

Reminder: provider incentive for medication reconciliation

Did you know that Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. pays \$25 to primary care physicians (PCPs) when a member's medications have been reconciled with the current medication list in the outpatient medical record following a hospital discharge?

CPT® II code 1111F indicates (via claims) that the member's medications post hospital discharge have been reviewed to ensure coordination of care between the hospital and PCP. Medications prescribed at the hospital must be reconciled to ensure that all other medications previously prescribed will not negatively interact.

Timeframe

Medications must be reconciled within 30 days of hospital discharge.

Office visit type

Reconciliation may be completed via an in-person, online, or telephone encounter, but is not required. The member does not have to be present for medications to be reconciled.

Provider type

The medication reconciliation may be completed by the prescribing practitioner (includes mid-levels), clinical pharmacist, or registered nurse.

Billing the code:

- CPT II codes are typically for informational purposes, but due to the nature of this measure, an incentive has been established.
- CPT II 1111F should be included after the CPTs, as one of the last line items of the claim, with a unit of 1 and \$25 as the amount.

Benefits of coding 1111F:

- Increases the transitions of care rate
- Reduces the burden of medical record requests because there is documentation that medications were reviewed for this date of service

For auditing purposes, please ensure documentation will support the justification of this CPT II code.