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RE: Corrected- Assistant Surgeon – Prior Authorization Requirements

Providers,

Effective 5/1/2020, Assistant Surgeon services will need to use of modifiers 80, 81, and 82 billed with the same procedure code billed by the primary physician. Assistant surgeon services are reimbursed only when provided by a physician

Prior Authorization will not be required for Assistant Surgeon Services at this time.

If you have questions about this information, please contact Provider Services at 855-429-1028 or email <a href="mailto:EmpowerHealthcareSolutionsPR@empowerhcs.com">EmpowerHealthcareSolutionsPR@empowerhcs.com</a>.