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RENTAL OF DUAL-FUNCTION HOME VENTILATORS A BENEFIT OF TEXAS MEDICAID EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2025

BACKGROUND

On April 1, 2025, HHSC added rental of dual-function home ventilators (procedure code E0468) as a benefit of Texas Medicaid.

KEY DETAILS

Effective April 1, 2025, dual-function home ventilators are available for rental with a limit of one per month.

New benefit added to Texas Medicaid (CHIP, STAR and STAR+PLUS):

- Procedure code E0468 - home ventilator, dual-function respiratory device, also performs additional function of cough stimulation, includes all accessories, components and supplies for all functions.
- Member must meet medical necessity criteria for both a mechanical ventilator and a cough augmentation device.
- **Authorization is required when the amount is greater than \$500.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

On May 30, 2025, TMHP published this [provider notification](#).

Effective July 1, 2025, TMHP will deny claims for the following procedure codes if they are submitted by any provider in the same month as procedure code E0468:

Procedure Codes									
A4216	A4217	A4481	A4483	A4611	A4612	A4613	A4618	A7027	A7028
A7029	A7030	A7031	A7032	A7033	A7034	A7035	A7036	A7037	A7038
A7039	A7046	E0465	E0466	E0470	E0471	E0472	E0482	E0561	E0562
E0601									

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