

# Provider Update

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## Chiropractic reminder

**Summary:** Amerigroup Iowa, Inc. wants to ensure chiropractors are aware of *Iowa Administrative Code 441-78.8 (249A)*, which limits Medicaid reimbursement to manual manipulation of the spine for the purpose of correcting a subluxation demonstrated by X-ray. Once subluxation is demonstrated, the code further stipulates specific diagnoses that are covered.

This policy is not new and can be found in the Amerigroup provider manual on page 37. We want to remind our chiropractor network about the Iowa Medicaid guidelines, including visit limitations as determined by diagnosis category.

Please refer to *Iowa Administrative Code 441-78.8* for more information about benefit limits.

### **What if I need assistance?**

If you have questions about this communication or need assistance with any other item, contact your local Provider Relations representative or call Provider Services at 1-800-454-3730.

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