



PROVIDER BULLETIN
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TO: Participating home health providers
FROM: Daniel Brown
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DATE: December 14, 2016
SUBJECT: Correction: Baby BluePrints® Fee Schedule

We are sending this bulletin to inform you that we identified an issue with the fee schedule rates provided in November and to provide you with an updated Baby BluePrints® Fee Schedule. Please disregard the changes sent on November 22, 2016. We apologize for any inconvenience.

The following codes will be updated for dates of service on or after January 1, 2017:

| Revenue code | Service | Frequency | Prior base rate | New base rate | Update type |
|--------------|---------------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| 551 | Skilled Nursing Visit | per visit | ██████ | ██████ | Rate update |
| 561 | Social Service Evaluation | per visit | ██████ | ██████ | Rate update |
| 572 | Home Health Aides | per hour | ██████ | ██████ | Rate update |
| 590 | Nutritional Counseling | per visit | ██████ | ██████ | Rate update |

You can also find the complete fee schedule on the Independence Plan Central page of the NaviNet® web portal. If you have any questions about this bulletin, please contact your Network Coordinator.

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