

ADDENDUM III.—MEDICARE AND MEDICAID MANUAL INSTRUCTIONS—Continued

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Transmittal No.	Manual/Subject/Publication No.
AB-03-128	• Clarification to Transmittal AB-03-044 (CR 2611), Addition of New Temporary "K" Codes
AB-03-129	• Addition of Three New International Classifications of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification Diagnosis Codes To Be Effective as Part of the October 1, 2003, International Classification of Diseases, Clinical Update
AB-03-130	• Levocarnitine for Use in the Treatment of Carnitine Deficiency in End-Stage Renal Disease Patients
AB-03-131	• Update to Health Care Claims Status Category Codes and Health Care Claim Status Codes for Use With the Health Care Claim Status Request and Response ASCX12N 276/277
AB-03-132	• Provider Education Article: Guidelines for Medicare Part B Laboratory Testing
AB-03-133	• Managing Medicare Appeals Workloads in Fiscal Year 2004
AB-03-134	• Modifier and Condition Code for Providers to Use When Billing for Implantable Automatic Defibrillators for Beneficiaries in Medicare+Choice Plan
AB-03-135	• Darbepoetin Alfa (Trade Name Aranesp) and Epoetin Alfa (Trade Name Epogen) for Treatment of Anemia in End-Stage Renal Disease Patients on Dialysis
AB-03-136	• Correction to Quarterly Update of Health Care Common Procedure Coding System Codes Used for Home Health Consolidated Billing Enforcement
AB-03-137	• Update of Home Care Common Procedure Coding System Codes and Payment for Ambulatory Surgical Centers and File Names, Descriptions and Instructions for Retrieving the 2004 Ambulatory Surgical Center Home Health Care Common Procedure Coding System Additions, Deletions, and Master Listing
AB-03-138	• Modification of Medicare Policy for Erythropoietin
AB-03-139	• Appeals Quality Improvement and Data Analysis Activities
AB-03-140	• 2004 Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System Annual Update Reminder
AB-03-141	• CMS Companion Document for the Accredited Standards Committee X12N276/277 Health Care Claim Status Request and Response
AB-03-142	• The Coordination of Benefits Contractor Will Post the Lead Medicare Contractor in the Group Name Field on the Common Working File and Expansion of Lead Contractor Viewing in the Electronic Correspondence Referral System
AB-03-143	• Implementation of Certain Initial Determination and Appeal Provisions Within Section 521 of the Medicare, Medicaid and State Child Health Insurance Program Benefits Improvement and Protection Act of 2000
AB-03-144	• Establishing a Uniform Process for the Preparation and Mailing of Case Files From the Contractor to the Office of Hearings and Appeals of the Social Security Administration
AB-03-145	• Instructions for Contractors Other Than the Religious Nonmedical Health Care Institution Specialty Intermediary Regarding Claims For Beneficiaries With Religious Nonmedical Health Care Institution Elections
AB-03-146	• Reminder Notice of the Implementation of the Ambulance Transition Schedule
AB-03-147	• Core Elements and Required Statements for a Valid Privacy Authorization
State Operations Manual (CMS Pub. 7) (Superintendent of Documents No. HE 22.8/12)	
31	• Regional Offices Assignment of Provider and Supplier Identification Number
Hospice Manual (CMS Pub. 10) (Superintendent of Documents No. HE 22.8/2)	
806	• Hospital Manual, Credit Balance Reporting Requirements—General Provisions Payment of Amounts Owed Medicare Medicare Credit Balance Reporting Certification Page
807	• Payment for Services Furnished by a Critical Access Hospital
Home Health Agency Manual (CMS Pub. 11) (Superintendent of Documents No. HE 33.8/5)	
305	• Diabetes Outpatient Self-Management Training
306	• Home Health Agency Manual, Credit Balance Reporting Requirements—General Provisions Completing the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services—838 Payment of Amounts Owed Medicare Medicare Credit Balance Report Certification Page
Skilled Nursing Facility Manual (CMS Pub. 12) (Superintendent of Documents No. HE 22.8/3)	
377	• Credit Balance Reporting Requirements—General Provisions Payment of Amounts Owed Medicare Medicare Credit Balance Report Certification Page