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Effective September 1, 2012, North Dakota (ND) Medicaid will accept enrollment applications from Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants. Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants will be issued an individual North Dakota Medicaid provider number. **Effective for Dates of Service September 17, 2012 and after**, Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants can bill North Dakota Medicaid under their individual provider number.

Effective January 1, 2013, North Dakota Medicaid will no longer allow Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants to submit claims under a supervising physician's North Dakota Medicaid provider number and appending modifier U2 or U1, respectively, to the CPT® code.

Please note, Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants are **NOT** authorized to be Primary Care Providers in the North Dakota Medicaid program.

To enroll, Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistants need to complete the North Dakota Medicaid provider application and other required enrollment forms. Clinical Nurse Specialists and Physician Assistant's should visit the following link and submit the information for enrollment:

<http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/provider-enroll-app.html>

If you have any questions on enrollment, please contact Rhonda Rud via email at rrud@nd.gov or via phone at 701-328-4033.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Maggie D. Anderson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Maggie D. Anderson, Director
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