BROADCAST MESSAGES

EFFECTIVE DATE (CCYYMMDD): 2025-02-15 TARGET TYPE: SP CANCEL DATE (CCYYMMDD): 2025-02-28 TARGET KEY: 10

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BROADCAST TITLE (50 char): Amend FI 51194

BROADCAST MESSAGE (UP TO 5 PAGES, 12 LINES PER PAGE, 76 CHARACTERS PER LINE):

Effective March 1, 2025, fee item 51194 has had its descriptions amended to account for the new surgical assist fee 13197 being added to the MSC Payment Schedule; it is now the following:

- 51194 First Surgical Assist of the Day Orthopaedics Notes:
 - i) Restricted to Orthopaedic Surgeons.
 - ii) Maximum of one per day per physician, payable in addition to 00195, 00196, 00197, and 13197.

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PY-PAYEES -----PAYEE NO.

PR- PRACTITIONER -----PRACTITIONER NO. SP-SPECIALTY ------SPECIALTY CODE

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F - PRIMARY CARE

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