

Moda Health Reimbursement Policy Update Bulletin: September 2023

Revised		
Policy Title & #	Texas Effective Date	Summary of Changes
“Modifier 52 – Reduced Services.” Moda Health Reimbursement Policy Manual, RPM003.	December 15, 2023	<p>Section A:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Effective for dates of service December 15, 2023, and following, procedure codes appended with modifier 52 for reduced services will be reimbursed at 50%. 2) For dates of service prior to December 15, 2023, procedure codes appended with modifier 52 for reduced services are manually priced on a case-by-case basis based on a review of the claim and/or medical records. <p>Other formatting changes and supportive information are also included in the update. The full policy can be reviewed here: Modifier 52 - Reduced Services (modahealth.com)</p>
“Modifier 53 – Discontinued Procedure.” Moda Health Reimbursement Policy Manual, RPM018.	December 15, 2023	<p>Section D:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Effective for dates of service December 15, 2023, and following, if there is no separate RVU listing for the procedure code on the CMS Physician Fee Schedule with modifier 53 appended, the discontinued procedure will be reimbursed at 25%. 2) For dates of service prior to December 15, 2023, procedure codes with no separate RVU listing on the CMS Physician Fee Schedule with modifier 53 appended, are manually priced on a case-by-case basis based on a review of the claim and/or medical records. <p>Other formatting changes and supportive information are also included in the update. The full policy can be reviewed here: Modifier 53 – Discontinued Procedure (modahealth.com)</p>

All other policies reviewed and updated this month did not contain policy changes. They will contain changes in dates for review & approval. They may also have included formatting updates, clarification of unchanged existing policy, and/or additional supporting reference documentation.

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