

Other Provider-Preventable Conditions

Effective for services provided on or after July 1, 2012, the State identifies the following other provider-preventable conditions, as defined at 42 CFR 447.26(b), for non-payment under Section 4.19B:

- (1) wrong surgical or other invasive procedure performed on a patient;
- (2) surgical or other invasive procedure performed on the wrong body part;
- (3) surgical or other invasive procedure performed on the wrong patient.

In compliance with 42 CFR 447.26(c), the State provides:

- (1) That no reduction in payment for a provider preventable condition (PPC) will be imposed on a provider when the condition defined as a PPC for a particular patient existed prior to the initiation of treatment for that patient by that provider.
- (2) That reductions in provider payment may be limited to the extent that the following apply:
  - (a) The identified PPC would otherwise result in an increase in payment.
  - (b) The State can reasonably isolate for nonpayment the portion of the payment directly related to treatment for, and related to, the PPC.
- (3) Assurance that non-payment for PPCs does not prevent access to services for Medicaid beneficiaries.

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