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***RE: Tarifario para Médicos Cirujanos Dentistas evaluado por ASEs***

Estimada doctora Castellví:

Reciba un cordial saludo de parte de la Administración de Seguros de Salud del Gobierno de Puerto Rico (ASES).

Adjunto a esta carta encontrará el nuevo tarifario guía propuesto para procedimientos dentales, el cual fue preparado por los actuarios de ASEs. El documento representa un significativo paso de avance en nuestro objetivo de mejorar las tarifas de nuestros cirujanos dentistas. Nos corresponde ahora tomar las medidas para identificar los recursos necesarios para facilitar la adopción de las nuevas tarifas.

En atención a esto, presentaremos el tarifario para su aprobación ante los organismos pertinentes tales como la Junta de Directores de ASEs, la Junta de Supervisión Fiscal y los Centros para Servicios Medicare y Medicaid (CMS por sus siglas en inglés).

Agradecemos el respaldo del Colegio de Cirujanos Dentistas de PR y su disposición a colaborar estrechamente con ASEs para llevar este histórico proyecto adelante. Les invitamos a continuar fortaleciendo esta valiosa alianza para beneficio de todos los componentes de nuestro sistema de salud.

Cordialmente,

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**Minimum Suggested Reimbursement Rates for Dental Procedures**

<b>Procedure Code</b>	<b>Procedure Description</b>	<b>Minimum Reimbursement Rate</b>
D0120	Periodic oral evaluation	\$14.28
D0140	Limited oral evaluation - problem focused	\$19.17
D0150	Comprehensive oral evaluation - new or established patient	\$22.58
D0160	Detailed and extensive oral evaluation - problem focused, by report	\$35.65
D0210	Intraoral-complete series (radiographic image)	\$44.76
D0220	Intraoral-periapical-first radiographic image	\$7.57
D0230	Intraoral-periapical-each additional radiographic image	\$7.60
D0270	Bitewing-single radiographic image	\$7.56
D0272	Bitewings-two radiographic images	\$13.35
D0330	Panoramic radiographic image	\$27.51
D1110	prophylaxis - adult	\$25.85
D1120	prophylaxis - child	\$18.40
D1206	topical application of fluoride varnish	\$13.58
D1208	topical application of fluoride	\$13.58
D1351	sealant - per tooth	\$14.88
D2140	amalgam - one surface, primary or permanent	\$34.67
D2150	amalgam - two surfaces, primary or permanent	\$42.68
D2160	amalgam - three surfaces, primary or permanent	\$50.92
D2161	amalgam - four or more surfaces, primary or permanent	\$60.10
D2330	resin-based composite - one surface, anterior	\$39.93
D2331	resin-based composite - two surfaces, anterior	\$49.07
D2332	resin-based composite - three surfaces, anterior	\$58.81
D2335	resin-based composite - four or more surfaces or involving incisal angle (anterior)	\$70.38
D2391	resin-based composite - one surface, posterior	\$43.74
D2930	prefabricated stainless steel crown - primary tooth	\$58.33
D2940	protective restoration	\$31.25
D3120	pulp cap - indirect (excluding final restoration)	\$18.80
D3220	therapeutic pulpotomy (excluding final restoration) - removal of pulp coronal to the dentinocemental junction and application of medicam	\$48.85

D3221	pulpal debridement, primary and permanent teeth	\$24.15
D3310	endodontic therapy, anterior tooth (excluding final restoration)	\$136.90
D3320	endodontic therapy, bicuspid tooth (excluding final restoration)	\$149.53
D7140	extraction, erupted tooth or exposed root (elevation and/or forceps removal)	\$39.28
D7210	Extraction, erupted tooth requiring removal of bone and/or sectioning of tooth, and including elevation of mucoperiosteal flap if indicated	\$70.10
D7220	removal of impacted tooth - soft tissue	\$112.15
D7230	removal of impacted tooth - partially bony	\$138.25
D7240	removal of impacted tooth - completely bony	\$159.81
D7250	Removal of residual tooth roots (cutting procedure)	\$49.76
D7510	incision and drainage of abscess - intraoral soft tissue	\$22.41
D9110	palliative (emergency) treatment of dental pain - minor procedure	\$23.90
D9410	house/extended care facility call	\$37.72
D9420	hospital or ambulatory surgical center call	\$206.43
D9930	treatment of complications (post-surgical) - unusual circumstances, by report	\$18.42
D9223	Deep sedation/general anesthesia - each 15 minute increment	\$173.95
D9243	Intravenous moderate (conscious) sedation/analgesia - each 15 minute increment	\$79.49

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Appendix 1 contains the proposed reimbursement rates developed according to the methodology discussed in the letter dated March 28, 2019. ASES should review the methodology and findings to determine the feasibility of the reimbursement rates. Milliman makes no warranties to any third party regarding the reimbursement rates contained in Appendix 1.

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