

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY STATEMENT

North Carolina Marketplace

Policy Name & Number	Date Effective
Three-Day Window Payment-NC MP-AD-1270	08/01/2024
Policy Type	
ADMINISTRATIVE	

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- D. Physician practices and entities should use modifier PD (diagnostic or related non-diagnostic item or service provided in a wholly owned or operated entity to a patient who is admitted as an inpatient within 3 days or 1 day) to identify services subject to the payment window.
- E. ICD-10 diagnosis code Z01.81X should be used to indicate an encounter for preprocedural examinations to flag the outpatient claim as related to an inpatient service/procedure.

II. Outpatient hospital behavioral health services provided within 3 calendar days prior to the inpatient admission are exempt from the 3-day window policy.

E. Conditions of Coverage
NA

F. Related Policies/Rules
NA

G. Review/Revision History

DATE		ACTION
Date Issued	08/17/2022	
Date Revised	05/10/2023	Annual review: updated policy process to reflect retroactive recovery, updated references and definitions. Approved at Committee.
	05/08/2024	Review: updated references, approved at Committee
Date Effective	08/01/2024	
Date Archived		

H. References
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