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Workers' Compensation Commission

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Mandatory Payment Reduction in the Medicare Fee-for-Service (FSS) Program

This reduction does NOT apply to Workers' Compensation claims.

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) did not change the DRG/APC weights, conversion factors or fee schedules as of April 1, 2013. The reduction ONLY applies to the Medicare "fee-for-service" program and NOT a rate change for third-party insurance. You can find additional information regarding this reduction at http://www.cms.gov.

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