

MEDICAID PROVIDER BULLETIN

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Reimbursement change for midlevel practitioners

Beginning January 1, 2019, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicaid (Anthem) will reduce the reimbursement rate for all midlevel practitioners, including but not limited to advanced practice registered nurses, physician assistants and nurse midwives. The reimbursement rate will be reduced from 85% to 75% of the Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) physician fee schedule for dates of service starting January 1, 2019.

The reimbursement rate for midlevel practitioners is consistent with the DMS fee-for-service reimbursement rate for midlevel practitioners which is 75% of the DMS physician fee schedule and is outlined in your Anthem provider agreement, unless specifically stated otherwise.

If you have questions about this communication, please contact your Provider Relations representative at kyproviderrelationsmedicaid@anthem.com or call Provider Services at **1-855-661-2028**.

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