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The TRICARE Management Activity has authorized the following addition(s)/revision(s).

CHANGE TITLE: APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS (ABA) BASIC BENEFIT CHANGE

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PAGE CHANGE(S): See page 2.

SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S): This change revises the effective date and adds a new TRICARE Encounter Data (TED) Special Processing Code of "BA Applied Behavior Analysis (Interim Benefit)." Adding "BA" to this edit restricts procedure codes S5108 and 99080 to the ABA Interim Benefit and the Extended Care Health Option (ECHO) Autism Demonstration.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 16, 2010.
Except for services overseas which is February 16, 2008.

IMPLEMENTATION DATE: Upon direction of the Contracting Officer.

This change is made in conjunction with Aug 2002 TPM, Change No. 165.

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CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2.8

DATA REQUIREMENTS - INSTITUTIONAL/NON-INSTITUTIONAL RECORD DATA ELEMENTS (Q - S)

DATA ELEMENT DEFINITION

ELEMENT NAME: SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE (CONTINUED)		
CODE/VALUE SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)	U	BRAC Medicare Pharmacy (Section 702) claim (Terminated 04/01/2001)
	V	Financially underwritten payment by claims processor
	W	Non-financially underwritten payment by financially underwritten claims processor
	X	Partial hospitalization - provider not contracted with or employed by the partial hospitalization program billing for psychotherapy services in a partial hospitalization program
	Y	Heart-lung transplant
	Z	Kidney transplant
	AB	Abused dependent of discharged or dismissed member (Effective 07/28/1999)
	AC	Access To Care (ATC) Demonstration (South Region only)
	AD	Foreign active duty claims (Effective 06/30/1996)
	AN	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - Non-MTF-Referral Care (Effective 10/01/1999 through 05/31/2004)
	AR	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - Referred Care (Effective 10/01/1999 through 05/31/2004)

NOTES AND SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

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- ² Whenever SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE = 'E' (grandfathered HHC claims) is coded, SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE 'CM' must be present.
- ³ Whenever SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE = 'AU' (Autism Demonstration) is coded, SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE 'PF' (ECHO) must be present.
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CODE/VALUE SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)		
	AU	Autism Demonstration (Effective 03/15/2008) ³
	BA	Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) (Interim Benefit)
	BD	Bosnia Deductible (Effective 12/08/1995)
	CA	Civil Action Payment (Effective 07/01/1999)
	CE	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - Comprehensive Clinical Evaluation Program (CCEP) (Effective 10/01/1999)
	CL	Clinical Trials Demonstration (Enrollment Effective 03/17/2003 through 03/31/2008)
	CM	Individual Case Management Program (ICMP) claims (Effective 03/15/1999)
	CP	Cancer Clinical Trials (Enrollment Effective on or after 04/01/2008)
	CT	Custodial Care Transitional Policy (CCTP) (Effective 12/28/2001)
	DC	Disability Compensation and Pension Examinations-Department of Veterans Affairs (DCPE-DVA) - Compensation and Pension (C&P) exams used to determine fit for duty

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ELEMENT NAME: SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE (CONTINUED)		
CODE/VALUE SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)	DE	
		Temporary Disability Retirement List (TDRL) physical exams (Effective 03/30/2009)
	EF	TRICARE Reserve and National Guard Family Member Benefits (Reservists and National Guard members called to active duty for more than 30 days in support of a contingency operation) (Effective 11/01/2009)
	EU	Emergency services rendered by an unauthorized provider (Effective 06/01/1999)
	FF	TRICARE for Life (TFL) (First Payor - Not A Medicare Benefit) (Effective 10/01/2001)
	FG	TRICARE for Life (TFL) (First Payor - No TRICARE Provider Certification, i.e., Medicare benefits have been exhausted) (Effective 10/01/2001)
	FS	TRICARE for Life (TFL) (Second Payor) (Effective 10/01/2001)
	GF	TRICARE Prime Remote (TPR) for eligible Active Duty Family Member (ADFM) residing with a TPR Eligible ADSM (Effective 10/30/2000 through 08/31/2002)
	GU	ADSM enrolled in TRICARE Prime Remote (TPR) (Effective 10/01/1999)

