

INFORMATION BULLETIN

Psychology Service Providers

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Fee Codes 19764 and 19765

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Fee code 19764 and 19765 (Consultations by telephone or in person)

There have been a number of issues related to the use and payment of Fee Code 19764 (for Registered Psychologists) and 19765 (for Other Mental Health Providers).

These fee codes are intended for consultations by telephone or in person only. These codes are is not intended for use for regular in-office sessions.

There are a number of points to remember with use of these fee codes:

- These codes are for consultation at the request of a member of the Case Management Team only.
- Providers cannot use these fee codes when they initiate contact with a member of the Case Management or when consultations are to address administrative issues.
- These fee codes are billed in 15-minute increments to a maximum of 6 units (1.5 hours) per day. Only the authorized number of units will be paid.
- These fee codes may be used in conjunction with Fee Code 19766 (for Registered Psychologists) or 19767 (for Other Mental Health Providers) when travel is required as part of an in person consultation.

Note: There are no changes to the business rules associated with use of these fee codes under the new Mental Health Treatment contract that begins August 1, 2010.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.