



New Reporting Requirements for Provider Preventable Conditions

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) has issued an update to reporting requirements for provider preventable conditions (PPCs) and other provider preventable procedures (OPPCs). These new PPC reporting requirements were issued by the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) in ruling CMS-2390-F, dated March 30, 2016.

Providers must report the occurrence of a PPC for any Central California Alliance for Health (the Alliance) member where the PPC did not exist prior to the provider beginning treatment. The Alliance is prohibited from paying for the treatment of PPCs and reimbursements will be adjusted to avoid such payments.

To report PPCs for any Alliance member, providers must complete the Medi-Cal Provider-Preventable Conditions (PPC) Reporting Form, found [here](#). Completed forms should be faxed to DHCS Audits and Investigations Division at (916) 440-5060. A separate form must be completed and submitted for each PPC/OPPC within five days of discovering the event and confirming that the patient is an Alliance member.

For more information please review the following websites:

- * [DHCS website Link](#)
- * [CMS website Link](#)
- * [Form 7107 Link](#)

Should you have any questions regarding this mandatory reporting, please contact the Alliance Quality Improvement department at (831) 430-4145 or (831) 430-2630.