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ELEMENT NAME: SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE (CONTINUED)		
CODE/VALUE SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)		
	KO	Allied Forces - Kosovo (Effective 06/01/1999)
	LD	Laboratory Developed Tests (LDTs) Demonstration
	MH	Mental Health Active Duty Cost-Share
	MN	TRICARE Senior Prime (TSP) (Non-Network) (Effective 01/01/1998 through 12/31/2001)
	MS	TRICARE Senior Prime (TSP) (Network) (Effective 01/01/1998 through 12/31/2001)
	NE	Operation Noble Eagle/Operation Enduring Freedom Demonstration (Reservists called to active duty under Executive Order 13223) (Effective 09/14/2001 through 10/31/2009)
	PD	Pharmacy Redesign Pilot Program (Effective 07/01/2000 through 04/01/2001)
	PF	Extended Care Health Option (ECHO) (formerly PFPWD)
	PO	TRICARE Prime - Point of Service
	RB	Respite Benefit for Seriously Injured or Ill ADSMs ⁴
	RI	Resource Sharing - Internal

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ELEMENT NAME: SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE (CONTINUED)		
CODE/VALUE SPECIFICATIONS (CONTINUED)		
	RS	Medicare/TRICARE Dual Entitlement (First Payor - No TRICARE Provider Certification, i.e., Medicare benefits have been exhausted) (Effective 10/01/2001)
	SC	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - Non-TRICARE Eligible (Effective 10/01/1999)
	SE	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - TRICARE Eligible (Effective 10/01/1999)
	SM	Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) - Emergency (Effective 10/01/1999)
	SN	TRICARE Senior Supplement (TSS) (Non-Network) (Effective 04/01/2000 through 12/31/2002)
	SP	Special/Emergent Care (Effective 06/01/1999)
	SS	TRICARE Senior Supplement (TSS) (Network) (Effective 04/01/2000 through 12/31/2002)
	ST	Specialized Treatment (Effective 03/01/1997 through 05/31/2003)
	WR	Mental Health Wraparound Demonstration (Effective 01/01/1998 through 06/30/2001)

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DATA ELEMENT DEFINITION

ELEMENT NAME: SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE (CONTINUED)

ALGORITHM N/A

SUBORDINATE AND/OR GROUP ELEMENTS

SUBORDINATE

GROUP

N/A

PROCESSING INFORMATION

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NON-INSTITUTIONAL EDIT REQUIREMENTS (ELN 100 - 199)

ELEMENT NAME: PROCEDURE CODE (2-160) (CONTINUED)

UNLESS AT LEAST ONE
OVERRIDE CODE =

R PERSON BIRTH CALENDAR DATE (PATIENT)
IS NOT CONSISTENT WITH PROCEDURE/
DIAGNOSIS CODE AGE RESTRICTING;
PROCEDURE PERFORMED DUE TO
MEDICAL NECESSITY

2-160-05R IF PROCEDURE CODE¹ = A0100, A0110, A0120, A0130, A0140, A0170, E0170 - E0172, E0241-
E0245, E0270, E0273, E0625, E0701, L3000 - L3003, L3010, L3020, L3030, L3031, L3040, L3050,
L3060, L3070, L3080, L3090, L3100, L3160, L3201 - L3207, L3212 - L3219, L3221 - L3223, L3230,
L3250 -L3255, L3257, L3265, L3300, L3310, L3320, L3330, L3332, L3334, L3340, L3350, L3360,
L3370, L3380, L3390, L3400, L3410, L3420, L3430, L3440, L3450, L3455, L3460, L3465, L3470,
L3480, L3485, L3500, L3510, L3520, L3530, L3540, L3550, L3560, L3570, L3580, L3590, L3595,
L3630, S9122 - S9124, **OR** 99082

**THEN ONE OCCURRENCE OF
SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE
MUST =**

PF ECHO

**UNLESS ADJUSTMENT/DENIAL REASON CODE FOR THAT OCCURRENCE/LINE ITEM IS
A CODE LISTED IN [ADDENDUM H, FIGURE 2-H-1](#) **OR** [FIGURE 2-H-2](#)**

