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Update to Medicaid FFS Pharmacy Professional Dispensing Fee

Effective November 1, 2018, based on the enacted budget and Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) state plan approval (https://www.health.ny.gov/regulations/state_plans/status/non-inst/approved/docs/app_2018-09-05_spa_18-22.pdf), the Fee-For-Service pharmacy professional dispensing fee will be revised from \$10.00 to \$10.08 for covered outpatient drugs, when applicable.

Retroactive adjustments back to April 1, 2018 will be handled at a future date, which will be communicated to providers ahead of time. Such adjustments will be spread out over a period of time (to be determined) and will show on the remittance with claim level detail.

Questions regarding the above-noted change can be emailed to PPNO@health.ny.gov