

Provider BULLETIN

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UCare to Implement Home and Community-Based Services Billing Changes

Beginning Aug. 1, 2018, UCare will be aligning with Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP) <u>claims</u> <u>processing for Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) claims</u>. This change applies to our Minnesota Senior Health Options and Minnesota Senior Care products.

When billing for HCBS services with a date of service Aug. 1, 2018, or later, providers must bill each date of service on a separate line. If you submit a claim with a date span, the claim will deny.

There is an exception to the single-date billing requirement for the following codes:

- T1016 case management
- T2028 consumer-directed community supports (CDCS)
- T2041 CDCS mandatory case management (alternative care and elderly waiver)

UCare will be implementing the single-date billing requirement for these three HCPCS at a later date and will notify you prior to that change. Please continue billing these codes as you currently do.

UCare will be updating its Provider Manual in the near future to reflect these changes.

Additional Resources:

MHCP provider news and updates published January 9-22, 2018 https://mn.gov/dhs/assets/2018-01-09-mhcp-provider-news_tcm1053-324817.pdf

MHCP provider news and updates published April 3-16, 2018 https://mn.gov/dhs/assets/2018-04-03-mhcp-provider-news_tcm1053-335989.pdf