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NPI # 123456789

Subject: Reprocessing of Erroneously paid Eyeglasses Frames and Lenses Claims

Dear Provider:

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) identified a claims processing issue affecting eyeglasses frames and lenses claims billed with HCPCS code V2020 (Frames) and CPT codes 92340, 92341, 92342, 92352, and 92353 (Dispensing of ophthalmic lenses fabricated by PIA optical laboratories) for dates of service from March 28, 2011, through September 27, 2019. This issue caused some claims to erroneously pay, which necessitates voiding and resubmitting affected claims. This process will result in a lot of activity in providers' *Remittance Advice Details* (RAD) forms, associated with these voids and resubmissions. This reprocessing should result in a net positive adjustment to the provider.

No action is required on your part. The California Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Fiscal Intermediary will void and resubmit the affected claims. These voids will appear on RAD forms beginning September 16, 2021, with RAD code **811: Retro reprocessing**. Corresponding resubmits would also appear on the same RAD form with *Claim Control Number* (CCN) roll number **55 (Resubmit)**. The roll number is the fifth and sixth digits of the CCN.

The recoveries are authorized under the provisions of *Welfare and Institutions Code* (W&I Code), Sections 14176 and 14177, and *California Code of Regulations* (CCR), Title 22, Section 51458.1(a)(1). In addition, the W&I Code sections authorize DHCS to enter into repayment agreements with providers or offset overpayments against amounts due. If the total warrant amount is not sufficient to offset the recovery, the negative balance will be converted to an accounts receivable transaction and subtracted from future Medi-Cal reimbursements.

If you disagree with any of these voids or resubmissions, you may submit a *Claims Inquiry Form* (CIF) within six months of the new RAD date or you may submit an *Appeal Form* within 90 days of the new RAD date. For CIF completion instructions, please refer to the *CIF Completion* and *CIF Special Billing Instructions* sections in the appropriate Part 2 manual or on the Medi-Cal Provider website (www.medi-cal.ca.gov). For *Appeal Form* completion instructions, please refer to the *Appeal Form Completion* section in the appropriate Part 2 manual or on the Medi-Cal Provider website.

If you have questions regarding these voids or resubmissions, please call the California MMIS Fiscal Intermediary Telephone Service Center at 1-800-541-5555, option 5, followed by option 5 or write to the California MMIS Fiscal Intermediary Correspondence Specialist Unit at P.O. Box 13029, Sacramento, CA 95813-4029.

Sincerely,

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Gainwell Technologies, *on behalf of*

California Department of Health Care Services

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