**OR ANY OCCURRENCE OF
SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE =**

AN SHCP - NON-MTF-REFERRED CARE **OR**

AR SHCP - REFERRED CARE **OR**

CE SHCP - COMPREHENSIVE CLINICAL
EVALUATION PROGRAM **OR**

GU ADSM ENROLLED IN TPR **OR**

MN TSP - NETWORK **OR**

MS TSP - NON-NETWORK **OR**

SC SHCP - NON-TRICARE ELIGIBLE **OR**

SE SHCP - TRICARE ELIGIBLE **OR**

SM SHCP - EMERGENCY

**OR ENROLLMENT/HEALTH
PLAN CODE =**

X FOREIGN ADSM **OR**

SN SHCP - NON-MTF-REFERRED CARE **OR**

SR SHCP - REFERRED CARE **OR**

WA TPR - FOREIGN ADSM

2-160-06R IF TYPE OF SERVICE (FIRST
POSITION) =

I INPATIENT

**THEN PROCEDURE CODE MUST NOT BE FOR OUTPATIENT ONLY CARE (REFER TO
[ADDENDUM E, FIGURE 2-E-2](#)).**

2-160-07R IF PROCEDURE CODE¹ = 90892-90898

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² PROCEDURE CODE RECORD MATCH MADE IN 2-160-01V OR 2-160-02V WILL BE USED IN EDITS 2-160-01R, 2-160-02R, 2-160-03R, AND 2-160-04R.

³ BYPASS EDITS 2-160-01R, 2-160-02R, 2-160-03R, AND 2-160-04R IF RECORD FAILS EDIT 2-160-01V OR 2-160-01-2V.

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NON-INSTITUTIONAL EDIT REQUIREMENTS (ELN 100 - 199)

ELEMENT NAME: PROCEDURE CODE (2-160) (CONTINUED)	
	THEN ONE OCCURRENCE OF SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE MUST =
	WR MENTAL HEALTH WRAPAROUND DEMONSTRATION
2-160-08R	IF PROCEDURE CODE ¹ =
	98800 FOR DRUGS OR
	000MN PRESCRIPTION MEDICAL NECESSITY REVIEWS OR
	000PA PRESCRIPTION PRIOR AUTHORIZATIONS
	THEN TYPE OF SERVICE (SECOND POSITION) MUST =
	B RETAIL DRUGS, SUPPLIES, PRESCRIPTION, AUTHORIZATIONS, AND REVIEWS OR
	M MAIL ORDER PHARMACY DRUGS, SUPPLIES, PRESCRIPTION, AUTHORIZATIONS, AND REVIEWS
	AND NATIONAL DRUG CODE MUST ≠ BLANK
	UNLESS PROVIDER STATE OR COUNTRY CODE IS A FOREIGN COUNTRY CODE (ADDENDUM A)
2-160-11R	IF PROCEDURE CODE ¹ = S5108 OR 99080
	THEN ONE OCCURRENCE OF SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE MUST =
	AU AUTISM DEMONSTRATION OR
	BA ABA (INTERIM BENEFIT)
	UNLESS ADJUSTMENT/DENIAL REASON CODE FOR THAT OCCURRENCE/LINE ITEM IS A CODE LISTED ADDENDUM G, FIGURE 2-G-1 OR FIGURE 2-G-2..
	OR ANY OCCURRENCE OF SPECIAL PROCESSING CODE =
	AN SHCP - NON-MTF-REFERRED CARE OR
	AR SHCP - REFERRED CARE OR
	CE SHCP - COMPREHENSIVE CLINICAL EVALUATION PROGRAM OR
	GU ADSM ENROLLED IN TPR OR
	MN TSP - NETWORK OR
	MS TSP - NON-NETWORK OR
	SC SHCP - NON-TRICARE ELIGIBLE OR
	SE SHCP - TRICARE ELIGIBLE OR
	SM SHCP - EMERGENCY
	OR ENROLLMENT/HEALTH PLAN CODE =
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	SN SHCP - NON-MTF-REFERRED CARE OR
	SR SHCP - REFERRED CARE OR
	WA TPR - FOREIGN ADSM
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