INOVALON PC-ACE®

Release 6.2 Professional Newsletter April 2024

Note: This is for MAC and Direct customers

Hot topics

Quarterly HCPCS Codes Update – Quarterly HCPCS code updates together with regular CMS mandates.

WPC code set Updates – Various code sets (RARC) added/updated.

Enclosed materials

- Pre-built PC-ACE 6.2 upgrade file named PCACEUP.EXE and replacement SETUP.EXE file for any new providers.
- This newsletter

CMS mandated changes

13425 - New Physician Specialty Code for Epileptologists

- Following Specialty codes added **(effective 04/01/2024):**

  F6 - Epileptologists

13541 - Quarterly Update for Clinical Laboratory Fee Schedule (CLFS) and Laboratory Services Subject to Reasonable Charge Payment

- Following CPT codes are added (effective 04/01/2024):

  0439U CRD CHD DNA ALYS 5 SNP 3 DNA
  0440U CRD CHD DNA ALYS 10 SNP 6DNA
  0441U NFCT DS BCT FNGL/VIRAL SEMIQ
  0442U NFCT DS RESPIR NFCTJ MXA&CRP
  0443U NEURFLMNT LT CHN ULTRSENS IA
  0444U ONC SLD ORGN NEO TGSAP 361
  0445U ABETA42 & PTAU181 ECLIA CSF
  0446U AI DS SLE ALYS 10 CYTOKINE
  0447U AI DS SLE ALYS 11 CYTOKINE
  0448U ONC LNG&CLN CA DNA QUAL NGS
  0449U CAR SCR SEV INH COND 5 GENES

- Following CPT codes are deleted (effective 04/01/2024):

  0354U HPV HI RSK QUAL MRNA E6/E7
  0416U IADNA GU PTHGN 20BCT&FNG ORG

13517 - Remittance Advice Remark Code (RARC), Claims Adjustment Reason Code (CARC), Medicare Remit Easy Print (MREP) and PC Print Update

- Following RARC codes are added (effective 04/01/2024):

N893 - Missing/incomplete/invalid child medical evaluation form/checklist.

N894 - Alert: These payments are made subject to a reservation of rights for the Payor to recoup or otherwise recover all or part of these payments based on any of the following: outcome of pending or future litigation/ new or updated state, federal or regulatory guidance/ any other actions that may affect the Payor's obligation to make these payments.

N895 - Processed based on a negotiated fee schedule for a specialty drug program.

Installing the upgrade

Perform a full PC-ACE database backup before installing the upgrade. To install the upgrade, run the attached PCACEUP.EXE file using Windows Explorer or equivalent and follow the simple upgrade wizard steps. When prompted, enter the upgrade password provided by your software supplier. For networked instructions, it is recommended (but not required) that the update be run from the server's console.

IMPORTANT: The recommended database backup is for safety purposes only and should NOT be restored after successfully installing the update. The update program preserves all existing claims and reference file settings.