



PASSE Reimbursement for an EPSDT and sick visit performed on the same date of service

Thank you for attending the annual Medicaid Educational conference December 17. We would like to inform you of the following PASSE Update:

Medicaid's Office of Chief Council has reviewed the Consent Decree, the EPSDT Manual, and PASSE Contracts and has advised that the Consent Decree applies to an EPSDT visit occurring on the same day as a sick-child visit. The EPSDT Manual Section II 242.100 (note A), states that Modifier 25 must be indicated in the first position of the second billed service to surpass the Medicaid policy to not bill modifiers on a sick visit when performed on the same date of service as an EPSDT screening. Additionally, because the Consent Decree applies, the full rate should be paid for each visit.

If claims were paid incorrectly, please reach out to the appropriate PASSE for re-processing.

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As always, we want to be your best resource and assist you with all of your Medicaid needs. Please [contact your AFMC provider relations](#) outreach specialist if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

AFMC Provider Relations