

## **PHARMACY ALERT!**

### **Part B Crossover Claims Coverage of Dispensing/Supply Fees**

It has come to our attention that Pharmacies may be incorrectly billing Dispensing/Supply Fees associated with Part B crossover claims. As a result, some Pharmacies have been reimbursed twice for the dispensing/supply fee. Together, we must correct this situation.

To ensure that these claims are processed correctly, the following processing rules apply for Medicare Part B prescription drug claims:

- First, process the claim through Medicare as you have always done.
- Then, as you process the claim thru MedMetrics, it is important that you combine the 20% co-insurance for the drug and the 20% co-insurance for the dispensing/supply fee and enter this total in the VTD patient pay field 433-DX. This will ensure the claim is processed correctly.

We also ask that you review your claims payments carefully. And, should you discover that you have been overpaid for the dispensing/supply fee please contact EDS provider services at 1 800 925-1706 to properly adjust the claim.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation as this will ensure that together, we are accurately administering this important pharmaceutical benefit.

Should you have any questions please feel free to contact Robin Farnsworth at 802 879-5931.

