

# PROVIDER Bulletin



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**UPDATED**

## **Medi-Cal: Reject Code 80 (Diagnosis) Implementation Date Postponed**

Dear Provider,

The Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) published an update to the implementation date of Reject Code 80 (diagnosis). This edit is being postponed at the present time to ensure safe and timely delivery of pharmacy benefits and reducing disruption of these services.

A link to the bulletin postponing the implementation of Reject Code 80 (diagnosis) may be found here:

[https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/cms/medicalrx/static-assets/documents/provider/pharmacy-news/2023.10\\_A\\_Reject\\_Code\\_80\\_Implementation\\_Postponed.pdf](https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/cms/medicalrx/static-assets/documents/provider/pharmacy-news/2023.10_A_Reject_Code_80_Implementation_Postponed.pdf)

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For any questions, please contact your Provider Relations Representative at 1-800-391-2000.

Sincerely,

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