PAYMENT POLICIES AND CLINIC MANAGEMENT DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

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  • If (when) we make an error
  • If (when) we say something that is misleading or unclear

• How?
  • Respond in the town hall so we can all learn together
  • Email to jhenderson@clinicient.com so we can research, follow up and clarify
GETTING BACK ON YOUR FEET:
HOW MUCH DID WE GROW FROM LAST WEEK IN 2020.

- March 9
- March 16
- June 8
HR7154

- One-year exemption from 8% cut
- Permanent change in policy on telehealth

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COMMERCIAL PAYER TELEHEALTH COVERAGE

As things rapidly develop regarding the COVID-19 pandemic, payer policies around telehealth are continuously evolving. Below is a summary of the status of commercial payers that are covering some form of telehealth or e-visits, based on information they have released.

The information is current as of the “Date Updated” for each payer, and APTA will continue to make weekly updates when new information is confirmed. This a summary only; refer to your payer policies for the most accurate and current information and for additional contractual, coding, and billing guidance.

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State Actions Permitting PTs To Provide Telehealth

In light of COVID-19, many jurisdictions are offering guidance on the use of telehealth by PTs and PTAs during the crisis. To provide and bill for physical therapist services provided via telehealth, you must verify that you are practicing legally and ethically in the jurisdiction where the patient is located.

The physical therapy regulatory board in that state is the ultimate authority on the licensure and compact privilege requirements for providing physical therapist services in the jurisdiction.

• Link – APTA Member Resource
THANK YOU