

## Chapter 13

## Addendum B

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

Revision: C-1, March 10, 2017

	Contractor: OCE Version: Summary of Data Changes: OCE/APC Working Specification: Effective Date:			
4 days (Checklist)	<b>Review Updates:</b> 1. HCPC/CPT Procedure Code Changes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adds/Deletes procedure code</li> <li>HCPC Changes - APC, Status Indicator and/or Edit Assignment</li> </ul> 2. Diagnosis Code Changes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adds/Deletes diagnosis</li> <li>Age/Sex Relations</li> </ul>		3. Revenue Codes (Appendix K) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add Revenue Codes</li> <li>Revenue Code Status Indicator Changes</li> </ul> 4. Government No Pay List Updates 5. HCPC Intersection Report (compare SI differences between CMS and TRICARE) 6. Edit Assignment (applicable TRICARE edits)	
	<b>Impacts:</b>			
	File format changes <input type="checkbox"/> (record layout)	Describe:		
	New values: <input type="checkbox"/>	Describe:		
	Policy: <input type="checkbox"/>	Manual: TRM	Chapter:	Sections:
		Manual: TRM	Chapter:	Sections:
		Manual: TRM	Chapter:	Sections:
Comments:				
3 days	Gather feedback for all Primes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feedback will be gathered electronically. <span style="color: red;">If deemed necessary by the Government, feedback will be gathered via meeting.</span></li> <li><span style="color: red;">Assigned resource</span> will consolidate feedback using 3M templates</li> </ul>			
1 day	<span style="color: red;">Provide feedback to 3M. Meet with 3M if the Government deems a meeting necessary.</span> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DHA sends to 3M and copies OCE Quarterly Update Team</li> <li>Notify DHA of changes impacting TRICARE policy</li> </ul>			
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), if necessary. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review responses</li> <li>Address policy impacts (DHA)</li> <li>Update changes (if needed)</li> <li>Concur on changes</li> </ul>			

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

- END -

