

**PARTNERSHIP HEALTHPLAN OF CALIFORNIA
MEDI-CAL PROVIDER MANUAL
CLAIMS DEPARTMENT**

X.K. National Drug Code (NDC) Requirement for Physician Administered Drugs

Effective for dates of service on or after 4/1/09, PHC will follow Medi-Cal requirements and require the use of a valid NDC paired with a HCPCS code for all physician administered drugs. Physician administered drugs include any covered outpatient drug provided or administered to a patient which is billed by a provider other than a pharmacy. Claims with dates of service on or after 4/1/09 that do not meet the NDC reporting requirements to include a valid NDC paired with a HCPCS code will be denied.

Unit of Measure for NDC's Requirement

For claims received on and after June 1, 2020, providers must bill with the appropriate units of measure when billing for physician administered drugs.

See the Medi-cal website at www.medi-cal.ca.gov for additional information.