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**1.1** Benefits are available for otherwise covered services and supplies required in the treatment of complications (unfortunate sequelae) resulting from a noncovered incident of treatment provided in a MTF, when the initial noncovered service has been authorized by the MTF Commander and the MTF is unable to provide the necessary treatment of complications.

**1.2** Documentation must be submitted by the provider or the beneficiary with the claim to provide evidence that:

**1.2.1** Initial noncovered treatment was provided in a MTF and authorized by the MTF Commander; and

**1.2.2** MTF was unable to provide the necessary treatment for the complications.

### **2.0 EFFECTIVE DATE**

October 17, 2011, for otherwise covered services and supplies required in the treatment of complications (unfortunate sequelae) resulting from a noncovered incident of treatment provided in a MTF.

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