaid NCCI program has differences from the Medicare NCCI program.

Beginning **02/01/2023**, Aetna Medicaid will add CMS NCCI edits (MUEs and PTP) as a part of our claim edit process.

How will this impact me as a provider?

You may see additional denials for claims where the number of units exceed the CMS MUE or a procedure is not payable if billed with another procedure (PTP Edit).

Questions?

If you have questions, please call our Claims Inquiry Claims Research (CICR) Department at **855-232-3596**.