


PROVIDER BULLETIN

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	Purpose:	Provider Bulletin: Educate Providers on Global Anesthesia and Pain Management
	Subject:	Global Anesthesia and Pain Management
	Products:	MMA, FHK
	From:	<u>Provider Relations</u>

Dear Provider (s),

When anesthesia is billed as Monitored Anesthesia Care (MAC) instead of general or regional anesthesia, modifier QS should be billed on the line. Aetna allows payment for MAC as if it were billed as general or regional anesthesia except when billed with specific pain management vein and back injection procedures (regardless of whether or not the anesthesia procedure is billed with modifier QS).

According to Aetna Policy, anesthesia is considered incidental when billed with the pain management codes below. Charges for anesthesia will be denied as incidental.

CPT codes: 20526, 20550, 20551, 20552, 20553, 20600, 20605, 20610, 27096, 36468, 36470-36479, 62263, 62264, 62270, 62273, 62280, 62281, 62282, 62320-62327, 62367, 62368, 64402, 64405, 64417, 64418, 64420, 64421, 64425, 64430, 64435, 64447, 64448, 64450, 64483, 64484, 64490-64495, 64620, 64633-64636, 64640, 0213T, 0214T, 0215T, 0216T, 0217T, 0218T, 0228T, 0229T, 0230T, 0231T

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Thank you

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