



CABINET FOR HEALTH
AND FAMILY SERVICES

Assistive Technology (AT)

Department for Medicaid Services

Assistive Technology and School-Based Services (SBS)

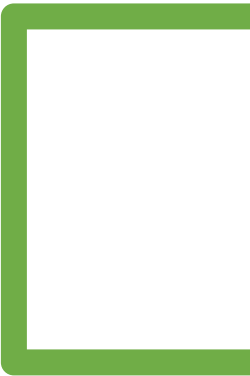
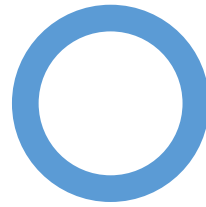


- SBS Assistive Technology (AT) is any medically necessary item, piece of equipment, or product system used to increase, maintain, or improve the functional capabilities of a child with a disability.
- The AT must be listed in the student's Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

- Examples of SBS Assistive Technology include:
 - Screen readers;
 - Speech recognition software;
 - Alternative keyboards;
 - Customized Solutions - tailored to meet the specific needs of individual students:
 - Adaptive seating and furniture
 - Customized communication devices
 - Personalized learning software
 - Braille displays

Note: Any assistive communication device becomes the property of the member, even if purchased through School-Based Medicaid services.

CPT Code E1399



- CPT Code 1399 is a billing code used for classification and reimbursement of “Durable Medical Equipment, Miscellaneous.”
- This code is used when no specific code exists for the piece of assistive technology being provided.



Required Documentation

1. Medicaid Member's Individualized Education Plan (IEP) Within the Time Frame For The Date Of Service
2. Copy of Original Receipt With Purchase Price And Item Name
3. Detailed Product Description (Printed From the Internet)

Note: If any of these items are missing when the claim is submitted it will be denied for additional documentation.

If all items are present when the claim is submitted force the edit, change the EOB to 0640, and manual price the detail at the billed amount.

Claims Process



- Gainwell, the claims processing vendor, will not accept paper claims.
- All E1399 School-Based Medicaid claim must be filed electronically in MEUPS/KYHealthNet.
- The restriction placed on E1399 at Gainwell prevents it from being paid when filed like any other claim outside of MEUPS/KyHealthNet.



Questions???

Contact...

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