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## 2020 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Update

**Background**: Louisiana Medicaid is updating the Medicaid fee-for-service files to reflect new and deleted procedure codes for 2020. The intent is to have the 2020 procedure codes on file with the applicable fee schedules updated and published as quickly as possible in 2020.

Healthy Blue is updating claims processing systems proactively with any additions, changes or deletions to ensure delays in processing 2020 claims are minimized for providers.

Timeline for implementing update and plan to recycle denied or adjusted claims 2020 HCPCS updates will be complete no later than 30 days after notification from the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) or the Centers of Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). The recycle of denied claims will be complete no later than 15 days after the system update.

## What if I need assistance?

If you have questions about this communication or need assistance with any other item, contact your local Provider Relations representative or call Provider Services at **1-844-521-6942**.