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General Contract Monitoring

Newborn Claims Processing

Per Section 4.6.4 of the Model Contract, for newborn claims where the newborn has not yet been determined Medicaid eligible and assigned a RIN, the MCO shall follow the claims processing rules established by the Department for fee-for-service (FFS) claims for newborns not yet assigned a RIN.

On the FFS side, providers bill using the mother's RIN, and HFS pends the claim until the newborn receives a RIN. HFS then processes the claim under the newborn's RIN.

For more detail on newborn enrollment, refer to Section 4.6 of the Model Contract.

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