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**KMAP GENERAL BULLETIN 20244**

## **Reimbursement of Inpatient Rehabilitation Distinct Part Units of a Hospital**

Effective with discharge dates on and after July 1, 2020, when a beneficiary is transferred from inpatient acute care using patient discharge status 62 (Discharged/Transferred to an Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Including Rehabilitation Distinct Part Units of a Hospital) or code 65 (Discharge/transferred to a psychiatric hospital or psychiatric distinct part unit of a hospital) it will be considered a transfer if a patient is admitted to a distinct unit (rehabilitation or psychiatric) within the same facility. The facility will bill two separate claims and each claim will be paid on the DRG specified.

**Note:** The effective date of the policy is July 1, 2020 discharge date, the implementation of State policy by the KanCare managed care organizations (MCOs) may vary from the date noted in the Kansas Medical Assistance Program (KMAP) bulletins. The **KanCare Open Claims Resolution Log** on the KMAP [Bulletins](#) page documents the MCO system status for policy implementation and any associated reprocessing completion dates, once the policy is implemented.

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