A Message to

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MEMORANDUM

TO: All AmeriHealth Participating Hospitals in New Jersey

FROM: Kathleen Mariano
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DATE: April 10, 2002

SUBJECT: REVISION TO PPO BILLING REQUIREMENTS FOR OUTPATIENT THERAPY

Based on feedback from a few of our providers, we would like to clarify the memo dated February 11, 2002. The intent was to remind participating facilities how they should be submitting appropriate revenue codes by category of service. If therapy services are performed, charges should not be submitted as evaluations. Precertification and revenue codes for all therapies must correspond in order for services to be reimbursed correctly.

Billing instructions given on page two of this memo should be disregarded.

We thank our participating providers for alerting us to this discrepancy. If you have any questions regarding this bulletin, please contact you Hospital Service Coordinator at (856) 778-6500.