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## **Reimbursement Policy Provider Newsletter Article**

### **Modifier FX and Reimbursement Policy Update**

CMS has added a new Modifier FX, used to indicate X-rays that are taken using film. Reimbursement will be subject to a 20 percent reduction of the applicable fee schedule and/or contracted/negotiate rate. Amerigroup Washington, Inc. will begin following CMS Modifier FX reimbursement guidelines effective September 15, 2017.

Modifier FX (X-ray taken using film) has been added to our reimbursement modifiers list. This modifier is applicable to Medicare Advantage Plans only. For additional information, refer to Modifier Usage Reimbursement Policy (Exhibit A) at <https://providers.amerigroup.com> > Quick Tools > Reimbursement Policies > [Medicaid/Medicare](#).