

Managed Care Operations Memorandum
PROMISe™ Managed Care Payment System Payment Update
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Subject: PROMISe™ Managed Care Payment System Table

To: Physical Health HealthChoices (PH-HC) Managed Care Organizations -
Statewide
Behavioral Health HealthChoices (BH-HC) Managed Care Organizations -
Statewide

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Purpose:

To provide an updated PROMISe™ Managed Care Payment System Table that reflects PH-HC and BH-HC changes to the managed care payment system.

Background:

- For many years, Category of Assistance (COA) codes, C, U, **and** B provided both a cash and a medical assistance benefit **in the same budget** (i.e. they were “linked”).
- Due to a change in federal requirements, certain cash and medical assistance categories must now be “delinked.” Cash categories C, U, and B excluding C72 and U72, will be delinked from the medical assistance benefit so they provide only a cash benefit moving forward.
- Prior to delinking, the beneficiary would have had a **single** cash budget that provided both a linked cash and medical assistance benefit. After delinking, the beneficiary will have **two** budgets; the existing cash budget (which will provide only a cash benefit) plus the new medical-assistance-only budget.

Discussion:

Changes in the PROMISe™ Code TNF grouping

- Program Status Codes (PSC) 04, 06, 07, 08, 09, 53, 57, and 58 are removed from PSC group 18 and placed in PSC group 12, in the EXC (Excluded) PROMISe™ code group.
- PSC 71 is removed from PSC group 18.
- C72 and U72 are being phased out of use, not delinked. Once those COA/PSCs are completely phased out, C and U will move to COA group 02 and 72 will move to PSC group 12.

Changes in the PROMISe™ Code SBP grouping

- Due to delinking, COA code B is removed from COA Group 79 and placed in COA group 02.
- COA code SBP replaces COA code B in COA group 79.
- PSC 00 is removed from PSC group 44 because COA/PSC SBP 00 is not eligible for managed care (Beneficiaries coded as SPB 00 will receive physical and behavioral health services via the Fee-for-Service program.).
- NOTE: COA/PSC SBP 80 is valid for Community HealthChoices and BH-HC, but not for PH-HC.

Change in the PROMISe™ Code FGA grouping

- In the PROMISe™ code FGA grouping, COA/PSC D 02 was delinked and removed from PSC group 02. However, since PSC 02 is still valid elsewhere on the PROMISe™ Managed Care Payment System Table, it is not being placed in PSC group 12.

Other Information

- In PROMISe™ Code groupings SSW and SSN, COA codes A, J and M were not delinked. They will continue to provide both a cash and a medical assistance benefit in the same budget.

Next Steps:

Please review the new [PROMISe™ Managed Care Payment System Table](#) and distribute to appropriate staff. If you have any questions, please contact Martha Sadler-Stine at (717) 772-6300.

Obsolete:

N/A

Attachment:

N/A