

Outpatient Prospective Payment System (OPPS) Outpatient Code Editor (OCE) Notification Process For Quarterly Updates

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3 days	Gather feedback for all Primes - Prime responsibility for OCE response to 3M will rotate quarterly. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Schedule meeting with Primes • Assigned resource will consolidate feedback using 3M templates 																		
1 day	Submit feedback to TMA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TMA sends to 3M and copies OCE Quarterly Update Team • Notify TMA of changes impacting TRICARE policy 																		
1 day	Meet with 3M on feedback (maintain open date on Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. EDT/EST or 8:00 a.m. Pacific) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li style="width: 50%;">• Review responses <li style="width: 50%;">• Update changes (if needed) <li style="width: 50%;">• Address policy impacts (TMA) <li style="width: 50%;">• Concur on changes 																		

Note: The above quarterly time expectations are ideal, but may be subject to change.

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