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Update: separate reimbursement for long-acting reversible contraception devices

Indiana Health Coverage Programs allows separate reimbursement for long-acting reversible contraception (LARC) devices implanted during inpatient hospital or birthing center stays for delivery. Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield (Anthem) will align with this reimbursement policy for the Hoosier Healthwise, Healthy Indiana Plan and Hoosier Care Connect programs. Anthem also provides separate reimbursement for these devices when implanted immediately postpartum.

LARC devices are implantable devices (including intrauterine devices and birth control implants) that effectively prevent pregnancies for several years. The separate reimbursement applies to claims on or after June 1, 2015, for LARC devices only. It does not include other related services, procedures, supplies and devices that will continue to be included in the inpatient hospital diagnosis-related group or the birthing center all-inclusive reimbursement amount.

To receive separate reimbursement for LARC devices, facility providers must submit a claim using the appropriate HCPCS code listed below:

HCPCS code	Description
J7300	Intrauterine copper contraceptive
J7301	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 13.5 mg
J7307	Etonogestrel (contraceptive) implant system including implant and supplies
J7297	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 52 mg, three-year duration
J7298	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 52 mg, five-year duration
J7296	Levonorgestrel-releasing intrauterine contraceptive system, 19.5 mg, five-year duration

For more information or if you have questions about this communication, received it in error or need help with anything else, contact Provider Services:

- Hoosier Healthwise: **1-866-408-6132**
- Healthy Indiana Plan: **1-844-533-1995**
- Hoosier Care Connect: **1-844-284-1798**

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