

# PremierBlue\*

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TO: Capital Area Premier Blue Primary Care Physicians  
FROM: Fred Boston  
SUBJECT: PREMIER BLUE UPDATE

Effective March 1, 2000, all in-hospital medical care will be paid fee for service (FFS) from the ancillary referral fund. Your services for in-hospital medical care will be allowed up to 100% of the Blue Shield MAP or your charges, whichever is less.

Prior to this change, some in-hospital services were included in capitation and others paid FFS. The ancillary/referral fund will be increased by an amount equal to the actual utilization of inpatient capitated services and the age/sex capitation calls adjusted to reflect the transfer of payment. Revised age/sex capitation tables will be completed and distributed within three weeks.

If you have any questions, please contact any of the professional relations staff.

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