

TREATMENT

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I. PROCEDURE CODES

All valid and applicable HCPCS Levels I and II codes.

II. POLICY

A. Treatment through the use of medical, habilitative, or rehabilitative methods, techniques, therapies, equipment, prosthetic devices, orthopedic braces and appliances, may be cost-shared subject to all other applicable ECHO requirements.

B. Services cost-shared through the ECHO may be provided by an authorized institutional or individual professional provider on an inpatient or outpatient basis and rendered in the beneficiary's natural environment. This includes at home, at school, or other location that is suitable for the type of services being rendered.

III. EXCLUSIONS

Treatment services available under the TRICARE Basic Program are not eligible to be cost-shared under the ECHO.

IV. EFFECTIVE DATE September 1, 2005.

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