



PROVIDER QUICK TIPS

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Using the 50 Modifier On Medical Assistance (MA) Claims

In order to ensure appropriate MA claims processing when using the 50-bilateral modifier, providers are reminded to indicate 2 units on the claim when directly billing MA.

This allows the PROMISe™ system to properly reimburse the provider for the service(s) provided.

Providers should not use modifier 50 when the procedure does not support a bilateral indication.

For further information, please refer to the Outpatient Fee Schedule at the following link:

The PROMISe™ Outpatient Fee Schedule can be found on the Fee Schedules page of the DPW Web site at the following link:

<http://www.dpw.state.pa.us/publications/forproviders/schedules/mafeeschedules/outpatientfeeschedule/index.htm>

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