

California Medi-Cal to Pay for Interpretation of InSitu Hybridization (FISH)

Effective 4/1/2018, Medi-Cal is adding ISH code 88365 to their fee schedule. This addition fills a glaring gap in a fee schedule that prices all other ISH family codes. The following CPT service codes can be split billed with the global reimbursement rates as follows:

88364	INSITU HYBRIDIZATION (FISH)	\$87.58
88366	INSITU HYBRIDIZATION (FISH)	\$133.38
88367	INSITU HYBRIDIZATION AUTO	\$96.64
88368	INSITU HYBRIDIZATION MANUAL	\$75.41
88369	M/PHMTRC ALYSISHQUANT/SEMIQ	\$65.87
88373	M/PHMTRC ALYS ISHQUANT/SEMIQ	\$54.01
88374	M/PHMTRC ALYS ISHQUANT/SEMIQ	\$185.00
88377	M/PHMTRC ALYS ISHQUANT/SEMIQ	\$192.08

The payment rate for 88365 is not yet known. Medi-Cal updates its fee schedules on the 15th of each month, with effective dates of the first of the month. The updates are then published on the Medi-Cal website on the 16th. APS will continue to monitor any and all changes to payment and reimbursement policies for Medi-Cal and all payors. If you have any additional questions, please contact your Practice Manager.