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Pharmacy Professional Dispensing Fee Update

As referenced in the <u>1% Across the Board (ATB) Medicaid Rate Increase</u>, the New York State Department of Health revised the Medicaid Fee-for-Service (FFS) pharmacy professional dispensing fee to comply with this change. **Effective September 22, 2022**, the professional dispensing fee will change from \$10.08 to \$10.18 for covered outpatient drugs, when applicable. This was based on the enacted budget and was effectuated by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) state plan approval.

This does include retroactive adjustments to the dispensing fee back to April 1, 2022. Those adjustments will be processed at a future date, details will be forthcoming.

Questions regarding this update can be sent to NYRx@health.ny.gov.