Oxygen codes update

Please make the following changes in the DME Procedure Code section of your DME Provider Manual (Rev. 8/2009)

E0424	# Stationary compressed gaseous oxygen system, rental; includes container, contents, regulator, flowmeter, humidifier, nebulizer, cannula or mask and tubing
E0431	# Portable gaseous oxygen system, rental; includes portable container, regulator, flowmeter, humidifier, cannula or mask and tubing
E1390	# Oxygen concentrator, single delivery port, capable of delivering 85 percent or greater oxygen concentration at prescribed flow rate
E1392	# Portable oxygen concentrator, rental

Effective for dates of service on or after January 1, 2010, vendors will be required to obtain an electronic Dispensing Validation System (DVS) prior authorization number, each month, prior to providing and billing on the above oxygen systems.

For Medicaid's coverage guidelines refer to page 34 of the DME Procedure Code section .

Questions may be directed to the Division of Provider Relations and Utilization management, 1 800 342-3005, option 1.