Addition of New HCPCS Code E0467- Home Ventilator, Multi-Function Respiratory Device

For dates of service on or after <u>April 1, 2020</u>, the HCPCS code E0467 will be added to Medicaid Fee for Service as a monthly rental and require authorization from the Dispensing Validation System.

The following outlines the monthly rental fee, guidelines, coverage criteria, and billing guidance:

Code		Fee	Max Units
E0467		\$907.30 per month	1
E0467 ^{F26}	#Home ventilator, multi-function respiratory device, also performs any or all of the additional functions of oxygen concentration, drug nebulization, aspiration, and cough stimulation, includes all accessories, components and supplies for all functions		

General Guidelines:

- 1. Only one ventilator code will be reimbursable per rental month
- 2. It is the billing provider's responsibility to maintain documentation that the member meets coverage criteria.
- 3. The following therapies/supplies/equipment are included in the functionality of code E0467 and will not be separately reimbursable:
 - Ventilators (HCPCS codes E0465, E0466)
 - Oxygen and Oxygen Equipment
 - Nebulizers and related accessories
 - Aspirator and related accessories
 - Cough Stimulator
 - Mechanical In-Exsufflation devices and related accessories
 - High Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation Devices and related accessories
 - Oscillatory positive expiratory pressure device
- 4. As with all rentals, the 30 day fee includes all necessary equipment, delivery, maintenance and repair costs, parts, supplies (e.g. tracheostoma filters, any type) and services for equipment set-up, maintenance and replacement of worn essential accessories or parts, loading or downloading software, and back up equipment as needed.

Coverage Criteria:

Members must meet the following criteria:

• Member is new to ventilator use, AND

 Member must require ventilator and oxygen plus one more 	
covered therapy: cough stimulator, suction pump, nebulizer.	

Billing Guidance:

Dispensing Validation System (DVS) authorization for E0467 with a date(s) of service that overlaps date(s) of service for any of the following scenarios are considered a duplicate request and will be rejected and the claim will be denied if:

- There is an active DVS approval for the ventilator codes E0465 or E0466.
- There are active approvals or DVS authorizations for the rental of separate stand-alone devices and related accessories that fall within the same time range.

QUESTIONS

If you have questions, please call 1-800-342-3005 or email <u>OHIPMEDPA@health.ny.gov</u>

Any Medicaid Managed Care questions regarding policy should be directed to the member's Medicaid Managed Care plan.