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What's New In Our Industry Florida

Executive/Administrative

Medical Providers Prescribing and Dispensing Medication – Employer/Carrier Authorization

The Dept. of Financial Services has moved up the effective date of the Hospital Reimbursement Manual from June 1, 2023 to May 25, 2023. The Hospital Manual includes hundreds of new Maximum Reimbursement Allowances (MRAs) for Outpatient Reimbursement, and an entirely new per diem MRA system of reimbursement for Inpatient Reimbursement. The new Manual will apply to all Dates of Service commencing on or after the stated effective date. Carriers and their bill review vendors will need to act quickly to adjust their bill review and payment systems to comply with the new MRAs.

On a related note, the Dept. previously noticed the new Ambulatory Surgical Center Reimbursement Manual (ASC Manual) for a July 1, 2023 effective date. The New ASC Manual has many new MRAs that will go into effect for dates of service occurring on or after the listed effective date.