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HIPAA 837 Billing Reminder to Physicians & Group Practitioners,

RE: Physician's Assistants

RENDERING PROVIDER REPORTING

For the correct adjudication and payment of claims, care must be taken to insure that the correct Provider ID number to bill for Medicaid services is submitted.

Physician's Assistants must submit their Medicaid ID or their license number as the Rendering Provider. If a Medicaid ID number is used to identify the Physician's Assistant then they must also submit their Supervising Physician's Medicaid ID number and Location Number as the Supervising Provider (In most instances, the Billing Provider ID will also be entered as the Supervising Physician).

NYS Medicaid will deny all claims when the Physician's Assistant is reported as the Billing Provider; or when the Physician's Assistant Medicaid ID number is entered as the Rendering provider but no Supervising Physician is entered. Medicaid policy does not allow Physician's Assistants to bill Medicaid directly.