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TO: Nebraska Heritage Health Plans 

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RE: EAPG Base Rate Adjustment for Revenue Code 510

This health plan advisory is being issued to notify Medicaid hospital providers of the update in the Enhanced Ambulatory Patient Grouping (EAPG) software concerning the processing of revenue code 510. In collaboration with the Division of Medicaid and Long-Term Care, the Managed Care Organizations have updated the software to treat revenue code 510 as a non-covered service and it will no longer be grouped as part of the EAPG logic. Ancillary services that were previously grouped with revenue code 510 will now be paid.

With the change in how revenue code 510 is being handled under the updated EAPG software, the base rate calculations were reviewed and will be adjusted for dates of service July 1, 2020, and thereafter. Below is a recap of the current base rates and what the base rates will be adjusted to, effective July 1, 2020 as a result of this change:

<b>EAPG Hospital Group</b>	<b>1/1/2020 Base Rates</b>	<b>7/1/2020 Base Rates (Do not include SFY21 Legislative appropriations impact)</b>
Children's	\$1012.85	\$1013.03
Metro	\$716.38	\$726.57
Rehab	\$871.31	\$871.40

Rural	\$933.37	\$997.01
Surgical	\$399.93	\$399.93
Urban	\$822.40	\$827.18

This change is applied to non-critical access hospital outpatient claims.

If you have any questions regarding this bulletin please contact Flora Coan at (402) 471-9582 or via email at: [flora.coan@nebraska.gov](mailto:flora.coan@nebraska.gov).

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