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Temporary provider enrollment changes ending for rendering providers Oct. 1, 2023

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) rescinded the temporary changes to provider enrollment announced in *IHCP Bulletins* <u>BT202039</u> and <u>BT202318</u>. As a reminder, effective Oct. 1, 2023, the IHCP will reinstitute the requirement that all rendering providers must be linked to all group enrollments' service locations to receive

reimbursement. Services will only be paid if the rendering provider is linked to a service location of an enrolled group provider.

Starting Oct. 1, 2023, claims with rendering providers that are not appropriately associated with a group enrollment will deny with explanation of benefits (EOB) code 1010 – *Rendering provider is not an eligible member of billing group or the group provider number is reported as the rendering provider. Please verify provider number and resubmit.*

The IHCP is providing this reminder to ensure that all provider linkages are completed timely. Providers are strongly encouraged to

verify that all participating group enrollments accurately reflect all rendering providers associated with a practice. Group practices may add or remove rendering providers through the *Provider Maintenance* section of the <u>IHCP Provider Healthcare Portal</u> or as part of the revalidation process.

In addition to proper claim payment, rendering provider linkages are critical to ensuring that prescriptions from rendering providers are recognized for claim payment by a participating pharmacy. Prescriptions written from rendering providers that are not associated with an active group will be denied.

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