



To: All Midwest Health Plan Providers

Date: August 1, 2010

Re: Chronic Illness and Disability Payment System (CDPS) Bonus

As announced at our Provider meeting on August 4, 2010, the State of Michigan (Michigan Department of Community Health) has instructed all health plans that they “may not offer provider incentives directly linked to the submission of specific ICD-9-CM codes corresponding to the Chronic Illness and Disability Payment System (CDPS)”. Therefore, Midwest has increased the amount of bonus money for the “Percentage of ABAD Members Seen”. The increase is as follows:

- If you have conducted a physical on 65% -74.9 % of your Aged, Blind and Disabled (ABAD) members in 2010, Midwest will pay you **\$60** times the total number of ABAD members you have as of 1/1/11. This is an increase of \$20 per ABAD member.
- If you have conducted a physical on 75% - 84.9 % of your Aged, Blind and Disabled (ABAD) members in 2010, Midwest will pay you **\$85** times the total number of ABAD members you have as of 1/1/11. This is an increase of \$25 per ABAD member.
- If you have conducted a physical on 85 % or more of your Aged, Blind and Disabled (ABAD) members in 2010, Midwest will pay you **\$110** times the total number of ABAD members you have as of 1/1/11. This is an increase of \$30 per ABAD member.

The bonus will be paid by the end of the first quarter of 2011. Remember, we still request that you report EVERY diagnosis the patient has at EVERY visit.

Midwest would also like to thank the providers who gave us input on the changing of the bonus payments.

If you have any questions, please contact your Provider Services Representative:

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