



## **Home and Community Based Services - Recycle of Claims Due to Post Authorization Adjustments**

A recent audit identified home and community based service (HCBS) claims that overlapped in payment with service claims submitted by other HCBS providers. In response to this discrepancy, affected providers have submitted service claim adjustments to make appropriate corrections.

When the providers submitted an adjustment claim to repay the units billed in error, they received an edit 194 (Claim Exceeds Prior Authorized Limits) claim denial. In order to remedy this, Molina changed how post authorized service units are applied to service claim adjustments.

On the RA of 9/29/15, Molina will recycle these denied claims from date of service July 1, 2014 that will allow repayment through the Molina billing adjustment process.

Future service claim adjustments submitted by providers should process correctly.

Providers who received an edit 194 claim denial for claim adjustments which added units to be paid must resubmit the claims to Molina. However claims for increased units will not be paid until all blocked units for the Prior Authorization on the claim have been resolved by the provider.