



## Network Notification

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**Date:** March 11, 2011

**Number:** OH-P-2011-10

**To:** Ohio Providers

**From:** CareSource

**Subject:** Facility Inpatient Reimbursement – Now Based on Admit Date

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2011

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In the spirit of making it easier to do business with us, CareSource consistently looks for ways to provide quicker claims payment to providers. Therefore, effective July 1, 2011, CareSource is changing its reimbursement methodology on facility inpatient claims.

**Current Payment:** Providers are paid for facility inpatient claims based on the date the member was discharged from the hospital.

**New Payment:** Starting July 1, 2011, providers will receive payment based on the day the member was admitted to the hospital for inpatient stays.

### **Benefits to Providers**

This administrative change will result in fewer pended claims and quicker payment of facility inpatient claims.

Questions? Please talk to your Provider Relations Representative.