



Dear Hospital Providers,

Updates to the 3M™ software which utilizes the Enhanced Ambulatory Patient Grouping (EAPG) methodology to version 2020.3.0 will be effective Thursday, October 1, 2020. This was discussed in the September 11, 2020, [Hospital Engagement Meeting](#).

The 3M™ EAPG solution within the Colorado interChange will be updated to increase the accuracy of outpatient hospital claims (Type of Bill (TOB) 13X) review and adjudication based on State and Federal policies. Previously, multiple EAPG return codes are mapped to a single edit and Explanation of Benefits (EOB) code. Each EAPG return code will be mapped to a single edit and EOB code.

The new EAPG outpatient EOB codes and descriptions are available in Appendix R on the [Billing Manuals web page](#). More detailed information about the updates is available in the recorded September 11, 2020, [Hospital Engagement Meeting](#) and the upcoming October 2020 Provider Bulletin.

Thank you,

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