A new GMCB Public Comment has been received.

Submit Time: 10/17/2023

Name: Jeff Look

Affiliation: I work at a private, outpatient clinic

Town/City: Colchester

Topic: fair and equitable reimbursements

Comment: It is unclear to me why hospitals and affiliates get reimbursed 3 to 5 times more than independent outpatient clinics. We all have the same licenses and should all get reimbursed at the same rates. We have not had a rate hike in years, however, inflation continues to grow. Your lack of increase has made me think about leaving the field I have been in for over 20 years. Reimbursement should be the same across the field. Hospitals are able to pay their physical therapists \$10 more an hour. Often, it is for a less experienced clinician. Please start reimbursing us all equally.

Post Comment: Yes